

Norway-Oslo: Research and development services and related consultancy 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: Kommunal- og distriktsdepartementet

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Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=379789&B=DFO

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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**

Assistance with follow-up of work on New Altinn

Reference number: 23/4346

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

The aim of the procurement is to assist the Ministry of Local Government and Regional Development with the follow-up of the New Altinn programme and to contribute to strengthening the quality of this follow-up. The programme was established in spring 2023 and it is a multi-department programme that covers a project for the modernisation of Altinn in the Norwegian Digitalisation Agency. The programme also covers projects in the Brønnøysund Register Centre (BR), SSB, and the Norwegian Tax Administration for transferring services from Altinn II to Altinn 3, as well as the Norwegian Digitalisation Agency's work to assist other departments that have services on Altinn II by moving these services to Altinn 3. The programme is scheduled to run until June 2026 and will be managed by the Norwegian Digitalisation Agency. A programme board will be established consisting of managers for Digdir, BR, the Norwegian Tax Administration, and SSB. A first round of external quality assurance of the programme was carried out in spring 2023. The external quality assurance is scheduled to continue in the winter 2023/2024.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 5 000 000,00 NOK

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73200000 Research and development consultancy services, 73220000 Development consultancy services, 73300000 Design and execution of research and development

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

Main site or place of performance: Oslo

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

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The Norwegian Digitalisation Agency comes under the Ministry of Local Government and Regional Development, and the ministry is therefore responsible for the follow-up of this comprehensive and vital modernisation work in order to ensure that the transition from Altinn II to Altinn 3 happens in a coordinated and secure way.

The New Altinn programme is comprehensive and complex and requires close follow-up from the ministry. The Ministry of Local Government and Regional Development is looking for assistance from a consultant to strengthen the quality of the ministry' follow-up of the programme.

The assignment initially runs until the end of 2024, but the contracting authority has an option to extend the contract for up to 2 years, one year at a time. The ministry estimates an hourly need for assistance of approximately 140 hours in 2023, and 500 hours per year in subsequent years. The estimated contract value is between NOK 2 million excluding VAT and NOK 5 million, excluding VAT. This is an estimate and is non-binding for the contracting authority.

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: 5 000 000,00 NOK

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

Duration in months: 38

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: yes

Description of options:

The assistance is to be provided until the end of 2024. The contracting authority has an option to extend the contract for up to 2 years, one year at a time.

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:

Requirements: Tenderers must be a legally established company.

Documentation:

Norwegian companies: Company registration certificate or a printout from the Unit Register for sole proprietorships not required to register.

Foreign tenderers: Verification that the tenderer is registered in a trade or business register as prescribed by the law of the country where the tenderer is established. The verification can be submitted in writing or by referring to BRIS.

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: yes

IV.2. Administrative information

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

Date: 23/10/2023 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: 02/02/2024

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 23/10/2023 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

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VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures

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VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: Kommunal- og distriktsdepartementet

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

20/09/2023