

426027-2026 - Competition

Finland, Sweden, Estonia – Ships – Offshore cable handling and repair equipment /Request to Participate

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Contract or concession notice – standard regime

Supplies

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: National emergency supply agency of Finland/ Huoltovarmuuskeskus

Email: kirjaamo@nesa.fi

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Post- och telestyrelsen

Email: pts@pts.se

The buyer is a contracting entity

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Official name: Elering AS

Email: info@elering.ee

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2. Procedure

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Title: Offshore cable handling and repair equipment /Request to Participate

Description: The Finnish National Emergency Supply Agency (hereafter NESAs) is seeking a reliable and experienced partner for manufacturing and supplying a modular offshore cable handling and repair equipment. The partner has equipped at least 3 vessels of opportunity (not originally built to be a cable repair vessel) with comparable cable repair equipment. We kindly request your participation to tendering process based on the technical and commercial requirements described in this document. NESAs has begun a project for establishing a modular performance for undersea cable work and repair performance to be used in Baltic Sea to enable performance to repair and maintain subsea cables in the Baltic and Bothnic region using stateowned equipment. NESAs is establishing a joint consortium with main participants; Post- och telestyrelsen, Sweden and Elering AS, Estonia. Other participants are Cinia Oy, Affärsverket Svenska Kraftnät, Kliimaministerium and Justiits- ja Digiministerium. The philosophy of the system and its performance is to purchase a storable and modular equipment and system which shall be located and stored in Finland and ready to be installed onboard an offshore construction or a support vessel on a Finnish shipyard or harbor facility in quick timeline. This is a negotiation procedure and in the first stage, the bidders selected for the first call for tenders round are selected. If there are more than 5 applications that meet the requirements, the candidates who will proceed will be selected based on the scores. In the second stage the selection criterion for the request for quotation is the best price-quality ratio. Price weight will be 60-80 % and quality weight (within quality requirements) 20-40 %. The procurement is conditional until it is known whether EU funding will be available for the procurement. Estimated time when the matter will be resolved is autumn 2026. However NESAs can also choose to continue the procurement process without the funding.

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Internal identifier: 616160

Type of procedure: Negotiated with prior publication of a call for competition / competitive with negotiation

The procedure is accelerated: yes

Justification for the accelerated procedure: An unstable security environment and that's why forwarding with an accelerated procurement process.

Main features of the procedure: This is an accelerated procedure. Request to participate is shorter to enable longer time for submitting the offer in the second stage.

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Main classification (cpv): 34510000 Ships

Additional classification (cpv): 32520000 Telecommunications cable and equipment

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Helsinki-Uusimaa (F11B1)

Country: Finland

Additional information: in Baltic Sea

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2009/81/EC

Applicable cross-border law: Act on Public Contracts in the Fields of Defence and Security (Finnish law 1531/2011).

2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: European Single Procurement Document (ESPD), Notice, Procurement Document

Corruption: The economic operator itself or any person who is a member of its administrative, management or supervisory body or has powers of representation, decision or control therein has been the subject of a conviction by final judgment for corruption, by a conviction rendered at the most five years ago or in which an exclusion period set out directly in the conviction continues to be applicable.

Fraud: The economic operator itself or any person who is a member of its administrative, management or supervisory body or has powers of representation, decision or control therein has been the subject of a conviction by final judgment for fraud, by a conviction rendered at the most five years ago or in which an exclusion period set out directly in the conviction continues to be applicable.

Money laundering or terrorist financing: The economic operator itself or any person who is a member of its administrative, management or supervisory body or has powers of representation, decision or control therein has been the subject of a conviction by final judgment for money laundering or terrorist financing, by a conviction rendered at the most five years ago or in which an exclusion period set out directly in the conviction continues to be applicable.

Participation in a criminal organisation: The economic operator itself or any person who is a member of its administrative, management or supervisory body or has powers of representation, decision or control therein has been the subject of a conviction by final judgment for participation in a criminal organisation, by a conviction rendered at the most five years ago or in which an exclusion period set out directly in the conviction continues to be applicable.

Terrorist offences or offences linked to terrorist activities: The economic operator itself or any person who is a member of its administrative, management or supervisory body or has powers of representation, decision or control therein has been the subject of a conviction by final judgment for terrorist offences or offences linked to terrorist activities, by a conviction rendered at the most five years ago or in which an exclusion period set out directly in the conviction continues to be applicable.

Child labour and including other forms of trafficking in human beings: The economic operator itself or any person who is a member of its administrative, management or supervisory body or has powers of representation, decision or control therein has been the subject of a conviction by final judgment for child labour and other forms of trafficking in human beings, by a conviction rendered at the most five years ago or in which an exclusion period set out directly in the conviction continues to be applicable.

Breaching of obligations in the fields of environmental law: The economic operator has breached its obligations in the field of environmental law.

Breaching of obligations in the fields of labour law: The economic operator has breached its obligations in the field of labour law.

Breaching of obligations in the fields of social law: The economic operator has breached its obligations in the field of social law.

Agreements with other economic operators aimed at distorting competition: The economic operator has entered into agreements with other economic operators aimed at distorting competition.

Grave professional misconduct: The economic operator is guilty of grave professional misconduct.

Misrepresentation, withheld information, unable to provide required documents or obtained confidential information of this procedure: The economic operator can confirm that: a) It has been guilty of serious misrepresentation in supplying the information required for the verification of the absence of grounds for exclusion or the fulfilment of the selection criteria, b) It has withheld such information, c) It has not been able, without delay, to submit the supporting documents required by a contracting authority or contracting entity, and d) It has undertaken to unduly influence the decision making process of the contracting authority or contracting entity, to obtain confidential information that may confer upon it undue advantages in the procurement procedure or to negligently provide misleading information that may have a material influence on decisions concerning exclusion, selection or award.

