

457082-2026 - Result

Belgium – Research and development consultancy services – Operation of the Circular Cities and Regions Initiative’s Coordination & Support Office - CCRI CSO II

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Contract or concession award notice – standard regime

Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: European Commission, DG RTD - Research and Innovation

Email: rtd-call-for-tenders@ec.europa.eu

Legal type of the buyer: EU institution, body or agency

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Operation of the Circular Cities and Regions Initiative’s Coordination & Support Office - CCRI CSO II

Description: The specific subject of this contract is the continuation of the operation of the Circular Cities and Regions Initiative’s Coordination and Support Office (CCRI-CSO II). More specifically, the contractor will support the European Commission in managing, steering and further consolidating the Circular Cities and Regions Initiative. To do so, this service contract shall build on the processes put in place and results achieved by the Coordination Support Office I (operating from December 2021 to December 2025). The overarching goal of the contract shall be to further expand and consolidate the CCRI initiative with a view of creating an ever more knowledgeable, competent, larger and geographically diverse community of circular cities/regions/hubs, committed to advancing their circular transition.

Procedure identifier: 58fa7bec-4c7f-4067-97be-640d7585979f

Previous notice: 725121-2025

Internal identifier: EC-RTD/2025/OP/0001

Type of procedure: Open

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 73200000 Research and development consultancy services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Anywhere in the European Economic Area

Additional information: Please consult the procurement documents.

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 8 000 000,00 EUR

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0001

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Internal identifier: EC-RTD/2025/OP/0001

5.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 73200000 Research and development consultancy services

Options:

Description of the options: provided they are in conformity with the basic project, new services or works consisting in the repetition of similar services or works, may be entrusted up to 50 % of the initial contract to the initial contractor by negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice.

5.1.2. Place of performance

Anywhere in the European Economic Area

Additional information: Please consult the procurement documents.

5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 48 Months

5.1.5. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 8 000 000,00 EUR

5.1.6. General information

Procurement Project fully or partially financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

5.1.10. Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Quality

Description: Please consult the procurement documents.

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

Award criterion number: 70

Criterion:

Type: Price

Description: Please consult the procurement documents.

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

Award criterion number: 30

5.1.15. Techniques

Framework agreement:

Framework agreement, without reopening of competition

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: Court of Justice of the European Union

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: European Commission,
DG RTD - Research and Innovation

Organisation signing the contract: European Commission, DG RTD - Research and Innovation

6. Results

Maximum value of the framework agreements in this notice: 8 000 000,00 EUR

6.1. Result lot identifier: LOT-0001

Winner selection status: At least one winner was chosen.

Framework agreement:

Maximum value of the framework agreement: 8 000 000,00 EUR

6.1.2. Information about winners**Winner:**

Leader of tendering party: TECHNOLIS CONSULTING GROUP BELGIUM

Official name: PROGNO AG

Official name: ACR+

Official name: ICLEI EURO

Official name: ERRIN

Official name: ARCTIK

Official name: CIRCLE ECONOMY FOUNDATION

Tender:

Tender identifier: 300149795

Identifier of lot or group of lots: LOT-0001

Subcontracting: Yes

Subcontracting value is known: no

Subcontracting percentage is known: no

Contract information:

Identifier of the contract: FW-00190938

Date on which the winner was chosen: 08/06/2026

Date of the conclusion of the contract: 29/06/2026

Information about European Union funds:

Name of EU-financed project or programme: Horizon Europe – the Framework Programme for
Research and Innovation (2021/2027)

Organisation signing the contract: European Commission, DG RTD - Research and Innovation

6.1.4. Statistical information**Received tenders or requests to participate:**

Type of received submissions: Tenders

Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 5

Type of received submissions: Tenders submitted electronically

Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 5

Type of received submissions: Tenders from micro, small or medium tenderers

Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 2
Type of received submissions: Tenders from tenderers registered in other European Economic Area countries than the country of the buyer
Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 2
Type of received submissions: Tenders from tenders registered in countries outside of the European Economic Area
Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 0

