

Norway-Oslo: IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Skatteetaten

National registration number: 974 761 076

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I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://tendsign.no/doc.aspx?UniqueId=afiopfpkqx&GoTo=Docs>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://tendsign.no/doc.aspx?UniqueId=afiopfpkqx&GoTo=Tender>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

20230017 Text handling tool for login services

Reference number: 2023/966

II.1.2. Main CPV code

72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The Altinn2 platform will be stopped in summer 2025, and the Norwegian Tax Administration would like to establish the services that are currently on Altinn2 to a separate platform before then. In order to administer texts at the frontend of these services, the Norwegian Tax Administration would like to procure a text handling tool for login services (the current skatteetaten.no is not part of this scope).

II.1.5. Estimated total value

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

48000000 Software package and information systems, 72200000 Software programming and consultancy services, 72222300 Information technology services, 72230000 Custom software development services, 72267100 Maintenance of information technology software, 72416000 Application service providers

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

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The aim of the procurement is the implementation, operation, administration, and further development of a new text handling tool, including the necessary infrastructure and software. This is to be delivered as a SaaS system. The identified need is for a simple CMS (typically headless first), which is suitable for setting up and administrating text content and Metadata connected to the text in the login public systems.

The estimated total contract value is between NOK 8 million and NOK 23 million, excluding VAT over 8 years. This value estimate is not a binding estimate for the contracting authority and is uncertain.

The Norwegian Tax Authority has no previous experience of what will be procured, which means that the estimate is uncertain.

Future value will depend on, amongst other things, development needs, the public's use of the services, and what type of systems the market can offer in the contest.

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: 23 000 000,00 NOK

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Six extensions, each for 12 months

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

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:

Requirement: The interested party must be a legally established company.

Documentation requirement • Norwegian tenderers: Company registration certificate from the Brønnøysund Register Centre.

Foreign Tenderers: Certificate for registration in the Register of Business Enterprises as prescribed in the legislation of the country in which the tenderer is established.

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Requirement: Tenderers must have sufficient economic ability to fulfil the contract.

Documentation requirement: Credit assessment from an approved credit institution. The evaluation shall be based on the last known fiscal figures with an indication of how the credit rating has evolved during the past three years. The key figures for liquidity and the equity ratio must be shown on the credit rating. If a tenderer has valid reasons as to why they cannot present this documentation, the tenderer can prove his economic and financial position by presenting the annual accounts from the last three known fiscal years.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Requirement: Tenderers must have experience in the last three years as a provider of equivalent services for minimum 2 other customers. Equivalent services means headless CMS in a major service offer to publicly published systems.

Documentation requirement:

A detailed account that proves that the tenderer fulfils all elements in the qualification requirement. The account shall, at a minimum, include a description of the contractual relationship that the tenderer is or has been a party to, which proves fulfilment of the qualification requirement, including information on

- the nature of the individual contracts (content in the delivery), scope and date the individual contracts were established.
- the name of the public or private contracting parties, as well as the name and contact information of a reference for the contract.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Competitive procedure with negotiation

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

IV.1.5. Information about negotiation

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: 26/06/2023 Local time: 12:00

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

Norwegian

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

Tender must be valid until: 01/01/2024

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

MerCell notice: <https://opic.com/id/afiopfpkqx>.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Oslo tingrett

Town: Oslo

Country: Norway

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

19/05/2023