

431731-2026 - Competition

Germany – Legal advisory services – Legal Support for German investment vehicle

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Contract or concession notice – standard regime

Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Connect GmbH & Co. geschlossene Invest KG mit Teilgesellschaftsvermögen - TGV IC, vertreten durch CREDION Kapitalverwaltungsgesellschaft mbH

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Legal type of the buyer: Local authority

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Legal Support for German investment vehicle

Description: As part of this tendering process, Connect GmbH & Co. geschlossene Invest KG mit Teilgesellschaftsvermögen ("CONNECT"), represented by CREDION Kapitalverwaltungsgesellschaft mbH, is seeking contractors for legal support regarding the investment in all sub-funds of CONNECT.

Procedure identifier: 641d708d-0d2c-45b0-ad3e-d0b0561e1636

Internal identifier: n.def.

Type of procedure: Open

The procedure is accelerated: no

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 79111000 Legal advisory services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Hamburg (DE600)

Country: Germany

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

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2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: Notice

Corruption:

Fraud:

Money laundering or terrorist financing:

Child labour and including other forms of trafficking in human beings:

Participation in a criminal organisation:

Terrorist offences or offences linked to terrorist activities:

Breaching of obligations in the fields of environmental law:
Breaching of obligations in the fields of labour law:
Breaching of obligations in the fields of social law:
Agreements with other economic operators aimed at distorting competition:
Grave professional misconduct:
Misrepresentation, withheld information, unable to provide required documents or obtained confidential information of this procedure:
Conflict of interest due to its participation in the procurement procedure:
Direct or indirect involvement in the preparation of this procurement procedure:
Early termination, damages, or other comparable sanctions:
Breaching of obligations set under purely national exclusion grounds:
Breaching obligation relating to payment of social security contributions:
Breaching obligation relating to payment of taxes:
Business activities are suspended:
Insolvency:
Assets being administered by liquidator:
Analogous situation like bankruptcy, insolvency or arrangement with creditors under national law:

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0001

Title: Legal Support for German investment vehicle

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Internal identifier: 0001

5.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 79111000 Legal advisory services

5.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Hamburg (DE600)

Country: Germany

5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 24 Months

5.1.4. Renewal

Maximum renewals: 2

Other information about renewals: Possible extension of one year. Two years maximum.

5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation:

Participation is not reserved.

The names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to perform the contract must be given: Not required

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): no

This procurement is also suitable for small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs): no

5.1.7. Strategic procurement

Aim of strategic procurement: No strategic procurement

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Notice

Criterion: Enrolment in a trade register

Description of selection criterion: (on request only) Proof of the bidder's incorporation and/or registration, as pre-scribes in ist country of origin, on one of the professional or trade registers or provision of a certificate or an oath that is engaged in the profession in question in a specific place and a given business name.

Criterion: Professional risk indemnity insurance

Description of selection criterion: Proof that the tenderer holds valid professional indemnity insurance in line with market standards.

Criterion: Other economic or financial requirements

Description of selection criterion: (1) Declaration that no reasons for exclusion according to Sec.123, 124 GWB (Gesetz gegen Wettbewerbsbeschränkungen – German Federal Act against Restraints of Competition) exist. The bidder can use Appendix 3. (2) Self-declaration regarding the implementation of Article 5k(1) of Regulation (EU) No 833/2014, as amended by Article 1(15) of Council Regulation (EU) 2022/1269 of 21 July 2022 ('Standard form on Russia sanctions').

Criterion: Other economic or financial requirements

Description of selection criterion: (1) Only upon specific request by the contracting authority: a certificate of good standing from the tax office. Foreign tenderers must submit an equivalent certificate from their country of origin, accompanied by an officially certified translation. (2) Only upon specific request by the contracting authority: proof that the tenderer has paid all statutory social security contributions in full. Foreign tenderers must submit a certificate from their country of origin, accompanied by an officially certified translation.

