

292263-2026 - Competition

Norway – Installation services of electrical equipment – 2026 Assembly of a grounding connection for composite water meters.

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Contract or concession notice – standard regime

Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Trondheim kommune

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Activity of the contracting entity: Water-related activities

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: 2026 Assembly of a grounding connection for composite water meters.

Description: Trondheim municipality, c/o Trondheim Bydrift (the contracting authority), invites tenderers to an open tender contest for a parallel framework agreement for the assembly of a earthing connection over composite water meters. The background is assembly of new remote-breeding water meters that require the establishment of a earthing chip to maintain electrical safety in the pipe network.

Procedure identifier: bcb15422-a45a-4461-b027-4529dfa25be3

Internal identifier: 2026/4140

Type of procedure: Open

The procedure is accelerated: yes

Justification for the accelerated procedure: The reason for the rush situation is that a lack of earthing connections poses a potential danger of electric shock and fire in the affected households.

Main features of the procedure: Inspections and possible improvements to earthing shall be carried out at approx. 13,000 installations. The contracting authority aims at ensuring the security measures. There is a minimum need for a total capacity of 8 installers, but the contracting authority reserves the right to increase the number of installers at award if political priorities and budgetary frameworks open for an accelerated project. The deadline is shortened pursuant to the utilities regulations § 16-2 (3). The reason for the rush situation is that a lack of earthing connections poses a potential danger of electric shock and fire in the affected households. Due to the citizens' lives and health, it is critical that the safeguards are implemented without undue delay.

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 51110000 Installation services of electrical equipment

Additional classification (cpv): 31000000 Electrical machinery, apparatus, equipment and consumables; lighting, 31200000 Electricity distribution and control apparatus, 31220000

Electrical circuit components, 31224000 Connections and contact elements, 31224400

Connection cables, 31224500 Terminals, 31300000 Insulated wire and cable, 31310000 Mains , 45300000 Building installation work, 45310000 Electrical installation work, 45311000

Electrical wiring and fitting work, 45311100 Electrical wiring work, 50711000 Repair and maintenance services of electrical building installations

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)

Country: Norway

Additional information: Assignment Area Trondheim municipality.

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 12 000 000,00 NOK

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Forsyningsforskriften - § 16-2. Minimum deadlines in an open tender contest (3) The contracting authority can shorten the tender deadline to at least 15 days if it is in urgent circumstances it will be impossible to comply with the deadline in the first paragraph.

2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: European Single Procurement Document (ESPD), Notice
Corruption: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a enforceable verdict has been convicted of corruption by a verdict handed down not more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Corruption as defined in Article 3 of the Convention on Combating Corruption, Involving European Communities or European Union Member States (EUT C 195 of 25.6.1997, s. 1), and in Article 2, point 1, in the Council's framework decision 2003/568/RIA of 22 July 2003 on combating corruption in the private sector (EUT L 192 of 31.7.2003, p. 54). This rejection reason also includes corruption as defined in national law for the contracting authority or supplier.

Fraud: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, at the time a legally convicted of fraud has been convicted of fraud by a verdict handed down not more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Fraud included in Article 1 of the Convention on protection of the Financial Interests of the European Communities (EFT C 316 of 27.11.1995, p. 48).

Money laundering or terrorist financing: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of money laundering or financing terrorism by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Money laundering or financing terrorism As defined in Article 1 of the European Parliament and Council Directive 2005/60/EF of 26 October 2005 on preventive measures against the use of the financial system for money laundering and financing terrorism (EUT L 309 of 25.11.2005, p. 15).

Participation in a criminal organisation: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, at the time a legally convicted verdict of participation in a criminal organisation by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Participation in a

criminal organisation as defined in Article 2 of the Council's framework decision 2008/841/RIA of 24 October 2008 on control of organised crime (EUT L 300 of 11.11.2008, p. 42)

Terrorist offences or offences linked to terrorist activities: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body, or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of acts of terrorism or criminal acts connected to terrorist activities by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Acts of terrorism or criminal acts relating to terrorist activity as defined in Article 1 and 3 of the Council's framework decision 2002/475/RIA of 13 June 2002 on combating terrorism (EFT L 164, af 22.6.2002, p. 3). This rejection reason also includes incitement to, participation or attempts to commit such actions as included in Article 4 in the mentioned framework decision.