Conflict of interest due to its participation in the procurement procedure: The economic operator is aware of any conflict of interest, as indicated in national law, the relevant notice or the procurement documents due to its participation in the procurement procedure.

Direct or indirect involvement in the preparation of this procurement procedure: The economic operator or an undertaking related to it has advised the contracting authority or contracting entity or otherwise been involved in the preparation of the procurement procedure.

Early termination, damages, or other comparable sanctions: The economic operator has experienced that a prior public contract, a prior contract with a contracting entity or a prior concession contract was terminated early, or that damages or other comparable sanctions were imposed in connection with that prior contract.

Breaching of obligations set under purely national exclusion grounds: Any person who is a member of the economic operator's administrative, management or supervisory body or has powers of representation, decision or control therein has been the subject of a conviction by final judgment for work safety offence, working hours offence, work discrimination, extortionate work discrimination, violation of the right to organise or unauthorised use of foreign labour.

Breaching obligation relating to payment of social security contributions: The economic operator has breached its obligations relating to the payment social security contributions, both

in the country in which it is established and in Member State of the contracting authority or contracting entity if other than the country of establishment.

Breaching obligation relating to payment of taxes: The economic operator has breached its obligations relating to the payment of taxes, both in the country in which it is established and in Member State of the contracting authority or contracting entity if other than the country of establishment.

Business activities are suspended: The business activities of the economic operator are suspended.

Bankruptcy: The economic operator is bankrupt.

Arrangement with creditors: The economic operator is in arrangement with creditors.

Insolvency: The economic operator is the subject of insolvency or winding-up.

Assets being administered by liquidator: The assets of the economic operator are being administered by a liquidator or by the court.

Analogous situation like bankruptcy, insolvency or arrangement with creditors under national law: The economic operator is in any analogous situation like bankruptcy arising from a similar procedure under national laws and regulations.

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0000

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5.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Helsinki-Uusimaa (FI1B1)

Country: Finland

Additional information: in Baltic Sea

5.1.3. Estimated duration

Start date: 01/11/2026

Duration end date: 30/11/2027

5.1.4. Renewal

Maximum renewals: 0

5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation:

Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project fully or partially financed with EU Funds.

This procurement is also suitable for small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs): yes

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: European Single Procurement Document (ESPD), Notice, Procurement Document

Criterion: Measures for ensuring quality

Description of selection criterion: The details are shown in the request to participate.

The criteria will be used to select the candidates to be invited for the second stage of the procedure

Information about the second stage of a two-stage procedure:

Maximum number of candidates to be invited for the second stage of the procedure: 5

The procedure will take place in successive stages. At each stage, some participants may be eliminated

5.1.10. Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Quality

Description: 1 point/reference that exceeds the minimum requirement (and the calculation is done from absolute points)

Category of award weight criterion: Weight (points, exact)

Award criterion number: 100

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Deadline for requesting additional information: 25/06/2026 09:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT

Address of the procurement documents: <https://tarjouspalvelu.fi/huoltovarmuuskeskus?id=616160&tpk=4e88567c-e8ed-4196-bfc7-6d9dfdf2c1fe>

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Obligatory indication of subcontracting: The share of the contract that the tenderer intends to subcontract

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://tarjouspalvelu.fi/huoltovarmuuskeskus?id=616160&tpk=4e88567c-e8ed-4196-bfc7-6d9dfdf2c1fe>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Description of the financial guarantee: The details will be clarified in the contract.

Deadline for receipt of requests to participate: 06/07/2026 09:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Conditions relating to the performance of the contract: The details will be clarified in the contract.

A non-disclosure agreement is required: yes

Financial arrangement: The details will be clarified in the contract.

Subcontracting:

The contractor must indicate any change of subcontractors during the execution of the contract.

5.1.15. Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: Markkinaoikeus

Information about review deadlines: immediately after the participation applications submitted.

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: National emergency supply agency of Finland/ Huoltovarmuuskeskus

Registration number: 0202419-6

Postal address: Aleksanterinkatu 48 A

Town: Helsinki

Postcode: 00100

Country subdivision (NUTS): Helsinki-Uusimaa (FI1B1)

Country: Finland

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Email: kirjaamo@nesa.fi

Telephone: +358 295051000

Internet address: <http://www.huoltovarmuuskeskus.fi>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Group leader

Central purchasing body acquiring supplies and/or services intended for other buyers

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Markkinaoikeus

Registration number: 3006157-6

Postal address: Radanrakentajantie 5

Town: Helsinki

Postcode: 00520

Country subdivision (NUTS): Helsinki-Uusimaa (FI1B1)

Country: Finland
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Telephone: +358 295643300
Internet address: <https://www.markkinaoikeus.fi>

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: Post- och telestyrelsen
Town: Stockholm
Postcode: 10232
Country subdivision (NUTS): Stockholms län (SE110)
Country: Sweden
Email: pts@pts.se
Telephone: 08-678 55 00

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

8.1. ORG-0004

Official name: Elering AS
Town: Tallinn
Postcode: 12915
Country subdivision (NUTS): Põhja-Eesti (EE001)
Country: Estonia
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Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

8.1. ORG-0005

Official name: Hansel Oy (Hilma)
Registration number: FI09880841
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Town: Helsinki
Postcode: 00100
Country subdivision (NUTS): Helsinki-Uusimaa (FI1B1)
Country: Finland
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Telephone: 029 55 636 30
Internet address: <http://hankintailmoitukset.fi>

Roles of this organisation:

TED eSender

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