Criterion: References on specified services

Description of selection criterion: Details of references relating to legal advisory services. References must be submitted in the form of a self-declaration. A certificate from the client (letter of reference) is desirable but not a minimum requirement. The address and telephone number of the respective client(s) for the reference project must be provided, if legally possible. Minimum standards: At least one reference comparable in nature of the work as described in the Service Description from the last five years must be provided for each of the following areas of expertise. The references must be relevant to the services specified in the tender. (1) Reference in Africa, (2) Reference in Asia, (3) Reference in Latin America. A single reference may meet several requirements at the same time. However, a total of three references must be provided.

5.1.10. Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Quality

Name: Qualitätskriterium

Description: Quality of the description of the approach

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

Award criterion number: 25

Criterion:

Type: Quality

Name: Qualitätskriterium

Description: Organisational and technical capacity, including qualifications and experience of the staff assigned to perform the contract

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

Award criterion number: 25

Criterion:

Type: Price

Name: Preiskriterium

Description: Price

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

Award criterion number: 50

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: German

Address of the procurement documents: http://www.deutsche-evergabe.de/dashboards/dashboard_off/641d708d-0d2c-45b0-ad3e-d0b0561e1636

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: http://www.deutsche-evergabe.de/dashboards/dashboard_off/641d708d-0d2c-45b0-ad3e-d0b0561e1636

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

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Variants: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 24/07/2026 12:00:00 (UTC+02:00) Eastern European Time, Central European Summer Time

Duration during which the tender must remain valid: 99 Days

Information that can be supplemented after the submission deadline:

At the discretion of the buyer, some missing tenderer-related documents may be submitted later.

Additional information: Bitte beachten: Um einen eventuellen Ausschluss des Angebotes zu vermeiden, legen Sie bitte die geforderten Nachweise und Erklärungen dem Angebot unbedingt vollständig bei.

Terms of contract:

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

Electronic invoicing: Required

Electronic ordering will be used: no

Electronic payment will be used: no

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: Vergabekammer des Bundes beim Bundeskartellamt

Information about review deadlines: (1) Etwaige Vergabeverstöße muss der Bewerber/Bieter gemäß § 160 Abs. 3 Nr. 1 GWB innerhalb von 10 Tagen nach Kenntnisnahme rügen. (2) Verstöße gegen Vergabevorschriften, die aufgrund der Bekanntmachung erkennbar sind, sind nach § 160 Abs. 3 Nr. 2 GWB spätestens bis zum Ablauf der in der Bekanntmachung benannten Frist zur Abgabe der Bewerbung oder der Angebote gegenüber dem Auftraggeber zu rügen. (3) Verstöße gegen Vergabevorschriften, die erst in den Vergabeunterlagen erkennbar sind, sind nach § 160 Abs. 3 Nr. 3 GWB spätestens bis zum Ablauf der Frist zur Bewerbungs- oder Angebotsabgabe gegenüber dem Auftraggeber zu rügen. (4) Ein Vergabenachprüfungsantrag ist nach § 160 Abs. 3 Nr. 4 GWB innerhalb von 15 Kalendertagen nach der Mitteilung des Auftraggebers, einer Rüge nicht abhelfen zu wollen, bei der Vergabekammer einzureichen.

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Connect GmbH & Co. geschlossene Invest KG mit Teilgesellschaftsvermögen - TGV IC, vertreten durch CREDION Kapitalverwaltungsgesellschaft mbH

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: Connect GmbH & Co. geschlossene Invest KG mit Teilgesellschaftsvermögen - TGV IC, vertreten durch CREDION Kapitalverwaltungsgesellschaft mbH

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Buyer profile: <https://www.deutsche-evergabe.de>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Vergabekammer des Bundes beim Bundeskartellamt

Registration number: 4d1f8b04-4b85-4a17-8093-d2ea9e4ffd10

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Town: Bonn

Postcode: 53123

Country subdivision (NUTS): Bonn, Kreisfreie Stadt (DEA22)

Country: Germany
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Roles of this organisation:
Review organisation

8.1. ORG-0003

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Roles of this organisation:
TED eSender

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