

Belgium-Brussels: Framework contract for the recognition of equivalence of supply chain due diligence schemes under the Regulation (EU)2017/821 (conflict minerals)

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Trade, Directorate G — Trade Strategy and Analysis, Market Access

Postal address: Charlemagne Building, rue de la Loi 170

Town: Brussels

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

Postal code: B-1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: trade-contracts@ec.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: <http://ec.europa.eu/trade/trade-policy-and-you/calls-for-tender/>

Address of the buyer profile: <http://ec.europa.eu/trade/trade-policy-and-you/calls-for-tender/>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=3822>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

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 recognition of equivalence of supply chain due diligence schemes under the Regulation (EU)2017/821 (conflict minerals)

Reference number: TRADE2018/G3/G09

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79400000 Business and management consultancy and related services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Framework contract to cover services supporting the Commission for the recognition of equivalence of supply chain due diligence schemes under Regulation (EU) 2017/821 (also known as the Conflict Minerals Regulation).

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 600 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

79400000 Business and management consultancy and related services

II.2.3. Place of performance

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

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Framework contract to cover services supporting the Commission for the recognition of equivalence of supply chain due diligence schemes under Regulation (EU) 2017/821 (also know as the Conflict Minerals Regulation).

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: 600 000,00 EUR

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:

The FWC is renewed automatically once for another 24 months unless one of the parties receives formal notification to the contrary at least three months before the end of the ongoing duration.

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

See Internet address provided in Section I.3

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:

Please see internet address provided in Section I.3.

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2. Contract performance conditions

See internet address provided in Section I.3.

III.2.3. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

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

Framework agreement with a single operator

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: 04/10/2018 Local time: 15:00

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

Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English, Spanish, Estonian, Finnish, French, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swedish

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

Duration in months: 9 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 09/10/2018 Local time: 10:00

Place:

Charlemagne Building, rue de la Loi 170, 1040 Brussels, Belgium

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: A maximum of 2 representatives per tender can attend the opening of tenders. The tenderer must provide the full name, date of birth, nationality and ID or passport number of the representatives at least 2 working days in advance to: TRADE-CONTRACTS@ec.europa.eu. See internet address provided in Section I.3.

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: General Court

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: GeneralCourt.Registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 43031

Fax: +352 43032100

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

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

See Internet address provided in Section I.3.

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

19/07/2018