

Norway-Lysaker: Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2009/81/EC

Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: The Norwegian Armed Forces c/o the Norwegian Defence Logistics

Organisation

Postal address: Lysaker Torg 45

Town: Lysaker

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Country: Norway

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Internet address(es):Electronic access to information: <https://permalink.mercell.com/187520368.aspx>Electronic submission of tenders and requests to participate: <https://permalink.mercell.com/187520368.aspx>**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**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

I.3. Main activity

Defence

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities/entities

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**

Domestic transport

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

Services

Service category No 5: Land transport services

Main site or place of performance: Norway

NUTS code NO081 Oslo

II.1.3. Information about framework agreement

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

Duration of the framework agreement

Duration in years: 7

Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement

Estimated value excluding VAT: 725 000 000,00 NOK

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

The aim of the procurement is to cover the Norwegian Armed Forces' need for transport services in Norway, in peace time and in stand-by situations, including crises and war. The goods that must be transported will include military materiel, and civil and unclassified material. The procurement's scope includes:

Transport of general cargo and part cargo.

- Dispatch of packages and pallets/general cargo (SG)
- Dispatch of goods over 2.5 tonnes/part cargo (PG)
- Package services in Norway for items up to 35 kg. Packages for companies and home deliveries.

Transport services HB - Entire Vehicles

The contracting authority needs transport services where the contracting authority's goods fill up a vehicle to its load capacity.

The goods can consist of all types of goods, for example, vehicles, containers, etc.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

60000000 Transport services (excl. Waste transport), 34133000 Articulated trucks, 34140000 Heavy-duty motor vehicles, 60100000 Road transport services, 60112000 Public road transport services, 60161000 Parcel transport services, 60180000 Hire of goods-transport vehicles with driver, 60181000 Hire of trucks with driver, 60183000 Hire of vans with driver, 60200000 Railway transport services

II.1.7. Information about subcontracting

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

Estimated value excluding VAT: 725 000 000,00 NOK

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options: The framework agreement period will be 4 years. The contracting authority will have an option to extend the framework agreement one or more times for a further 3 years. The maximum duration, including options, will be 7 years.

Provisional timetable for recourse to these options:
in months: 36 (from the award of the contract)

II.2.3. Information about renewals

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

Duration in months: 84 (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. Other particular conditions to which the performance of the contract is subject, in particular with regard to security of supply and security of information

III.1.5. Information about security clearance

III.2. Conditions for participation

III.2.1. Personal situation

Criteria regarding the personal situation of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion) including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions: REQUIREMENT

4.1.1) Tenderers must have their affairs in order with respect to the payment of tax and VAT.
DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

Tax Certificates not older than six months from the application deadline. Tax certificates are defined as:

For Norwegian tenderers:

- Certificate issued by the Tax Collector or the Norwegian Tax Authority concerning:
 - o VAT
 - o Tax
 - o Payroll tax

For foreign tenderers:

- Foreign tenderers must submit equivalent certificates from their own country that show that they have their tax and duty payments in order.
- If the authorities in the country do not issue such certificates, the tenderer must submit a declaration which states that all taxes and fees have been paid. The declaration must be approved and signed by the tenderer's Financial Director/ person responsible for finance.

Criteria regarding the personal situation of subcontractors (that may lead to their rejection) including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions: REQUIREMENT

4.2.1) Tenderers must be registered in a company register, professional register or a trade register in the country where the tenderer is established.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

Norwegian tenderers:

- Company Registration Certificate

Foreign tenderers:

- Confirmation that the tenderer is registered in a company register, professional register or a trade register in the country where the tenderer is established.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

Criteria regarding the economic and financial standing of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)

List and brief description of conditions: REQUIREMENT

4.3.1) Tenderers must have the required economic and financial capacity to fulfil the contract. A credit rating of 'credit worthy' or equivalent will be sufficient to fulfil the requirement.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

A credit assessment from a certified credit rating agency based on the most recent known accounting. The rating must not be older than 3 months.

