

**B-Brussels: trade sustainability impact assessment in support of negotiations of a deep and comprehensive free trade area between the European Union and the Republic of Armenia**

OJ S 228/2012 27/11/2012

Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Trade, Directorate A — Resources, Information and Policy Coordination

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**Internet address(es):**

General address of the contracting authority: <http://ec.europa.eu/trade/about/procurement/calls-for-tender/>

**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.3. Main activity**

General public services

Economic and financial affairs

Other: Trade policy

**I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

**Section II: Object of the contract**

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**II.1. Description****II.1.1. Title**

Trade sustainability impact assessment in support of negotiations of a deep and comprehensive free trade area between the European Union and the Republic of Armenia.

**II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery**

Services

Service category No 11: Management consulting services [6] and related services

NUTS code

**II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)**

#### **II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

Trade sustainability impact assessment in support of negotiations of a deep and comprehensive free trade area between the European Union and the Republic of Armenia.

#### **II.1.5. CPV code(s)**

79419000 Evaluation consultancy services

#### **II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

### **II.2. Total value of the contract/lot**

#### **II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot**

Value: 185 146 EUR  
excluding VAT

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

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Open

### **IV.2. Award criteria**

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Coherence of the proposed team — in particular, the variety and the range of skills at its disposal, and the total amount of time that will be put into the project by the team while differentiating between amounts of time allocated to the team leader, senior and junior experts. Weighting 35

2. Quality of work plan and methodology consisting of: (a) quality of work plan, including subsequent steps, timetable and outputs, so as to deliver, on time, credible, coherent and reliable data and comprehensive information; (b) methodology, understanding of objectives and tasks, in particular quality of the quantitative and qualitative research method proposed for the economic, social, and environmental analysis. Weighting 45

3. Reliability and appropriateness of proposed local contacts, both in EU-27 and notably, in Armenia. The offer should clearly explain how the local partner in Armenia has been selected, and should outline the role of the local partner in respect of: labour market and decent work analysis; development and subsequent implementation of the stakeholder consultation plan, including organisation of the local workshop; and review of the proposed flanking measures. Weighting 15

4. Quality of arrangements put in place for management of the project and coordination of the team meeting the requirements indicated in the ToR under point 5.1 'Organisation of work — team management'. Weighting 5

#### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction has been used: no

### **IV.3. Administrative information**

#### **IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

#### **IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

## Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2012/S 120-198094](#) of 26.6.2012

### Section V: Award of contract

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Contract No: SI2.634058

**V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

22.10.2012

**V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 3

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Ecorys Nederland BV

Postal address: Watermanweg 44

Town: Rotterdam

Postal code: 3067 GG

Country: Netherlands

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Telephone: +31 104538800

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**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 200 000 EUR

excluding VAT

Total value of the procurement:

Value: 185 146 EUR

excluding VAT

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: yes

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties:

Not known

### Section VI: Complementary information

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**VI.1. Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:

no

**VI.2. Additional information**

**VI.3. Procedures for review**

**VI.3.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

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**VI.3.2. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Within 2 months of the plaintiff's being notified, or failing this, of the date on which he became aware thereof. A complaint made to the European Ombudsman will neither cause this period to be suspended nor a new period for lodging appeals to begin.

**VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

**VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice**

15.11.2012