

**Belgium-Brussels: Multiple Framework Contract for Studies in the Field of Economic Policies**  
**OJ S 188/2023 29/09/2023**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Committee of the Regions

Postal address: Rue Belliard 101

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Postal code: 1040

Country: Belgium

Contact person: Unit E.4 - Financial Management

E-mail: [cor-marches-publics@cor.europa.eu](mailto:cor-marches-publics@cor.europa.eu)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <http://cor.europa.eu>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://cor.europa.eu/en/about/tenders/Pages/calls-for-tender.aspx>

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

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.5. Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1. Title**

Multiple Framework Contract for Studies in the Field of Economic Policies

Reference number: CDR/2023/C2/1/ECON

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

73210000 Research consultancy services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

The purpose of this call for tenders is to enable CoR departments to have at their disposal a framework contract for the provision of scientific, legal, documentary and editorial assistance services for CoR bodies, members, rapporteurs and departments. This request for services entrusted to external experts is one of the measures taken to provide members with better services in order to strengthen and enhance the CoR's consultative work within the framework of the legislative process.

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

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 600 000,00 EUR

## **II.2. Description**

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

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Main site or place of performance: Brussels

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

The spheres of activity covered by this call for tenders reflect the CoR's political priorities from the perspective of local and regional authorities in the indicative areas of activity referred to below.

It should be noted that the activities covered by this call shall not be strictly limited to the sphere of economic policies, and should also cover any other sectors linked to these policy areas and refer in this context to all the possible implications for local and regional authorities within the European Union.

- Economic governance and European semester,
- Sustainable development goals (SDG) governance,
- Industrial policy and industry 4.0,
- SME policy and entrepreneurship,
- Economic and monetary policy,
- Taxation policy,
- Internal market,
- International trade and tariffs (including WTO issues),
- Competition and state aid policy,
- Local/regional finance and investment,
- Public procurement,
- Public investment,
- Public services.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Organisation of work, including the distribution of roles and responsibilities, and overall allocation of time and of human and other resources / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: General framework and methodological approach: efficiency, quality and relevance of the methodology and the proposed research project / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Data collection and presentation, partnerships and associated networks / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Quality control measures, including quality control of deliverables, language quality check and continuity of service in the event of absence of leading members of the team / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Quality criteria = 1+2+3+4 / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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:  
yes

Identification of the project: EU Administrative appropriations.

### II.2.14. Additional information

#### 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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

###### 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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2023/S 060-177192](#)

###### IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

###### IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

#### Section V: Award of contract

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**Contract No:** CDR/2023/C2/1/ECON/1

**Title:**

Multiple Framework Contract for Studies in the Field of Economic Policies

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

##### V.2. Award of contract

###### V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

19/09/2023

###### V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

###### V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: T33 SRL

Postal address: Via Calatafimi 1

Town: Ancona  
NUTS code: IT Italia  
Postal code: 60121  
Country: Italy  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Milieu Consulting  
Postal address: Chaussée de Charleroi 112  
Town: Brussels  
NUTS code: BE Belgique / België  
Postal code: 1060  
Country: Belgium  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Spatial Foresight GmbH  
Postal address: Rue de Luxembourg 7  
Town: Heisdorf  
NUTS code: LU Luxembourg  
Postal code: 7330  
Country: Luxembourg  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 600 000,00 EUR  
Total value of the contract/lot: 600 000,00 EUR

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

**Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No:** CDR/2023/C2/1/ECON /2

**Title:**

Multiple framework contract for studies in the field of Economic Policies

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

**V.2. Award of contract**

**V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

19/09/2023

**V.2.2. Information about tenders**

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Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2  
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Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2  
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: ÖIR GmbH

Postal address: Franz-Josefs-Kai 27  
Town: Vienna  
NUTS code: AT Österreich  
Postal code: 1010  
Country: Austria  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Ekonomski institut Zagreb  
Postal address: Trg J F Kennedy 7  
Town: Zagreb  
NUTS code: HR Hrvatska  
Postal code: 10000  
Country: Croatia  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Grimaldi Studio Legale SRL  
Postal address: Boulevard Charlemagne 23  
Town: Brussels  
NUTS code: BE Belgique / België  
Postal code: 1000  
Country: Belgium  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Grimaldi Studio Legale  
Postal address: Corso Europa 12  
Town: Milano  
NUTS code: IT Italia  
Postal code: 20122  
Country: Italy  
The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: CASE - Centre for Social and Economic Research  
Postal address: 5/1b Ludwika Zamenhofa st.  
Town: Warsaw  
NUTS code: PL Polska  
Postal code: 00165  
Country: Poland  
The contractor is an SME: no

**V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

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**Section VI: Complementary information**

**VI.3. Additional information**

In accordance with Article 164 paragraph 5 and Annex I.11.1) (e) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18.7.2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, the Committee of the Regions may initiate negotiated procedures with the successful tenderers of this tender for new services consisting of the repetition of services similar to those in this notice.

#### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: L-2925

Country: Luxembourg

Internet address: <https://curia.europa.eu/jcms/jcms/index.html>

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

22/09/2023