III.2.3. Technical and/or professional capacity

Criteria regarding the technical and/or professional ability of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)

List and brief description of conditions:

REQUIREMENT

4.4.1) Tenderers must have relevant experience from similar contracts.

Similar contracts are in this context defined as the tenderer being able to substantiate experience from equivalent services as those described in point 1.3.

It is the tenderer's responsibility to document good experience from similar deliveries in the documentation requirement.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

Description of the tenderer's 3 most relevant contracts in Norway in the last 3 years.

The overview must describe:

- The nature of the contract
- Assignment value
- Date
- Contracting authority
- A description of the delivery, including:
 - o Transport between destinations in Norway
 - o The volume of and means of transport for the goods

Tenderers must reply by filling in the tables in the document Part I Prequalification Annex 6 The Tenderer's Response to the Selection Criteria.

The response in Part I - Prequalification Annex 6 will be an object for evaluation.

Other information will not be subject to evaluation.

REQUIREMENT

4.4.2) Tenderers must have adequate execution capabilities.

Adequate execution capabilities means sufficient capacity and suitable staff and facilities to carry out the delivery.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

A short general description of the company must be given, including:

1) A description of the annual workforce:

- split between the tenderer's main locations in Norway
- the number of employees in management positions in the last 3 years

2) Description of qualifications of drivers and other personnel for carrying out the delivery:

- Number of drivers with and without a certificate of apprenticeship
- Number of drivers with competence/courses in:

o Health, safety and environment

o Transport assignments and documentation

o Energy efficient driving

- Competence of other personnel connected to the deliveries

3) Description of the vehicle fleet with classification that the tenderer will have available to fulfil the contract This also applies to equipment that is offered from sub-suppliers.

Tenderers must reply by filling in the tables in the document Part I Prequalification Annex 6

The Tenderer's Response to the Selection Criteria.

The response in Part I Prequalification Annex 6 will be an object for evaluation.

Other information will not be subject to evaluation.

REQUIREMENT

4.4.3) Tenderers must have a well-functioning quality management system.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

A concise description of the overall quality assurance system that the tenderer will use for this framework agreement. The description must be maximum 4 A4 pages.

If a tenderer is certified in accordance with ISO 9001 or equivalent standards, it is sufficient to present a copy of a valid certificate.

REQUIREMENT

4.4.4) Tenderers must have a well-functioning environment management system.

The environment management system must fulfil the requirements in ISO 14001:2015 or equivalent certification based on relevant European standard series that are certified by accredited bodies.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

A description of environmental measures and systems that have been implemented in the organisation. The description must be maximum 4 A4 pages.

If a tenderer is certified in accordance with ISO 14001:2015 or equivalent European standards, it is sufficient to present a copy of a valid certificate.

REQUIREMENT

4.4.5) Tenderers must have a well-functioning quality management system for the working environment.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

A description of the quality management system for the working environment that has been implemented in the company. The description must be maximum 4 A4 pages.

If a tenderer is certified in accordance with ISO 45001 or equivalent standards, it is sufficient to present a copy of a valid certificate.

REQUIREMENT

4.4.6) Tenderers must have a good system for ICT security.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT

A description of the tenderer's measures for ICT security that have been implemented in the company, and the extent of compliance with the measures.

Nasjonal sikkerhetsmyndighets (NSM) basic principles for ICT*:

1. Identify and map
2. Protect and maintain
3. Discover
4. Handle and restore.

Link to NSM's website:

<https://nsm.no/regelverk-og-hjelp/rad-og-anbefalinger/grunnprinsipper-for-ikt-sikkerhet-2-0/introduksjon-1/>

The description must be maximum 4 A4 pages.

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

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract: no

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Negotiated

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

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated yes

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 has been used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

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

2022039125 Transport Innland

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

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

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

15.5.2023 - 12:00

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

Other Norwegian

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:
no

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Oslo District Court

Postal address: Postboks 2106

Town: Vika

Postal code: 0125

Country: Norway

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

30.3.2023