

**Norway-Oslo: Research and development consultancy services**  
**OJ S 207/2022 26/10/2022**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Olje- og energidepartementet

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Town: OSLO

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Address of the buyer profile: <https://eu.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/319218>

**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

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1. Title**

Procurement of a comprehensive study for the construction of a continuous value chain for hydrogen

Reference number: 22/81-1

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

73200000 Research and development consultancy services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

The contracting authority requires a comprehensive study that to be based on the government's ambitions for the development of hydrogen as stated by Meld. St. 11 (2021-2022) Supplement to Meld. St. 36 S (2020-2021). The report to the Storting states that the

government will contribute to building a continuous value chain for hydrogen produced with low or no emissions where production, distribution and use are developed in parallel. The government stands behind the roadmap for hydrogen in Meld. St. 36 S (2020-2021).

The roadmap applies for the assignment:

Initial meeting September 2022

Status meeting December/January 2022/23

Draft report: February 2023

Final report: March 2023

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

This contract is divided into lots: no

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

Value excluding VAT: 3 900 000,00 NOK

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

09000000 Petroleum products, fuel, electricity and other sources of energy, 24111600 Hydrogen, 72221000 Business analysis consultancy services, 72224000 Project management consultancy services, 73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services, 73210000 Research consultancy services, 73220000 Development consultancy services, 79311400 Economic research services, 79311410 Economic impact assessment

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

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

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

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The review shall be conducted in accordance with the report instructions and shall, among other things:

- provide a brief technology and market status report on the production, transport and use of hydrogen in Norway and Europe today and shed light on what are assumed to be the most important advantages and challenges associated with hydrogen production in Norway.
- prepare three scenarios for the further development of a hydrogen market in Norway at low, medium and high levels of production and use, respectively. The scenarios should take into account national and international demand for both hydrogen and hydrogen-based technology, developments in alternative technologies that affect the need for hydrogen and energy prices and emissions, among other things. The scenarios must also indicate the probable extent of national demand for hydrogen in 2030 and the scope of production in Norway in order to meet demand.
- assess the need for, and possibly the arrangement of, the reinforcement of instruments in the area, including the use of state ownership. The assessment should identify any gaps in the policy instruments and assess how export-oriented policy instruments can be used for socio-economically profitable hydrogen production aimed at the export market. The assessment must address the advantages and disadvantages, including costs for actors and the state, and take into account that funds are limited.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Competence of offered personnel / Weighting: 45  
Quality criterion - Name: Assignment comprehension / Weighting: 35  
Price - Weighting: 20

#### **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**

### **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: yes

#### **IV.2. Administrative information**

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

Notice number in the OJ S: [2022/S 136-390728](#)

##### **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:** 1

**Title:**

Procurement of a comprehensive study for the construction of a continuous value chain for hydrogen

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

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

##### **V.2.1.**

**Date of conclusion of the contract**

18/10/2022

**V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

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

Official name: Oslo Economics

National registration number: 993924741

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Town: Oslo

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Country: Norway

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The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 4 000 000,00 NOK

Total value of the contract/lot: 3 900 000,00 NOK

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting****Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.3. Additional information****VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

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**VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

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Postal code: 0125

Country: Norway

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

Official name: Olje- og energidepartementet

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**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**  
21/10/2022