

Belgium-Brussels: Operation of the Secretariat of the Initiative for Coal Regions in Transition in the Western Balkans and Ukraine

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, ENER — Energy, ENER.B.3 — Retail markets, consumers and local initiatives

Postal address: 24-26, rue Jean-André de Mot, Jean-André de Motstraat

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE10 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/ Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Postal code: B -1049

Country: Belgium

Contact person: Lapinova Jana

E-mail: ENER-B3-TENDERS@ec.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://ec.europa.eu/energy/>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=6452>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

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

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

Other activity: Energy

Section II: Object

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

Operation of the Secretariat of the Initiative for Coal Regions in Transition in the Western Balkans and Ukraine

Reference number: ENER/2020/OP/0007

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79412000 Financial management consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The subject matter of the contract is to setup a secretariat aimed at providing logistical support for the implementation of 5 components, such as create an open platform, building ties between EU coal regions and their counterparts in the Western Balkans and Ukraine through twinings, building capacity of relevant stakeholders in the Western Balkans and Ukraine on transition-related issues through an academy, providing technical assistance in the form of expert support to a limited number of pilot regions and helping coal regions accessing financing for transition projects or programmes.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 3 000 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

79421100 Project-supervision services other than for construction work, 79421200 Project-design services other than for construction work, 09242100 Coal oil

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The subject of this call for tenders is the operation of the secretariat of the initiative for coal regions in transition in the Western Balkans and Ukraine. Main task comprise:

- create an open platform allowing for a region-wide, multi-stakeholder dialogue and providing a space for sharing experience, knowledge and best practices on transition-related issues between coal regions in the Western Balkans and Ukraine;
- building ties between EU coal regions and their counterparts in the Western Balkans and Ukraine through twinings, as a way to foster exchanges and transfers of knowledge, experience and best practices on transition-related issues;
- building capacity of relevant stakeholders in the Western Balkans and Ukraine on transition-related issues through an academy providing dedicated trainings on governance, community engagement, environmental reclamation, repurposing of land and assets;
- providing technical assistance in the form of expert support to a limited number of pilot regions in the Western Balkans and Ukraine in order to develop transition roadmaps to be used and implemented by relevant public authorities;
- helping coal regions accessing financing for transition projects or programmes, based on various available sources, including from the European Commission, World Bank and European Bank for reconstruction and development.

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: 3 000 000,00 EUR

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

Duration in months: 36

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: yes

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

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**

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:
See internet address provided in Section I.3).

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2. Conditions related to the contract**III.2.2. Contract performance conditions**

See internet address provided in section i.3).

III.2.3. 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

Section IV: Procedure

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: 17/07/2020 Local time: 16:00

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

English

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

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 20/07/2020 Local time: 10:00

Place:

DG Energy, rue de Mot 24, 1049 Brussels, office 03/37

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: Tenderers may attend the opening of tenders but be represented by no more than 1 person. At the end of the opening session, the Chairman of the opening committee will indicate the name of the tenderers and the decision concerning the admissibility of each offer received. The price mentioned in the bids will not be communicated.

Section VI: Complementary information

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: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: The European Ombudsman

Postal address: 1 avenue du Président Robert Schuman, PO BOX 403

Town: Strasbourg

Postal code: 67001

Country: France

E-mail: eo@ombudsman.europa.eu

Telephone: +33 3881-72313

Internet address: <http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu>

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

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

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

28/05/2020