

Germany-Cologne: Contract Amendment N° 1 to Framework Contract EASA.2015.FC45 for the support of the EU-China Aviation Partnership Project

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Contract award notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Aviation Safety Agency

Postal address: Konrad-Adenauer-Ufer 3

Town: Cologne

NUTS code: DEA23 Köln, Kreisfreie Stadt

Postal code: 50668

Country: Germany

E-mail: tenders@easa.europa.eu**Internet address(es):**Main address: <http://www.easa.europa.eu/the-agency>**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

Other activity: Aviation Safety, Environment

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

Contract Amendment N° 1 to Framework Contract EASA.2015.FC45 for the support of the EU-China Aviation Partnership Project

Reference number: EASA.2018.HVP.14

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73200000 Research and development consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

In 2015, and in support of international cooperation activities, the Agency launched an exceptional negotiated procedure EASA.2015.HVP.24 to secure a contract partner to provide high quality services on behalf of the Agency for the benefit of the EU-China Aviation partnership project.

As a result framework contract (FWC) EASA.2015.FC45 was concluded with the European Chamber of Commerce in China (EUCCC) for 4 500 000 EUR on 27.1.2016.

Due to their unique position to represent and include European industry, and in order to benefit from the support and contributions of industry in the context of the project, the EUCCC (through this FWC) has proven to be an instrumental tool in ensuring the implementation of the EU-China Aviation partnership project assigned to the Agency by the European Commission (EC).

To ensure continuity of the support until the end of the project the contract budget ceiling needs to be increased by means of a contract amendment.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 6 280 000,00 EUR

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73210000 Research consultancy services, 73220000 Development consultancy services, 79400000 Business and management consultancy and related services, 79410000 Business and management consultancy services, 79411000 General management consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: DEA23 Köln, Kreisfreie Stadt

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The project will support the safe and sustained development of aviation in this fast growing region. This intent is met by repeated calls from European industry for a stronger presence of a united Europe, to promote our Aviation expertise. The EU-China APP will be funded by the Commission service for Foreign policy instruments (FPI) through the newly established Partnership instrument, a tool established by the European Parliament and Council in 2014 to promote EU interest with important partner countries and regions.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Strategy and approach / Weighting: 35

Quality criterion - Name: Organisation of the work and project / Weighting: 35

Quality criterion - Name: Composition of project team and management of expertise / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 0

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: EU-China Aviation Partnership Project

II.2.14. Additional information

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union in the cases listed below

- New works/services, constituting a repetition of existing works/services and ordered in accordance with the strict conditions stated in the directive

Explanation:

The services to be performed consist of repeated similar services as those entrusted through the original contract, and remain within the scope of the basic project for which the contract was awarded. In addition the duration of this contract was set to 5 years to ensure support throughout the whole project and no change to the contract duration will result from this procedure.

The possibility of extending the contract for the repetition of similar services through an exceptional negotiated procedure was announced in the initial tender (Part II, Section 1.11). The amendment was signed within the 3 years after signature of the framework contract.

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: no

IV.2. Administrative information

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: EASA.2015.FC45.AM01

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

07/08/2018

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: European Union Chamber of Commerce in China

Town: Beijing

NUTS code: 00 Other or Not Specified

Country: China

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Total value of the contract/lot: 6 280 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

You may submit any observations concerning the award procedure to the Contracting Authority indicated under Heading I.1. If you believe that there was maladministration, you may lodge a complaint to the European Ombudsman within 2 years of the date when you became aware of the facts on which the complaint is based (see <http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu>). Such complaint does not have as an effect either to suspend the time-limit to launch an appeal or to open a new period for lodging an appeal. Within two months of the notification of the award decision you may lodge an appeal to the body referred to in VI.4.1.

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

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

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

13/08/2018