Child labour and including other forms of trafficking in human beings: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of child labour and other forms of human trafficking by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Child labour and other forms of human trafficking as defined in Article 2 of the European Parliament and council directive 2011/36/EU of 5. 1 April 2011 on the prevention and control of human trafficking and the protection of its victims and for compensation of the Council's framework decision 2002/629/RIA (EUT L 101 of 15.4.2011, p. 1).

Breaching of obligations in the fields of environmental law: Is the tenderer aware of breaches of environmental provisions as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents or Article 18 (2) of Directive 2014/24/EU.

Breaching of obligations in the fields of labour law: Is the tenderer aware of breaches of provisions on working conditions as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents or Article 18 (2) of Directive 2014/24/EU.

Breaching of obligations in the fields of social law: Is the tenderer aware of breaches of provisions on social conditions as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents or Article 18 (2) of Directive 2014/24/EU.

Agreements with other economic operators aimed at distorting competition: Has the tenderer entered into agreement(s) with other tenderers with the intention of turning the competition?

Grave professional misconduct: Has the tenderer committed serious errors in professional practice? If relevant, see the definitions in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents.

Misrepresentation, withheld information, unable to provide required documents or obtained confidential information of this procedure: Have the tenderer: a) given grossly incorrect information when notifying the information required to verify that there is no basis for rejection, or of the qualification requirements being met, b) failed to provide such information, c) subject to immediately submitting the supporting documents requested by the Contracting Authority, or d) improperly affecting the Contracting Authority's decision process to acquire confidential information that could give this an unlawful advantage in connection with competition, or negligently has given misleading information that can have a significant influence on decisions on rejection, selection or award?

Conflict of interest due to its participation in the procurement procedure: Are tenderers aware of a conflict of interest as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents?

Direct or indirect involvement in the preparation of this procurement procedure: Has the tenderer or an entity associated with the supplier advised the contracting authority or in another way been involved in the planning of the competition?

Early termination, damages, or other comparable sanctions: Has the tenderer committed significant breaches of contract in connection with the fulfilment of a previous public contract, a previous contract with a public contracting authority or a previous concession contract, where the breach has led to the cancellation of the contract, compensation or other similar sanctions?

Breaching of obligations set under purely national exclusion grounds: The contracting authority shall state that in Norway there are national rejection reasons. These shall be described in the procurement documents. Tenderers must respond to whether they are in one or more of the situations described in the national rejection reasons. Will the purely national rejection reasons, as stated in the relevant notice or in the procurement documents, apply?

Breaching obligation relating to payment of social security contributions: Have tenderers failed to fulfil all their social security obligations in the country where they are established and in their member state, if this is a different country than what he is established in?

Breaching obligation relating to payment of taxes: Has the tenderer not fulfilled his tax and duty obligations in the country in which he is established, and in the contracting authority's member state, if this is a different country than what he is established in?

Business activities are suspended: Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Bankruptcy: Is the tenderer in a bankruptcy situation? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Arrangement with creditors: Is the supplier in a situation where he has been forced debt arrangement? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Insolvency: Is the tenderer in an insolvency situation? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Assets being administered by liquidator: Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Analogous situation like bankruptcy, insolvency or arrangement with creditors under national law: Is the supplier in a situation where he has been forced debt arrangement? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

5. Lot

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5.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)

Country: Norway

Additional information: Assignment Area Trondheim municipality.

5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 24 Months

5.1.4. Renewal

Maximum renewals: 1

Other information about renewals: One year on unchanged terms

5.1.5. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 12 000 000,00 NOK

5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation:

Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): no

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: European Single Procurement Document (ESPD), Notice, Procurement Document

Criterion: Enrolment in a trade register

Description of selection criterion: Tenderers are registered in a company register or a trade register in the member state in which the tenderer is established. As described in annex XI of directive 2014/24/EU; suppliers from certain member states may have to fulfil other requirements in the mentioned annex.