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: European Commission, DG RTD - Research and Innovation
Registration number: COM
Department: RTD.B - Healthy Planet
Postal address: Espace Orban (ORBN), Square Frère-Orban 8
Town: Brussels
Postcode: B-1040
Country subdivision (NUTS): Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad (BE100)
Country: Belgium
Email: rtd-call-for-tenders@ec.europa.eu
Telephone: +32 2 299 11 11
Internet address: http://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/research-and-innovation_en

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer
Organisation providing more information on the review procedures
Organisation signing the contract

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Court of Justice of the European Union
Registration number: CURIA
Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünwald
Town: Luxembourg
Postcode: L-2925
Country subdivision (NUTS): Luxembourg (LU000)
Country: Luxembourg
Email: GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu
Telephone: +352 4303-1
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: European Commission
Registration number: EUCOM
Postal address: Mondrian (CDMA), Rue du Champ de Mars 21
Town: Brussels
Postcode: B-1050
Country subdivision (NUTS): Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad (BE100)
Country: Belgium
Email: rtd-call-for-tenders@ec.europa.eu

Telephone: +32 2 299 11 11

Internet address: <https://commission.europa.eu/>

Roles of this organisation:

TED eSender

8.1. ORG-0004

Official name: TECHNOLIS CONSULTING GROUP BELGIUM

Size of the economic operator: Micro, small, or medium

Registration number: BE0866397763

Postal address: AVENUE DE BROQUEVILLE 12

Town: BRUXELLES

Postcode: 1150

Country subdivision (NUTS): Extra-Regio NUTS 3 (BEZZZ)

Country: Belgium

Email: acquisition.be@technopolis-group.com

Telephone: +3227377440

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Leader of tendering party

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

8.1. ORG-0005

Official name: PROGNOS AG

Size of the economic operator: Micro, small, or medium

Registration number: CHE107308511MWST

Postal address: ST. ALBAN VORSTADT 24

Town: BASEL

Postcode: 4052

Country subdivision (NUTS): Extra-Regio NUTS 3 (CHZZZ)

Country: Switzerland

Email: acquisition.be@technopolis-group.com

Telephone: +41613273200

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

8.1. ORG-0006

Official name: ACR+

Size of the economic operator: Large

Registration number: BE0455424995

Postal address: AVENUE DES ARTS 3-4-5

Town: BRUXELLES

Postcode: 1210

Country subdivision (NUTS): Extra-Regio NUTS 3 (BEZZZ)

Country: Belgium

Email: acquisition.be@technopolis-group.com

Telephone: +3222346500

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

8.1. **ORG-0007**

Official name: ICLEI EURO

Size of the economic operator: Micro, small, or medium

Registration number: DE153445986

Postal address: LEOPOLDRING 3

Town: FREIBURG IM BREISGAU

Postcode: 79098

Country subdivision (NUTS): Extra-Regio NUTS 3 (DEZZZ)

Country: Germany

Email: acquisition.be@technopolis-group.com

Telephone: +49761368920

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

8.1. **ORG-0008**

Official name: ERRIN

Size of the economic operator: Large

Registration number: BE0885520027

Postal address: RUE DE LUXEMBOURG 3

Town: BRUXELLES

Postcode: 1000

Country subdivision (NUTS): Extra-Regio NUTS 3 (BEZZZ)

Country: Belgium

Email: acquisition.be@technopolis-group.com

Telephone: +32225033445

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

8.1. **ORG-0009**

Official name: ARCTIK

Size of the economic operator: Large

Registration number: BE0843372438

Postal address: AVENUE DE BROQUEVILLE 12 - 1st FLOOR

Town: WOLUWE-SAINT-PIERRE

Postcode: 1150

Country subdivision (NUTS): Extra-Regio NUTS 3 (BEZZZ)

Country: Belgium

Email: acquisition.be@technopolis-group.com

Telephone: +3226465881

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

8.1. **ORG-0010**

Official name: CIRCLE ECONOMY FOUNDATION

Size of the economic operator: Large

Registration number: NL850278983B01

Postal address: MAURITSKADE 64

Town: AMSTERDAM

Postcode: 1092 AD
Country subdivision (NUTS): Extra-Regio NUTS 3 (NLZZZ)
Country: Netherlands
Email: acquisition.be@technopolis-group.com
Telephone: +31643816224
Roles of this organisation:
Tenderer
Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

Notice information

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