

**Italy-Ispra: Framework contract for the operation, evaluation and evolution of the global land component of the Copernicus land service, 4 lots**

OJ S 101/2016 27/05/2016

Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Commission, Joint Research Centre (JRC), Institute for Environment and Sustainability

Postal address: via Enrico Fermi 2749 (TP 581)

Town: Ispra VA

Postal code: 21027

Country: Italy

E-mail: [JRC-IES-PROCUREMENT@ec.europa.eu](mailto:JRC-IES-PROCUREMENT@ec.europa.eu)

**Internet address(es):**

General address of the contracting authority: <http://web.jrc.ec.europa.eu/callsfortender/>

Electronic access to information: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=1015>

**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.3. Main activity**

General public services

Other: Research.

**I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

**Section II: Object of the contract**

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**II.1. Description****II.1.1. Title**

Framework contract for the operation, evaluation and evolution of the global land component of the Copernicus land service, 4 lots.

**II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery**

Services

Service category No 8: Research and development services

Main site or place of performance: Contractor's site.

NUTS code

**II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

**II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

The Copernicus European earth observation and monitoring programme has entered its

operational phase following the adoption of the Regulation (EU) No 377/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 3.4.2014 establishing the Copernicus Programme and repealing Regulation (EU) No 911/2010. The global land component is earmarked as a component of the land service and has been operational since 2013. The purpose of this contract is to operate, evaluate and evolve this global land component. It is organised in 4 lots. Lots 1, 2 and 3 are separate but not necessarily independent, while lot 4 is independent. Lot 1: 'Operation of the global land component, thematic domain vegetation and energy'. Lot 2: 'Operation of the global land component, thematic domain cryosphere and water'. Lot 3: 'Operation of the global land component, data distribution and user interface'. Lot 4: 'Product and service independent evaluation and user group'.

#### **II.1.5. CPV code(s)**

90711500 Environmental monitoring other than for construction, 90712000 Environmental planning, 90712400 Natural resources management or conservation strategy planning services, 90714100 Environmental information systems, 90700000 Environmental services, 90710000 Environmental management, 90711000 Environmental impact assessment other than for construction, 90711300 Environmental indicators analysis other than for construction, 73110000 Research services, 73210000 Research consultancy services

#### **II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

#### **II.2. Total value of the contract/lot**

##### **II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot**

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

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Open

#### **IV.2. Award criteria**

##### **IV.2.1. Award criteria**

Lowest price

##### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction has been used: no

#### **IV.3. Administrative information**

##### **IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

JRC/IPR/2015/H.5/0026/OC.

##### **IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

###### **Contract notice**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2015/S 151-277962](#) of 7.8.2015

### **Section V: Award of contract**

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Contract No: Framework contract for the operation, evaluation and evolution of the global land component of the Copernicus land service, 4 lots

Lot No: 1

- Lot title: Operation of the global land component: thematic domain vegetation and energy

**V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

**V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Vlaamse Instelling voor Technologisch Onderzoek

Postal address: Boeretang 200

Town: Mol

Postal code: 2400

Country: Belgium

Internet address: <https://vito.be>

**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 7 200 000 EUR

excluding VAT

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: yes

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties:

Not known

Short description of the value/proportion of the contract to be sub-contracted: Less than 20 %.

Contract No: Framework contract for the operation, evaluation and evolution of the global land component of the Copernicus land service, 4 lots

Lot No: 2

- Lot title: Operation of the global land component, thematic domain cryosphere and water

**V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

**V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Collecte Localisation Satellites

Postal address: 11 rue Hermès, Parc Technologique du Canal

Town: Ramonville-Saint-Agne

Postal code: 31520

Country: France

Internet address: <http://www.cls.fr>

**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 3 200 000 EUR

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

Contract No: Framework contract for the operation, evaluation and evolution of the global land component of the Copernicus land service, 4 lots

Lot No: 3

- Lot title: Operation of the global land component, data distribution and user interface

**V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract****V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Vlaamse Instelling voor Technologisch Onderzoek

Postal address: Boeretang 200

Town: Mol

Postal code: 2400

Country: Belgium

Internet address: <https://vito.be>

**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 1 600 000 EUR

excluding VAT

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

Contract No: Framework contract for the operation, evaluation and evolution of the global land component of the Copernicus land service, 4 lots

Lot No: 4

- Lot title: Product and service independent evaluation

**V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract****V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Spacebel

Postal address: rue des Chasseurs Ardennais 6

Town: Angleur

Postal code: 4031

Country: Belgium

Internet address: <http://www.spacebel.be>

**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 1 000 000 EUR

excluding VAT

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: yes

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties:

Not known

Short description of the value/proportion of the contract to be sub-contracted: Less than 20 %.

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:  
no

## **VI.2. Additional information**

Based on Article 134(1)(f) of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 1268/2012 of 29.10.2012 during the 3 years following conclusion of the original contract the contracting authority may use the negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice to procure additional services consisting of the repetition of similar services (up to a maximum of 50 % of the original contract value) from the economic operator to whom the contract is awarded.

## **VI.3. Procedures for review**

### **VI.3.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court  
Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünewald  
Town: Luxembourg  
Postal code: 2925  
Country: Luxembourg  
E-mail: [GeneralCourt.Registry@curia.europa.eu](mailto:GeneralCourt.Registry@curia.europa.eu)  
Telephone: +352 4303-1  
Fax: +352 4303-2100  
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu/>

### **VI.3.2. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: You may submit any observations concerning the award procedure to the contracting authority indicated under heading I.1.

If you believe that there was maladministration, you may lodge a complaint to the European Ombudsman within 2 years of the date when you became aware of the facts on which the complaint is based (see <http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu>). Such complaint does not have as an effect either to suspend the time limit to launch an appeal or to open a new period for lodging an appeal.

Within 2 months of the notification of the award decision you may lodge an appeal to the body referred to in VI.3.1.

### **VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Official name: General Court  
Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünewald  
Town: Luxembourg  
Postal code: 2925  
Country: Luxembourg  
E-mail: [GeneralCourt.Registry@curia.europa.eu](mailto:GeneralCourt.Registry@curia.europa.eu)  
Telephone: +352 4303-1  
Fax: +352 4303-2100  
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu/>

## **VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice**

17.5.2016