

Norway-Førde: Research and development services and related consultancy services

OJ S 159/2022 19/08/2022

Contract award notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Norec

National registration number: 981 965 132

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Internet address(es):Main address: <https://www.norec.no>Address of the buyer profile: <https://eu.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/359055>**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

National or federal agency/office

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

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

A study on the concept of partnership. How is partnership exercised in assistance cooperation? Analysis and comparison of different models and practices.

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

A study is to be conducted to survey and establish the different trends regarding the use of the concept of partnership in development cooperation work. The results will be combined into a

single product, such as a report, for example, but can also consist of different elements, such as videos, short texts for use in social media, illustrations, etc. The study must be based on recognised research and methods.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 471 900,00 NOK

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services, 73200000 Research and development consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO Norge

Main site or place of performance: Førde

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Questions that will be answered in the study:

- Which different partnership models are currently used in development cooperation and what defines a well-functioning and successful partnership?
- To what degree and in what way do asymmetrical power relations affect the dynamics of the various partnerships?
- How are power relations approached and handled in different models and by different donors?
- How can Norec promote a constructive dialogue to manage and develop partnerships and power relations?

The assignment will be based on solid, well-documented and approved research. A historical review of the various partnership models in development cooperation in the assistance sector will be given, as well as a description of current partnership models.

The review must be based on research from both the global north and global south. The assignment should also be based on interviews with relevant researchers within the subject area and businesses in the global north and global south. Concrete examples of successful experiences and case studies must be documented and be part of the final product.

The findings from the study will be used in communication and course activities, but the findings will be based on solid and verifiable research methods. The findings are to be presented and/or written in English. The findings must be communicated in plain language.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Environmental Considerations / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Experience, competence and quality / Weighting: 60%

Price - Weighting: 30%

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 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: no

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2021/S 169-443227](#)

IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 1

Title:

A study of the concept partnership and how partnerships are used by practitioners in development cooperation, based on comparison and analysis of different models and practices.

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

17/08/2021

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Norsk Utenrikspolitisk Institutt

National registration number: 970 955 992

Postal address: C.J. Hambros plass 2D

Town: Oslo

NUTS code: NO Norge

Postal code: 0033

Country: Norway

E-mail: post@nupi.no

Telephone: +47 22994000

Internet address: <http://www.nupi.no>

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 500 000,00 NOK

Total value of the contract/lot: 471 900,00 NOK

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Sogn og Fjordane Tingrett

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Town: Førde

Postal code: 6801

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E-mail: softpost@domstol.no

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

16/08/2022