

**Norway-Oslo: Research and development consultancy services**

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**Contract notice****Services****Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Nærings- og fiskeridepartementet

National registration number: 912 660 680

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Town: Oslo

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

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Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: [http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance\\_s.asp?PID=330842&B=DFO](http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=330842&B=DFO)

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**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

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

**I.5. Main activity**

General public services

**Section II: Object**

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**II.1. Scope of the procurement****II.1.1. Title**

User review of the business-orientated policy apparatus

Reference number: 22/3070

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

73200000 Research and development consultancy services

### **II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

### **II.1.4. Short description**

The business-orientated policy apparatus consists of institutions and schemes that, through capital, research, infrastructure, and competence measures, directly and indirectly stimulate increased value creation in business life.

Surveys, including the area review of the business-orientated policy apparatus, have shown that users experience the policy apparatus as complex and that there is a need for simplification and making it available.

The aim of this assignment is to get an insight into the business-orientated policy apparatus with a company-orientated approach, with the aim of getting in place a more user friendly and efficient uniform, and available business-orientated policy apparatus. The assignment is to give an insight into how the business-oriented policy apparatus is experienced by central user groups and it will be part of the ministry's basis for assessing improvements.

The assignment is split into a main project with the possibility for an expansion in an option.

### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 1 800 000,00 NOK

### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

## **II.2. Description**

### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

72221000 Business analysis consultancy services, 72266000 Software consultancy services, 72413000 World wide web (www) site design services, 73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services, 73210000 Research consultancy services, 73220000 Development consultancy services, 73300000 Design and execution of research and development, 79415200 Design consultancy services, 79930000 Specialty design services

### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

The business-orientated policy apparatus consists of institutions and schemes that, through capital, research, infrastructure, and competence measures, directly and indirectly stimulate increased value creation in business life.

In order to achieve the goals in business policy, the business-orientated policy apparatus must be efficient at changing and adapting to future business life. Furthermore, it is an ambition that it will be a way in to the business-orientated policy apparatus for companies and business life. Surveys, including the area review of the business-orientated policy apparatus, have shown that users experience the policy apparatus as complex and that there is a need for simplification and making it available.

The aim of this assignment is to get an insight into the business-orientated policy apparatus with a company-orientated approach, with the aim of getting in place a more user friendly and efficient uniform, and available business-orientated policy apparatus. The assignment is to give an insight into how the business-oriented policy apparatus is experienced by central user groups and it will be part of the ministry's basis for assessing improvements.

There is a need for more knowledge on how business life concrete meets the policy apparatus and what interventions can be made to improve this. Looking at different user journeys could

identify the actual 'areas of pain' in these meetings and provide proposals for concrete changes. The goal is a more user friendly policy apparatus that is more available and easier to use. The intention is not to look at the effect of individual policies, or find out if there are 'holes' between the policies that are offered, but rather to look at whether there are obstacles, processes, or sides of the organisation that mean that the total offer to companies is experienced as complex and difficult to use in practice.

The assignment is split into a main project with the possibility for an expansion in an option.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 1 800 000,00 NOK

#### **II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: no

#### **II.2.10. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

The assignment includes an option to examine and concretise possible measures that arise in the main project, such as prototyping or user testing. Whether or not the option will be taken up will be clarified with the contracting authority after the first phase has been completed, and the contracting authority reserves the right to adjust the desired organisation of the option after the main project has been completed.

#### **II.2.13. Information about European Union funds**

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

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

### **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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#### **III.1. Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

Requirements: Tenderers must be a legally established company.

Documentation:

Norwegian companies: Company registration certificate or a printout from the Unit Register for sole proprietorships not required to register.

Foreign tenderers: Verification that the tenderer is registered in a trade or business register as prescribed by the law of the country where the tenderer is established. The verification can be submitted in writing or by referring to BRIS.

##### **III.1.2. Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Requirement: Paid taxes and duties.

Documentation:

A certificate, not older than 6 months, which verifies that the tenderer has fulfilled the obligations of 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. Foreign tenderers must provide certificates from equivalent authorities to the Norwegian authorities.

Requirement: Tenderers must be able to show adequate economic and financial capacity for the delivery.

Documentation:

A credit rating with key figures from a recognised credit assessment company, or other form of documentation to verify that the requirement has been met.

### **III.1.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Requirement: Tenderers must have sufficient ability and experience to carry out the delivery.

Documentation:

A description of the tenderer's three most relevant assignments in the last three years, together with information about the contracts values, dates of deliveries or executions and names of recipients. Relevant assignments means assignments where service design has been the applied method. Tenderers are responsible for ensuring that the description is of such a nature that it verifies compliance with the requirement.

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Description**

#### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

#### **IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

### **IV.2. Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 03/06/2022 Local time: 12:00

#### **IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

#### **IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

Norwegian

#### **IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Tender must be valid until: 01/09/2022

#### **IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 03/06/2022 Local time: 12:00

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.3. Additional information****VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

Postal address: Postboks 2106 Vika

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Postal code: 0125

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E-mail: [oslo.tingrett@domstol.no](mailto:oslo.tingrett@domstol.no)

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**VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

Postal address: Postboks 2106 Vika

Town: Oslo

Postal code: 0125

Country: Norway

**VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Official name: Nærings- og fiskeridepartementet

Postal address: Postboks 8090 Dep, 0032 Oslo

Town: Oslo

Postal code: 0032

Country: Norway

E-mail: [postmottak@nfd.dep.no](mailto:postmottak@nfd.dep.no)

**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

03/05/2022