

Belgium-Brussels: Computer-based test (CBT) delivery to candidates in the EU staff selection process

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Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, European Personnel Selection Office — EPSO 01 — e-Selection

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Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: hr-contrats-marches@ec.europa.eu

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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

II.1. Description**II.1.1. Title**

Computer-based test (CBT) delivery to candidates in the EU staff selection process.

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: Brussels.

NUTS code BE10 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/ Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

The European Personnel Selection Office (EPSO) wishes to enter into framework service contracts to be able to continue with computer-based test delivery to candidates participating in open staff selection procedures for the EU institutions. The tender is divided into 4 lots. The present notice relates to lot 3 — audio-video computer-based testing:

Lot 3 covers the delivery of audio-video based tests: animated or video-based, situational judgement tests (MCQ or with replies on a given rating scale or to be typed on the screen) and

tests with audio and video capture of the candidates. Audio-video based tests under this lot would be delivered in a Brussels-based test centre only.

The main objectives to be achieved by the contractor can be summarised as follows:

- provision of a secure, highly reliable, professional, modern and easily accessible test facility for audio-video based tests in Brussels (Belgium), ideally close to the EPSO premises where assessment centres take place. The test centre must be equipped to a very high standard and compliant with rules to accommodate candidates with special needs,
- test content is provided by EPSO whereas the contractor needs to provide the technical platform to deliver such tests as well as the related support for testing events.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

79635000 Assessment centre services for recruitment

II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

II.2. Total value of the contract/lot

II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot

Value: 1 809 000 EUR

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Restricted

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Quality. Weighting 66
2. Price. Weighting 33

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction has been used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

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

EPSO/01/PR/2012/121.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2012/S 247-405270](#) of 22.12.2012

Other previous publications

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 182-313211](#) of 19.9.2013

Section V: Award of contract

Lot No: 3

- Lot title: Audio-video computer-based testing

V.1.

Date of conclusion of the contract

21.11.2013

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Prometric Ireland Limited

Postal address: Grand Mill Quay

Town: Dublin 4

Country: Ireland

V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Total value of the procurement:

Value: 1 809 000 EUR

V.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about European Union funds

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

VI.2. Additional information

Contract award notice concerning lots 1, 2 and 4 published on 19.9.2013 (ref. [2013/S 182-313211](#)).

VI.3. Procedures for review**VI.3.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court of the European Union

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Country: Luxembourg

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VI.3.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Within 2 months of the notification of 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.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice**

16.12.2013