Criterion: Authorisation or membership of a particular organisation needed for service contracts
Description of selection criterion: Is a specific authorisation required from a particular organisation to provide the service in the tenderer's home country?

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Description of selection criterion: Is it necessary to have a particular membership in a particular organisation in order to provide the service in the tenderer's home country?

Criterion: General yearly turnover

Description of selection criterion: The tenderer's ("total") annual turnover for the number of financial years requested in the tender notice or in the procurement documents is as follows:
Minimum qualification requirements

Criterion: Professional risk indemnity insurance

Description of selection criterion: The insured amount in the tenderer's liability insurance is the following: Minimum qualification requirements

Criterion: Technicians or technical bodies for quality control

Description of selection criterion: Tenderers can use the following technical personnel or technical units, particularly those who are responsible for quality control: For technical personnel or technical units that do not directly belong to the tenderer's business, but if the capacity the tenderer will use, cf. part II, section C, separate ESPD forms shall be supplemented. Minimum qualification requirements Electro installers must have a relevant certificate of apprenticeship, and understand Norwegian orally because of communication needs with the house owner and contracting authority.

Criterion: Environmental management measures

Description of selection criterion: Tenderers can employ the following environmental management measures in connection with the execution of the contract: Minimum qualification requirements Environmental management system/standard Tenderers shall have a system and routines for reducing the most important environmental impact from their activities and shall use environmental management measures throughout the contract period. Therefore it is a requirement that the company has an environmental management system, such as Miljøfyrtårn, EMAS, ISO 14001 or equivalent. If the entire company is environmentally labelled with a type 1 environmental label, such as the Swan Ecolabel or equivalent, this is also approved. Documentation: Tenderers shall complete the attached Environmental Self-Declaration, as well as enclose a certificate of environmental management system.

Criterion: Average yearly manpower

Description of selection criterion: The tenderer's average annual workforce in the last three years has been as follows: Minimum qualification requirements

Criterion: Subcontracting proportion

Description of selection criterion: The tenderer is considering to outsource the following part (as a percentage) of the contract to sub-suppliers. Note that if the tenderer has decided to outsource a part of the contract to sub-suppliers and will use the sub-suppliers' capacity to carry out this part, a special ESPD will be supplemented for such sub-suppliers, see part II, section C, above. Minimum qualification requirements State the percentage distribution.

Criterion: Certificates by independent bodies about quality assurance standards

Description of selection criterion: Can tenderers submit certificates issued by independent bodies that document that the tenderer fulfils the stated quality assurance standards, including universal design requirements? Minimum qualification requirements Answer [Yes] or [No]. (Documentation is requested if needed)

Criterion: Certificates by independent bodies about environmental management systems or standards

Description of selection criterion: Is the tenderer able to submit certificates issued by independent bodies as documentation that the tenderer fulfils the stated environmental management systems or standards? Minimum qualification requirements Answer [Yes] or [No]. (Documentation is requested if needed)

5.1.10. Award criteria

Justification for not indicating the weighting of the award criteria: 100 % price

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: Norwegian

Deadline for requesting additional information: 13/05/2026 13:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT

Address of the procurement documents: <https://permalink.mercell.com/275738735.aspx>

Ad hoc communication channel:

Name: Mercel

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://permalink.mercell.com/275738735.aspx>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: Norwegian

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Advanced or qualified electronic signature or seal (as defined in Regulation (EU) No 910/2014) is required

Variants: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 20/05/2026 10:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT

Duration during which the tender must remain valid: 3 Months

Information about public opening:

Opening date: 20/05/2026 10:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Conditions relating to the performance of the contract: See contract

Financial arrangement: No

5.1.15. Techniques

Framework agreement:

Framework agreement, without reopening of competition

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: Trøndelag tingrett

Information about review deadlines: Statutory waiting period.

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Trondheim kommune

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: Trondheim kommune

Registration number: 942110464

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Town: TRONDHEIM

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Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)

Country: Norway

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Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Trøndelag tingrett

Registration number: 926722794

Town: Trondheim

Postcode: 7004

Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)

Country: Norway

Email: trondelag.tingrett@domstol.no

Telephone: +4773542400

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

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