

Norway-Oslo: Computer equipment and supplies

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Contract notice

Supplies

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Skatteetaten

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I.3. Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at:

<https://tendsign.no/doc.aspx?Uniqueld=afnipjihfk&GoTo=Docs>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://tendsign.no/doc.aspx?Uniqueld=afnipjihfk&GoTo=Tender>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

20230057 Framework agreement for storage infrastructure and a maintenance contract for server, storage, and backup infrastructure

Reference number: 2023/2911

II.1.2. Main CPV code

30200000 Computer equipment and supplies

II.1.3. Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4. Short description

The contest concerns the establishment of a framework agreement for the procurement of new storage infrastructure, as well as maintenance services for new storage infrastructure and the existing server, storage, and backup infrastructure. The contracting authority needs to establish a new operations platform that will run in parallel to the current central operations platform. The contracting authority's total need will be met through several different contests. The contracting authority need to renew the NetApp based storage part of the operations platform when the existing equipment reaches its technical lifetime, and also so as to be able to expand the operations platform's capacities and functionality with further storage equipment. The framework agreement will cover these needs and replace the current framework agreement for storage equipment.

Furthermore, the contracting authority needs maintenance as specified.

See the tender documentation and annexes for further information.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 202 000 000,00 NOK

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

30000000 Office and computing machinery, equipment and supplies except furniture and software packages, 30230000 Computer-related equipment, 30234000 Storage media, 48000000 Software package and information systems, 48750000 Storage media loading software package, 48780000 System, storage and content management software package, 48782000 Storage management software package, 48783000 Content management software package, 50300000 Repair, maintenance and associated services related to personal computers, office equipment, telecommunications and audio-visual equipment, 51000000 Installation services (except software), 51600000 Installation services of computers and office equipment, 72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support, 72260000 Software-related services, 72267000 Software maintenance and repair services, 72500000 Computer-related services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

This contest is for the establishment of a framework agreement for the procurement of new storage infrastructure, as well as maintenance services for new storage infrastructure and existing server, storage, and backup infrastructure. The contracting authority needs to establish a new operations platform that will run in parallel to the current central operations platform. The contracting authority's total need will be met through several different contests. The contracting authority need to renew the NetApp based storage part of the operations platform when the existing equipment reaches its technical lifetime, and also so as to be able to expand the operations platform's capacities and functionality with further storage equipment. The contracting authority's NetApp based storage system is detailed in Annex 3 of the Maintenance Contract. The contracting authority can also need installation services and consultancy services that are connected to the framework agreement. The framework agreement will cover these needs and replace the current framework agreement for storage equipment.

Furthermore, the contracting authority needs maintenance as specified.
See the tender documentation and annexes for further information.

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

Value excluding VAT: 202 000 000,00 NOK

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.9. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 3Maximum number: 5Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

The selection of qualified interested parties will be based on the qualification requirement stated in the tender documentation, chapter 2.4, cf. the PPR § 16-12, second paragraph.

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

See the maintenance contract, annex 1 chapter 4.12.

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

The framework agreement will have a two year duration with an option to extend twice, for one year at a time, or until the maximum value has been reached.

The maintenance contract's duration will be four years, with an option to extend twice, for one year at a time, total maximum six years. The contracts' duration will be calculated from the date the contract is signed.

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 registered in a company register, professional register or a trade register 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 sufficient financial capacity to fulfil the contract.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

- Tenderers must have completed at least one delivery of a NetApp storage system in the last five years with responsibility for installation and commissioning, with a total value of minimum approx. NOK 10 million excluding VAT.
- Tenderers must also have had maintenance responsibility for a NetApp storage system, as well as maintenance responsibility for physical servers and a backup system in the last five years, with a total value of minimum approx. NOK 10 million excluding VAT.

The deliveries of a storage system and maintenance can have been carried out for one or more customers.

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2. Contract performance conditions

See the tender documentation and annexes.

III.2.3. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Competitive procedure with negotiation

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.1.4. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated

IV.1.5. Information about negotiation

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: 11/10/2023 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

Tender must be valid until: 21/05/2024

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3. Additional information

Mercell notice: <https://opic.com/id/afnipjihfk>.

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

08/09/2023