

Belgium-Brussels: Support for voluntary initiatives promoting diversity management at the workplace across the EU

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Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, DG Justice, Unit JUST/A.4 Programme Management

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Internet address(es):General address of the contracting authority: http://ec.europa.eu/justice/newsroom/contracts/index_en.htm**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

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**

Support for voluntary initiatives promoting diversity management at the workplace across the EU.

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

Services

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

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

NUTS code

II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)**II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

The purpose of this contract is to support voluntary initiatives promoting diversity management at the work place across the EU. The main focus shall be on voluntary diversity initiatives

taken by businesses, and organisations working with businesses, aimed at promoting and valuing diversity at the workplace. The initiatives considered in the framework of this contract shall primarily cover the following diversity strands: race and ethnic origin, religion or belief, age, disability and sexual orientation, as well as initiatives covering multiple strands. Gender-related aspects shall be mainstreamed in all activities.

More specifically, the main objectives of the contract are:

- to maintain and revamp the existing EU platform of organisations and persons in charge of promoting and implementing national and regional diversity charters,
- to promote the business case of diversity and the work of diversity charters and the EU platform across Europe through the organisation of an annual event,
- to enlarge the number of diversity charters in the European Union by identifying and assisting potential candidates.

The contract will cover the EU Member States (28 at the time of the publication of the tender) and the EFTA–EEA countries participating in Progress.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

98200000 Equal opportunities consultancy services, 98130000 Miscellaneous membership organisations services, 72314000 Data collection and collation services, 72320000 Database services, 80500000 Training 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

Value: 889 950 EUR
excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Open

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Approach: demonstration of understanding of the objectives and scope of the assignment, its context and the results to be achieved. Weighting 10
2. Methodology: clarity, relevance, feasibility and quality of the methodology, in particular the presentation of the overall working method, time schedule proposed and clarity and coherence of the proposed work programme. Methods of ensuring the quality, efficiency and consistency of the work. Weighting 50
3. Work organisation: composition and adequacy of the proposed team in terms of level of direct participation of the team members in performance of the tasks required and distribution of tasks. Weighting 30
4. Judicious use of human and budgetary resources consistent with the proposed methodology, including match between the tasks and the completion schedule. Weighting 10

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

JUST/2013/DISC/PR/0153/A4.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2014/S 39-063712](#) of 25.2.2014

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: JUST/2013/DISC/PR/0153/A4

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

5.6.2014

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: CSR Europe

Postal address: rue Victor Oudart 7

Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1030

Country: Belgium

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 300 000 EUR

excluding VAT

Total value of the procurement:

Value: 296 650 EUR

excluding VAT

If annual or monthly value:

Number of years: 3

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

Section VI: Complementary information

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

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

Official name: General Court
Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald
Town: Luxembourg
Postal code: 2925
Country: Luxembourg
E-mail: generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu
Telephone: +352 4303-1
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Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: Same as above.

VI.3.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have as an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

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

VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

10.7.2014