

Norway-Oslo: Research and development services and related consultancy services

OJ S 110/2022 09/06/2022

Contract award notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

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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**

Evaluation of initiatives aimed at persons in the relevant area in Finnmark and North Troms

Reference number: 22/1999

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

KDD would like to evaluate the initiatives aimed at persons in the relevant area in Finnmark and North Troms. The initiatives are to be evaluated so that it is possible to see how they

together and separately contribute to the goals for the initiative area. The contracting authority is to propose any adjustments of existing initiatives and point out any other measures that can contribute to reaching the goals in a more accurate and efficient way.

The initiative area was established in 1990 as an answer to the many crises in the region, and to redress high unemployment and general poor living conditions. It must be an attractive region to live, work, and run a business in.

The most important initiatives are schemes in personal taxation, low rates, and exemptions for electricity duty and depreciation of study loans. They were last evaluated in 2012.

Differentiated payroll tax was last evaluated in 2018, and is not part of this assignment other than it will be natural to see how the schemes aimed at persons work together with the reduced payroll tax.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 1 675 000,00 NOK

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73200000 Research and development consultancy services, 73210000 Research consultancy services, 73220000 Development consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The Ministry of Local Government and Regional Development (KDD) would like to evaluate the initiatives aimed at persons in the relevant area in Finnmark and North Troms. The initiatives are to be evaluated so that it is possible to see how they together and separately contribute to the goals for the initiative area. In addition, the tenderer is to propose any adjustments to the existing initiatives and point out any other measures that can contribute to reaching the goals in a more accurate and efficient way.

The initiative area for Finnmark and North Troms was established in 1990 as an answer to the many crises in the region, and to redress high unemployment and general poor living conditions. The initiative area must be an attractive region to live, work, and run a business in. These goals have been standing since the initiative area was established.

The most important initiatives aimed at persons are schemes in personal taxation, low rates, and exemption for electricity duty and depreciation of study loans.

The initiatives aimed at persons in the initiative area were last evaluated in 2012. The most important initiative in the initiative area, differentiated payroll tax, was last evaluated in 2018, and is not part of this assignment other than it will be natural to see how the schemes aimed at persons work together with the reduced payroll tax.

The assignment consists of the following deliveries:

- Up to three meetings with the assignment's reference group, where the tenderer presents provisional findings and facilitates discussions and sharing of experiences with the reference group.
- A draft of the final report is to be submitted in word format on 15 October 2022. The draft must cover all analyses, assessments of the results, and answers to the evaluation questions.

- The final version of the final report is to be submitted by 1 December 2022. The contracting authority will be free to use the report and publish it on regjeringen.no. The final report must also include a summary in English and Sami.

- Two physical presentations of the main findings and recommendations in the government quarter and one presentation in North Norway.

The estimated contract value is NOK 1.8 million excluding VAT.

For a more detailed description of the assignment, see annex 1 of the contract (the contracting authority's description of the assignment).

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Expertise of the offered personnel. / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Assignment comprehension / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 20

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 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

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 060-159144](#)

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: 1

Title:

Evaluation of initiatives aimed at persons in the relevant area in Finnmark and North Troms

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

01/06/2022

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Vista Analyse AS

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NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

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The contractor is an SME: no

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

Total value of the contract/lot: 1 675 000,00 NOK

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**Section VI: Complementary information**

VI.3. Additional information**VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

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VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

Town: Oslo

Country: Norway

VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: Kommunal- og distriktsdepartementet

Town: Oslo

Country: Norway

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

04/06/2022

