

309228-2026 - Competition

Poland – Optical readers – Stationary document readers with warranty, training, and maintenance support

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Contract or concession notice – standard regime - Change notice

Supplies

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: European Border and Coast Guard Agency (FRONTEX)

Email: tender@frontex.europa.eu

Legal type of the buyer: EU institution, body or agency

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Stationary document readers with warranty, training, and maintenance support

Description: The purpose of this Framework Contract is to enhance border checks capabilities through the provision of stationary document readers, accompanied by comprehensive warranty, training, and maintenance support. This acquisition aims to support Frontex's efforts to strengthen border checks and law enforcement cooperation in targeted regions, providing the necessary tools and expertise for effective and efficient operation of document reading systems. All details are specified in the Technical Specifications chapter and Tender Specification document. Technical capacities of Western Balkan partners to conduct border checks and border surveillance are increased. The following activities will be implemented under output 2.2:

2.2.1 Coordination of equipment donation among EU actors and Member States To avoid overlaps with deliveries of other border management equipment funded by the EU, Frontex will organise regular exchanges at working-level with the Commission, Member States and the EU Delegations on equipment needs, as well as to ensure close coordination of planned supplies. This will be done via regular exchanges, in particular with relevant beneficiaries prior to any equipment being purchased and supplied.

2.2.2 Procurement of technical equipment for border checks In parallel to the rollout of training, Frontex will, in consultation with its Western Balkan partners and based on its expertise on state-of-the-art technology, procure technical equipment to improve the border checks' performance. These might include videoscopes, detectors, portable ID readers and other devices allowing for more efficient check-ups of vehicles, goods and people. The procurement of the equipment will take place at a later stage of the project, after thorough, evidence-based assessment. Supply of equipment will be closely coordinated with necessary trainings to ensure its proper use, as well as sustainability of the equipment beyond project implementation.

2.2.3 Procurement of technical equipment for border surveillance By the same token as for border checks, Frontex will procure equipment for border surveillance. This might include googles, binoculars, infrared cameras, etc. The procurement of the equipment will take place at a later stage of the project, after thorough, evidence-based assessment. Supply of equipment will be closely coordinated with necessary trainings to ensure its proper use, as well as sustainability of the equipment beyond project implementation.

Procedure identifier: 58506bb5-e2c7-455b-a82b-54bccc703499

Internal identifier: FRONTEX/2026/OP/0016

Type of procedure: Open

The procedure is accelerated: no

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Main classification (cpv): 30216100 Optical readers

2.1.2. Place of performance

Anywhere in the European Economic Area

Additional information: Please consult the procurement documents.

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 300 000,00 EUR

2.1.4. General information

Additional information: In case of unavailability or disruptions in the functioning of the electronic means of communication provided in Section 5.1.11 in the last 5 calendar days before the time limit for receipt indicated in Section 5.1.12, the contracting authority reserves the right to extend this time limit and publish the extension at the Internet address provided in Section 5.1.11, without a preceding publication of a corrigendum to this notice. Economic operators interested in this procurement are invited to subscribe to the call for tenders at the address in Section 5.1.11 in order to get notified when new information or documents are published.

Legal basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509

2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: Procurement Document

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0001

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5.1.2. Place of performance

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Additional information: Please consult the procurement documents.

5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 48 Months

5.1.4. Renewal

Maximum renewals: 2

Other information about renewals: The framework contract is concluded for an initial period of 24 (twenty-four) months, renewable 2 (two) time(s). Please consult the draft framework contract in the procurement documents.

5.1.5. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 300 000,00 EUR

5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation:

Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project fully or partially financed with EU Funds.

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

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Procurement Document

5.1.10. Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Quality

Description: Please consult the procurement documents.

Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)

Award criterion number: 60

Criterion:

Type: Price

Description: Please consult the procurement documents.

Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)

Award criterion number: 40

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Deadline for requesting additional information: 15/05/2026 23:59:59 (UTC+02:00) Eastern European Time, Central European Summer Time

Address of the procurement documents: <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/tender-details/58506bb5-e2c7-455b-a82b-54bcc703499-CN?#anchorDocuments>

Ad hoc communication channel:

Name: Funding and Tenders Portal

URL: <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/tender-details/58506bb5-e2c7-455b-a82b-54bcc703499-CN?#anchorDocuments>

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/digit/opsys/esubmission?cftUuid=58506bb5-e2c7-455b-a82b-54bcc703499>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English, Spanish, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swedish

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 25/05/2026 23:59:59 (UTC+02:00) Eastern European Time, Central European Summer Time

Duration during which the tender must remain valid: 6 Months

Information about public opening:

Opening date: 26/05/2026 11:00:00 (UTC+02:00) Eastern European Time, Central European Summer Time

Terms of contract:

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

Electronic invoicing: Allowed

Electronic ordering will be used: yes

Electronic payment will be used: yes

5.1.15. Techniques

Framework agreement:

Framework agreement, without reopening of competition

Maximum number of participants: 1

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: Court of Justice of the European Union

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: European Border and Coast Guard Agency (FRONTEX)

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: European Border and Coast Guard Agency (FRONTEX)

Registration number: FRONTEX

Department: FRONTEX.MB.AD - AGENCY DIRECTORATE,FRONTEX.MB - MANAGEMENT BOARD,FRONTEX.MB.AD.STRAT - Strategy, Governance and External Relations Division, FRONTEX.MB.AD.STRAT.ICU - International Cooperation Unit

Postal address: Plac Europejski 6

Town: Warsaw

Postcode: PL-00-844

Country subdivision (NUTS): Miasto Warszawa (PL911)

Country: Poland

Email: tender@frontex.europa.eu

Telephone: +48 22 544 95 00

Internet address: <https://www.frontex.europa.eu/>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Court of Justice of the European Union

Registration number: CURIA

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postcode: L-2925

Country subdivision (NUTS): Luxembourg (LU000)

Country: Luxembourg

Email: GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: European Commission

Registration number: EUCOM

Postal address: Mondrian (CDMA), Rue du Champ de Mars 21

Town: Brussels

Postcode: B-1050

Country subdivision (NUTS): Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad (BE100)

Country: Belgium

Email: tender@frontex.europa.eu

Telephone: +32 2 299 11 11

Internet address: <https://commission.europa.eu/>

Roles of this organisation:

TED eSender

10. Change

Version of the previous notice to be changed

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Main reason for change

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Information updated

Description

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Due to the large number of questions and the time required to prepare the answers, the deadline has been extended

Notice information

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