

Belgium-Brussels: Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Ambient Assisted Living Association

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Town: Brussel

Postal code: 1000

Country: Belgium

For the attention of: Marco Carulli

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Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.aal-europe.eu/>

Electronic submission of tenders and requests to participate: <https://>

Additional information can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted: the abovementioned address

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.3. Main activity

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

II.1. Description

II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority

AALA Market Observatory.

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

Services

Service category No 11: Management consulting services [6] and related services

NUTS code BE Belgique / België

II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The notice involves a public contract

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

The AAL Programme aims at enhancing the quality of life of older people and strengthen the industrial base in Europe through the use of Information and Communication Technology (ICT). AAL supports applied research on innovative ICT-enhanced services for ageing well, with a time to market of 1 to 3 years. The AAL Programme 2014-2020 is driven by Member States and supported by the European Commission, to enhance EU competitiveness and tackle the ageing challenge. The AAL Programme manages a number of Support Actions such as the Feasibility Studies for the establishment of an Information Portal and Market Observatory in the field of AAL and the AAL2Business that is a three-year support action aimed to help AAL projects to enter the market. From the above mentioned feasibility studies for the Information Portal and Market Observatory in the field of AAL, it was concluded that, regarding the topics related to 'ICT and ageing well' a wide range of information sources can be found through the internet. However this information is spread and scattered over a variety of different websites. These provide different types of information, some of them being consumers-oriented, other ones providing only business information or research-related initiatives. Most of these websites have a limited lifetime, due to the lack of funding once the project is finished or a lack of a sustainability plan. In the occasion of the AAL Call 2015, focused on 'Living actively and independently at home', a project aimed at analysing and collecting available resources on AAL to establish a scientific foundation for an innovative, modern and multilingual ICT-based advisory and decision support framework for assisted technologies, and in depth survey of stakeholders, such as consumers, governments and businesses to gather requirements on use cases, features and service offers, was retained for funding. The AAL Programme is launching this Call for tender to complement and collaborate with the AAL Project, in order to set up a unified and dynamic AAL information portal and market observatory with up-to-date information about existing production, solutions, funding and investment opportunities in the field of 'ICT and ageing well' for a broad community of stakeholders and facilitate the connection between offer and demand in the field of AAL. The objective is to serve as a trusted reference source of high quality AAL information, supported by an online platform and a set of paralleled activities related to awareness raising and market-related information provision.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security, 79400000 Business and management consultancy and related services, 79300000 Market and economic research; polling and statistics, 79420000 Management-related services, 73200000 Research and development consultancy services

II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

II.1.8. Lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.9. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2. Scope of the procurement

II.2.1. Total quantity or scope

II.2.2. Information about options

II.2.3. Information about renewals

II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion

Duration in months: 28 (from the award of the contract)

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions related to the contract

III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them

III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

III.2. Conditions for participation

III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions: See tender document.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: See tender document.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: See tender document.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:

See tender document.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Class: N/A, Category: N/A.

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: no

III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Open

IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

IV.2. Award criteria

IV.2.1. Award criteria

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

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

AALA-1.2016-F02_0

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 27.6.2016 - 13:00

IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

4.7.2016 - 13:00

IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English.

IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 4.7.2016 - 13:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
yes

Identification of the project: Active and Assisted Living Programme.

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

VI.4.2. Review procedure

VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

27.5.2016