

Luxembourg-Luxembourg: ENER/D3/2020-777 Resilience of the Nuclear Sector in Europe in the Face of Pandemic Risks

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, ENER — Energy, ENER.D.3 — Radiation protection and nuclear safety

Postal address: 1 rue Henri Schnadt, Zone d'activités Cloche d'Or

Town: Luxembourg

NUTS code: LU Luxembourg

Postal code: 2530

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: ENER-RADPROT@ec.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://ec.europa.eu/energy/>

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=7076>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=7076>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

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

ENER/D3/2020-777 Resilience of the Nuclear Sector in Europe in the Face of Pandemic Risks

Reference number: ENER/LUX/2020/OP/0023

II.1.2. Main CPV code

85140000 Miscellaneous health services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Taking account of the individual circumstances of the European countries (EU-27+CH, UK), this study aims to analyse the near-term and longer-term impacts of Covid-19 pandemic on the European nuclear sector (covering all existing nuclear fuel cycle facilities, research facilities) and the preparedness and recovery actions taken by the owners, operators, regulators, and national authorities to ensure their safe, continued operation.

Against the background of the financial shock to the global economy, it will identify potential impacts on key suppliers, possible knock-on effects on the nuclear sector from other industries, and actions and investments needed at national and EU-level to support the resilience of the sector, maintain security of supply for the nuclear fuel cycle and its potential to sustain jobs and steer recovery activities in the longer term.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 150 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

85140000 Miscellaneous health services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE Belgique / België

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

(a) determine the key challenges influencing the availability of nuclear generation capacity under enduring or new pandemic conditions, covering normal operations, incidents and emergencies, refuelling and maintenance outages, and upgrading/ refurbishment activities, and new build projects. Review and assess the effectiveness of the measures taken by operators and regulators during the early phase of the Covid-19 outbreak. Review these measures in the context of the longer term risks and identify elements for updated continuity /contingency/risk preparedness plans, with a focus on ensuring the safety of nuclear installations. Similarly, determine challenges for nuclear facilities providing medical radioisotopes. Develop clear practical recommendations for improvements.

(b) identify the critical supply chains essential to guarantee safe operations and maintenance; assess the risks for the European nuclear fuel cycle operations, including supply chains for materials, consumables, components and specialist services. The study should review critical supply chains important for ensuring the safe operation and maintenance of plants, but also for the upgrades and improvements necessary for long term operation, as well as for the programme of new build projects. Develop clear practical recommendations for improvements.

(c) ascertain the near term impacts on availability of nuclear fuel supplies, including an assessment on uranium conversion, enrichment, and fuel manufacture.

(d) assess the economic impacts of the pandemic on planned investments and expenditure on upgrades to existing installations, refurbishments for long-term operation, especially those with a safety impact, as well as on new build projects.

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: 150 000,00 EUR

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

Duration in months: 12

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:
no

II.2.14. Additional information

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

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

Section IV: Procedure

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: 15/10/2020 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: 16/10/2020 Local time: 10:00

Place:

European Commission, Directorate-General for Energy, Euroforum Building, 1 rue Henri
Schnadt, L-2530 Luxembourg.

Section VI: Complementary information

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 of the European Union

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

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

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

07/09/2020