

**Ireland-Dublin: Broadcast services to provide EU-related news for local and community radio stations in Ireland — PO/2015-25/DUB**

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Contract 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 Communication, Representation in Ireland

Postal address: 12–14 Lower Mount Street

Town: Dublin 2

Postal code: D02 W710

Country: Ireland

For the attention of: Ruth Deasy

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**Internet address(es):**

General address of the contracting authority: [http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/communication/contracts-and-grants/contracts/representations/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/communication/contracts-and-grants/contracts/representations/index_en.htm)

Electronic access to information: [http://ec.europa.eu/ireland/tenders\\_and\\_grants/dublin-rep-tenders/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/ireland/tenders_and_grants/dublin-rep-tenders/index_en.htm)

**Additional information can be obtained from:**

the abovementioned address

**Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:**

the abovementioned address

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

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

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.3. Main activity**

General public services

**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 attributed to the contract by the contracting authority**

Broadcast services to provide EU-related news for local and community radio stations in Ireland — PO/2015-25/DUB.

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

Services

Service category No 27: Other services

Main site or place of performance: Ireland.  
NUTS code IE Éire / Ireland

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

The notice involves a public contract

**II.1.4. Information about framework agreement**

**II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

The aim of this contract is to supply the Commission with services enabling it to provide local radio stations and community radio stations with information on the Commission's activities, objectives and policies in order to make them better known to the general public via radio.

**II.1.6. CPV code(s)**

64228200 Radio broadcast transmission services

**II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

**II.1.8. Lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

**II.1.9. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

**II.2. Scope of the procurement**

**II.2.1. Total quantity or scope**

Maximum 160 000 EUR over 4 years.

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 120 000 and 160 000 EUR

**II.2.2. Information about options**

Options: no

**II.2.3. Information about renewals**

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Number of possible renewals: 3

**II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion**

Duration in months: 12 (from the award of the contract)

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

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**III.1. Conditions related to the contract**

**III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required**

Not applicable.

**III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them**

Not applicable.

**III.1.3.**

**Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded**

Not applicable.

**III.1.4. Contract performance conditions**

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

**III.2. Conditions for participation**

**III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions: See tender specifications.

**III.2.2. Economic and financial ability**

List and brief description of conditions: See tender specifications.

**III.2.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of conditions:  
See tender specifications.

**III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts**

**III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts**

**III.3.1. Information about a particular profession**

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: no

**III.3.2. 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: yes

**Section IV: Procedure**

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**IV.1. Type of procedure**

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Open

**IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

**IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

**IV.2. Award criteria**

**IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

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

An electronic auction will be used: no

**IV.3. Administrative information**

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

PO/2015-25/DUB.

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

no

#### **IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document**

Payable documents: no

#### **IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

18.1.2016 - 16:00

#### **IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

#### **IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

Any EU official language

#### **IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 25.1.2016 - 15:00

Place:

EC Representation in Ireland, Europe House, 12–14 Lower Mount Street, Dublin 2, IRELAND.

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: yes

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: Representatives of tenderers and the contracting authority.

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

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#### **VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

#### **VI.2. Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:  
no

#### **VI.3. Additional information**

All the documentation of this call for tenders, including any additional information during the procedure, is published at the following Internet address: [http://ec.europa.eu/ireland/tenders\\_and\\_grants/dublin-rep-tenders/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/ireland/tenders_and_grants/dublin-rep-tenders/index_en.htm)

Tenderers should consult this site regularly, as additional information may be published at any time during the procedure.

#### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: [generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu](mailto:generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu)

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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

**VI.4.2. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have as an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

**VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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

25.11.2015