

Belgium-Brussels: Framework Contract for the Establishment of an ESF+ Support Centre
OJ S 96/2023 19/05/2023
Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion (EMPL), EMPL.G.1 – European Social Fund +

Postal address: Rue Joseph II 27 (J-27)

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Postal code: 1000

Country: Belgium

Contact person: Head of Unit, Unit EMPL.G.1

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Internet address(es):

Main address: http://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/employment-social-affairs-and-inclusion_en

Address of the buyer profile: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=10882>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Framework Contract for the Establishment of an ESF+ Support Centre

Reference number: EMPL/2022/OP/0007

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

VT/2022/009 – see procurement documents.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: yes

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 12 000 000,00 EUR

II.2. Description

II.2.1. Title

Lot 1: General Support Services

Lot No: 1

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security,

75100000 Administration services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Main site or place of performance: Rue Joseph II 27 (J-27), 1000 Brussels, BELGIUM.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Framework contract for the establishment of an ESF+ Support Centre – general support services.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality of the analysis related to the assignment / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Quality of the proposed methodology / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Organisation of the work / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 30

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: ESF+ technical assistance (shared management strand).

II.2.14. Additional information

II.2. Description

II.2.1. Title

Lot 2: Specific Support Related to Simplified Cost Options, Financing not Linked to Costs and Simplification Measures for the ESF+

Lot No: 2

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security,

75100000 Administration services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Main site or place of performance: Rue Joseph II 27 (J-27), 1000 Brussels, BELGIUM.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Specific support related to simplified cost options, financing not linked to costs and simplification measures for the ESF+.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality of the analysis related to the assignment / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Quality of the proposed methodology / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Organisation of the work / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Quality assurance / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 30

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: ESF+ technical assistance (shared management strand).

II.2.14. Additional information

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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: [2022/S 146-416621](#)

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

Contract No: VC/2023/0036

Lot No: 1

Title:

Framework Contract for the Establishment of an ESF+ Support Centre – Lot 1: General Support Services

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

12/05/2023

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: ICF SA

National registration number: 82034731

Postal address: Avenue Marnix 17

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Postal code: 1000

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 9 500 000,00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 9 500 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 10 %

Section VI: Complementary information

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: L-2925

Country: Luxembourg

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

12/05/2023