

**United Kingdom-London: Social research services**  
**OJ S 146/2016 30/07/2016**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Social Survey ERIC

Postal address: ESS ERIC HQ, c/o City University London, Northampton Square

Town: London

NUTS code: UKI12 Inner London - East

Postal code: EC1V 0HB

Country: United Kingdom

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Main address: [www.europeansocialsurvey.org](http://www.europeansocialsurvey.org)

Address of the buyer profile: [http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA36629](http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA36629)

**I.2. Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Other type: European Research Infrastructure Consortium

**I.5. Main activity**

Other activity: social survey

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1. Title**

European Social Survey ERIC Impact Study.

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

79315000 Social research services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

This study will assess the impact of the European Social Survey on academia, policy-making and policy-makers, professional practitioners and other groups outside academia from 2001-2016. The study will be focused within each of the current ESS ERIC member and observer countries but should also reflect more generally on the pan-European level.

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

This contract is divided into lots: no

#### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 350 000,00 EUR

### **II.2. Description**

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

79315000 Social research services

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

NUTS code: UKI12 Inner London - East

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

The Impact Study will be focused on each of the current ESS ERIC Member and Observer countries. The purpose of the study will be to:

- Identify and study specific academic, policy and practice impacts arising from ESS data in each country;
- Study the mechanisms through which impact has been achieved through the use of data by organisations and individuals in each country;
- Identify the range of organisations/individuals who have made use of the ESS, and the ways in which the data have been used;
- Study the role of Think Tanks, and other intermediaries, as transmission routes through which ESS data may have influenced policy in countries;
- Through comparative activity across countries, identify best practice and lessons for impact generation in research infrastructures like the ESS; and
- Critically reflect upon the methods used to assess and identify research infrastructure impact.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Ability to undertake project / Weighting: 16.66

Quality criterion - Name: Project management and/or supervision capacity / Weighting: 16.67

Quality criterion - Name: Adherence to timetable and turnaround / Weighting: 16.67

Quality criterion - Name: Experience of carrying out similar work, particularly for social science projects (ideally in a cross-national setting) / Weighting: 16.67

Quality criterion - Name: Ability of the contractor to ensure delivery of the report as outlined in the specification / Weighting: 16.66

Price - Weighting: 16.67

#### **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:  
yes

Identification of the project:

#### **II.2.14.**

## Additional information

### 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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2016/S 087-153307](#)

##### IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

##### IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

### Section V: Award of contract

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**Contract No:** 16/001

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

#### V.2. Award of contract

##### V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

04/07/2016

##### V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

##### V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Technopolis Ltd

Postal address: 3 Pavilion Buildings

Town: Brighton

NUTS code: UKJ21 Brighton and Hove

Postal code: BN1 1EE

Country: United Kingdom

Telephone: +44 1273204320

The contractor is an SME: yes

##### V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 350 000,00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 327 550,00 EUR

## **V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

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#### **VI.3. Additional information**

Only those tenders submitted by email will be accepted.

Email: [tenders@europeansocialsurvey.org](mailto:tenders@europeansocialsurvey.org)

(MT Ref: 180869).

#### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: European Social Survey ERIC

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

28/07/2016