

Norway-Oslo: Publishing services

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Contract notice**Services****Directive 2004/18/EC****Section I: Contracting authority**

I.1. Name and addresses

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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

General public services

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**

Stat and Styring. A periodical that shall promote the administrative political discussion and maintain a high professional and technical standard.

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

Services

Service category No 15: Publishing and printing services on a fee or contract basis

Main site or place of performance: Oslo.

NUTS code NO Norge

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)

For several years the government has co-financed the publication of the independent periodical Stat and Styring. The current contract for the publication expires 31.12.2016. See idunn: idunn.no/stat

The aim is to continue to publish an administrative political independent periodical that shall put administrative political problems on the agenda. In addition the periodical shall update readers on administrative political research, practical results within administrative policies and present new trends. The periodical shall have contributions from readers and inhabitants and it shall emphasise dialogue.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

79970000 Publishing services, 22200000 Newspapers, journals, periodicals and magazines, 22212000 Periodicals

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

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

Until now Stat and Styring has had a paper edition and an electronic edition. It will now be up to tenderers to describe how they would develop Stat and Styring on all platforms, physically, electronically and on social media (e.g. through a newsletter, blog, etc.) in order to see to the periodical's aims.

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: no

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

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

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

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: Mandatory requirements:

Requirements:

Tenderers shall have their tax and VAT payments in order.

Documentation requirement:

— A certificate, not older than 6 months, which verifies that the tenderer has fulfilled the obligations regarding payment of taxes, social security contributions and VAT. The certificate can be ordered and obtained from Altinn by using a separate link on: skatteetaten.no If this is not possible, it can be ordered from the tax collector or the Norwegian Tax Administration. The certificate is electronically certified and is therefore not signed. For further information, see: skatteetaten.no The certificate shall be enclosed with the tender in accordance with the outline given in the tender documents.

— Foreign tenderers must submit certificates from authorities equivalent to the Norwegian authorities.

Legal position:

Requirements:

The interested party shall document that the enterprise is legally established.

Documentation requirement:

— Norwegian companies: Company Registration Certificate;

— Foreign companies: Proof that the company is registered in a trade index or business register as prescribed by the law of the country where the tenderer is established.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: Requirements:

Tenderers must have the financial capacity to implement the assignment/contract.

Documentation requirement:

— Annual Accounts, including the board's annual report and auditor's statement.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:

Requirements:

Tenderers shall have experience with the publication of periodicals or similar from a minimum of 3 equivalent assignments during the last 3 years.

Relevant professional expertise and capacity to execute the assignment. Relevant means the periodical's subject areas.

A good and well-functioning quality assurance system is required for the services that shall be provided.

Environmental requirements:

To ensure compliance with environmentally relevant requirements in the contract, the tenderer must possess sufficient relevant environmental competence, management systems and routines for quality assurance of the services that are covered.

Documentation requirement:

An account and documentation of the execution of equivalent assignments and an overview of actual persons who would be used for the execution of the assignment.

A description of the tenderer's professional competence and capacity at the tenderer and any

collaboration partners/sub-suppliers.

Statement regarding the tenderer's quality assurance system/-management system.

An account of the tenderer's environmental competence and procedures that document that the relevant conditions are met.

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

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Negotiated

Some candidates have already been selected (if appropriate under certain types of negotiated procedures) no

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

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: The procurement shall commence with this qualification and will then be followed by a qualitative selection of the tenderers to be invited to participate in the competition for the final contract for the delivery of the procurement.

The Tenders of all invited tenderers will be evaluated. After the initial evaluation, the tenderers with the 3 best tenders will be invited to negotiations. Following the negotiations and any revised tenders, the final evaluation of the 3 tenders will be made and the contract will be awarded.

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 no

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

16/2748

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

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

Payable documents: no

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

19.7.2016 - 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.

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

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

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

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

17.6.2016