

Norway-Oslo: Survey conduction services

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: INNOVASJON NORGE

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Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.innovasjonorge.no/>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://permalink.mercell.com/211367172.aspx>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://permalink.mercell.com/211367172.aspx>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Other type: Special legal entity

I.5. Main activity

Economic and financial affairs

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Procurement of assistance for the collection of data for the Tourist Survey.

Reference number: 2023/378552

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79311200 Survey conduction services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The intention of the procurement is to enter into a framework agreement with a tenderer for data collection and the development of selection plans for the Tourist Survey. The contract partner will carry out most of the assignment.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73110000 Research services, 73200000 Research and development consultancy services, 73210000 Research consultancy services, 73300000 Design and execution of research and development, 79311300 Survey analysis services, 79311400 Economic research services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO Norge

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Innovasjon Norge carries out several surveys, but the most central is the Tourist Survey where Norwegian and foreign holiday and business travellers are interviewed nationwide. The interviews are carried out in person, so the tenderer must have a field apparatus. The survey has continually been held over several years, however in the current design from 2018.

Allowances are made for 15,000 interviews. It is important to have a good spread of interviews around the country and throughout the year. It is also important to have a good distribution between the different nationalities that visit the country. Innovasjon Norge needs a tenderer with the start-up in January 2024.

The Tourist Survey has two clear purposes:

- Document the importance of tourism for the Norwegian economy. The consumption figures are used, amongst other things, in the Satellite Accounts for tourism, which are part of the national accounts for SSB.
- Map important variables that can contribute to increasing knowledge on tourists in Norway at a regional and national level, and thereby increase Norway's competitiveness as a tourist destination and give useful knowledge for regions, destinations, authorities, and tourist actors. Read more in annex 1 Requirements Specification.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The contracting authority has the option to extend the contract subject to the same conditions for 1+1 year, so that the total possible length of the contract is 4 years.

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

The contracting authority has the option for extending the contract for 1+1 year. The total possible contract period is 4 years.

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 III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions:

Tenderers must be a legally established company. Documentation Requirements: Norwegian companies: Company Registration Certificate. Foreign companies: Documentation that the company is registered in a trade or business register in accordance with the national requirements in the country where the tenderer is established.

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Tenderers must have their tax and VAT payments in order.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Documentation requirement: Tax and VAT certificate. The certificate must not be older than 6 months from the application deadline. Foreign tenderers must provide certificates from equivalent authorities to the Norwegian authorities.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Tenderers must have relevant competence and experience from equivalent assignments /deliveries where the data collection was obtained physically by personnel out in the field.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Documentation requirement: Tenderers must account for 3 reference projects with a brief description of the assignment, the assignment period, value, and reference persons.

Tenderers must document the reference projects(s) in Annex 2 of the tender documentation.

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

IV.1.8.

Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2. Administrative information

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

Date: 05/10/2023 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

Norwegian

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

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 05/10/2023 Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

Town: Oslo

Country: Norway

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

01/09/2023