

**Norway-Arendal: Miscellaneous services**

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**Contract notice**

**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: STIFTELSEN GRID-ARENDAL

National registration number: 977 182 697

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Town: Arendal

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**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://www.grida.no>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://kgv.doffin.no/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/55683>

**I.2. Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://kgv.doffin.no/ctm/Publication/Documents/Folder/168419>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

Other type: Foundation

**I.5. Main activity**

Environment

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1. Title**

INC Plastic Pollution Treaty workshop: Legislative Theatre on Informal Waste Sector

Reference number: 00192023GRIDA

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

98300000 Miscellaneous services

### **II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

### **II.1.4. Short description**

On 2 March 2022, Member States of the United Nations Environmental Assembly (UNEA) unanimously agreed to develop a legally binding treaty to end plastic pollution. The adopted resolution, End Plastic Pollution: Towards an international legally binding instrument, establishes an intergovernmental negotiating committee (INC) that will develop the specific content of the new treaty with the aim of completing its work by 2024.

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### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 300 000,00 NOK

### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

## **II.2. Description**

### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: NO Norge

### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

Background

On 2 March 2022, Member States of the United Nations Environmental Assembly (UNEA) unanimously agreed to develop a legally binding treaty to end plastic pollution. The adopted resolution, End Plastic Pollution: Towards an international legally binding instrument, establishes an intergovernmental negotiating committee (INC) that will develop the specific content of the new treaty with the aim of completing its work by 2024.

In November 2023, the Plastic Pollution INC-3 will take place at UN Environment Programme (UNEP) Headquarters in Nairobi, Kenya. This provides a critical opportunity to highlight the issue of a just transition for the informal waste sector, which play a huge role in recycling and mitigation of plastic pollution. As part of capacity building efforts in West Africa for a global plastics treaty we aim to engage (West-)African negotiators on this issue.

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Main Activities

Legislative Theatre has been used in the past as a tool engage decision-makers to a diverse range of issues where participants have the opportunity to create change. By co-creating a

short piece of Legislative Theatre with Litter Pickers from Kenya, we aim to showcase to the event attendees the vast amount of shared knowledge the litter pickers have alongside the struggles they face in the face of systemic and institutional discrimination and ignorance.

Objectives are to:

- Create awareness and capacity with decision-makers for a just transition for the informal waste sector
- Engage decision-makers in the issue of a just transition for the Informal Waste Sector using an arts-based participatory method, preferably Legislative Theatre
- Co-create knowledge on how to include the informal waste sector in the treaty development and implementation.

Outputs and activities

1. Produce a multiple day workshop with Litter Pickers
2. Produce a 'Legislative Theatre' performance during or around INC-3 in Nairobi
3. Document the process using film production, which can be used as a knowledge product to engage and inform other stakeholders unable to be present at the performance on the use of Legislative theatre to engage policy-makers/decision-makers on the just transition for the informal waste sector within the Plastics Treaty negotiations, and to disseminate results and outcomes
4. Communication and dissemination efforts to participate in the workshop
5. Communication and dissemination of the documentary film

Required qualifications:

- Capacity to undertake workshops on Legislative Theatre
  - i. Exhibiting sufficient understanding of the INC process and plastic pollution, and how litter pickers play a significant role for plastic pollution mitigation and recycling
  - ii. Capacity to mobilise sufficient, appropriately qualified personnel to lead and undertake Legislative Theatre workshops
  - iii. Proven knowledge on the Informal Waste Sector in Kenya
  - iv. Having an established network with the informal waste sector in Kenya
- Proven ability in:
  - i. Arts-based participatory methods
  - ii. Leading workshops with decision-makers
  - iii. Developing a product for dissemination (film production)
  - iv. Writing project reports

See the attachments for more information on how to submit the proposal.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Innovation and creativity in theatre productions / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Knowledge of informal waste picking / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Language(s) especially the UN languages / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Research capacity / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Experience / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 10

#### **II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 300 000,00 NOK

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

Duration in months: 4

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**

All interested parties must submit their proposal to [procurements@grida.no](mailto:procurements@grida.no), no later than 15 August, 2023. 12:00, with reference 'INC Plastic Pollution Treaty workshop' (CC [clever.mafuta@grida.no](mailto:clever.mafuta@grida.no)).

Any questions about the project and work to be carried out should be addressed to [clever.mafuta@grida.no](mailto:clever.mafuta@grida.no).

Information on what must be sent is provided in the attachments.

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **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.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 15/09/2023 Local time: 12:00

##### **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**

English

##### **IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 1 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

##### **IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 15/09/2023 Local time: 12:00

Place:

Arendal

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

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#### **VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

#### **VI.2. Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used  
Electronic invoicing will be accepted  
Electronic payment will be used

**VI.3. Additional information**

**VI.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Aust-Agder District Court

Town: Arendal

Country: Norway

**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

25/08/2023