

**Belgium-Brussels: Perception survey on Cross-Border Cooperation in the EU 2020**

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Contract notice

Services

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Commission, General Directorate Regional and Urban Policy

Postal address: TA Cell BU-1 00/184

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

Contact person: DG REGIO.A3 - Budget and Financial Management

E-mail: [REGIO-CONTRACTS@ec.europa.eu](mailto:REGIO-CONTRACTS@ec.europa.eu)**Internet address(es):**Main address: [http://ec.europa.eu/regional\\_policy/index\\_en.cfm](http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/index_en.cfm)**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=5311>

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**

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

Perception survey on Cross-Border Cooperation in the EU 2020

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

Study on the perception of cross-border cooperation in the European Union (EU) among the population of citizens living in border areas.

The goal is to identify and map people's perceptions of EU cross-border activities and the levels of mutual trust by exploring a range of issues:

- Awareness of cross-border cooperation programmes running in the respondent's area,
- Travel abroad in general, and to partner country in particular,
- Reasons for travelling across the border,
- General level of trust, and, more specifically, attitudes towards citizens of neighbouring countries in specific social categories or situations (work, family, neighbours),
- The border as an opportunity or an obstacle,
- Specific obstacles to cross-border cooperation between border regions.

#### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 550 000,00 EUR

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

79410000 Business and management consultancy services

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: 00 Other or Not Specified

Main site or place of performance: Contractors' premises.

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

The tasks of this contract are:

- Survey Design,
- Data Collection and Analysis,
- Reporting of the survey.

#### **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: 550 000,00 EUR

#### **II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 10

This contract is subject to renewal: no

#### **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:  
yes

Identification of the project: The list of INTERREG Programmes and sample size per programme is annexed to the tender specifications part II.

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

## Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

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### III.1. Conditions for participation

#### 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.2.3. 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

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### 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.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 30/09/2019 Local time: 16:00

#### 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, Irish, 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: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 02/10/2019 Local time: 10:00

Place:

European Commission, DG REGIO, avenue Beaulieu No 5, 1160 Auderghem, BELGIUM (métro Demey).

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: See Point 3.2 of the invitation letter.

## Section VI: Complementary information

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**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](mailto:generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu)

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Fax: +352 4303-2100

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

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

Official name: European Commission, Directorate General for Regional and Urban Policy, Unit Budget and Financial Management

Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: [regio-contracts@ec.europa.eu](mailto:regio-contracts@ec.europa.eu)

**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

09/08/2019