

60242-2026 - Competition

Uzbekistan – Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services – Second phase of the EU assistance for Uzbekistan Agri-Food Development Strategy 2020-2030

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Contract or concession notice – standard regime

Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: European Commission, INTPA - International Partnerships

Email: DELEGATION-UZBEKISTAN-ETENDERS@eeas.europa.eu

Legal type of the buyer: EU institution, body or agency

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Second phase of the EU assistance for Uzbekistan Agri-Food Development Strategy 2020-2030

Description: This is the Second phase of the EU assistance for Uzbekistan Agri-Food Development Strategy 2020-2030, under the ongoing Financing Agreement with the Government of Uzbekistan ACT- 61294 "Budget Support for the development of Agri-food sector and resilient rural livelihoods". The purpose of this contract is to pursue the assistance to the Government of Uzbekistan in managing the transition process from a planned economy to a market-based system by creating an enabling policy and regulatory environment and strengthening key institutional capacities, with a particular focus on food safety, water management, rangeland and agricultural land planning, agricultural subsidies, agricultural extension services, agricultural subsidies, and public finance management. The main recipient of the technical assistance support provided through this service contract is the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Uzbekistan and the different agencies under its mandate. The ministry of Economy and Finance will receive specific support on public finance management, while the ministries of Water Resources, Employment and Poverty reduction, and Health will also be the object of specific technical support in the topics covered by this contract and under the general objectives of Uzbekistan's Agri-food Development Strategy 2020-2030.

Procedure identifier: ee282e31-5eb9-4c50-829b-a33f93f517a2

Internal identifier: EC-INTPA/TAS/2025/EA-RP/0196

Type of procedure: Restricted

The procedure is accelerated: no

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 77000000 Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country: Uzbekistan

Anywhere in the given country

Additional information: Please consult the procurement documents.

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 7 532 756,00 EUR

2.1.4. General information

Additional information: For any additional information, please refer to the document A5f "Additional information about the Contract Notice". In case of unavailability or disruptions in the functioning of the electronic means of communication provided in Section 5.1.11 in the last 5 calendar days before the time limit for receipt indicated in Section 5.1.12, the contracting authority reserves the right to extend this time limit and publish the extension at the Internet address provided in Section 5.1.11, without a preceding publication of a corrigendum to this notice. Economic operators interested in this procurement are invited to subscribe to the call for tenders at the address in Section 5.1.11 in order to get notified when new information or documents are published.

Legal basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509

LocalLaw - Procurement award procedure applying to European Union external actions financed from the general budget of the European Union and the European Development Fund (EDF)

2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: Procurement Document

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0001

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5.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 77000000 Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

Additional classification (cpv): 75130000 Supporting services for the government

Options:

Description of the options: provided they are in conformity with the basic project, new services or works consisting in the repetition of similar services or works, may be entrusted up to 50 % of the initial contract to the initial contractor by negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice.

5.1.2. Place of performance

Anywhere

Additional information: The contract will be performed in Uzbekistan

5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 48 Months

5.1.5. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 7 532 756,00 EUR

5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation:

Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project fully or partially financed with EU Funds.

Information about European Union funds:

EU funds programme: Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI) (2021/2027)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): no

Information about previous notices:

Identifier of the previous notice: 748528-2025

Additional information: The procurement is funded by the following EU programme: Asia and the Pacific.

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Procurement Document

Information about the second stage of a two-stage procedure:

The procedure will take place in successive stages. At each stage, some participants may be eliminated

5.1.10. Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Quality

Description: Please consult the procurement documents.

Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)

Award criterion number: 80

Criterion:

Type: Price

Description: Please consult the procurement documents.

Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)

Award criterion number: 20

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Address of the procurement documents: <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/tender-details/ee282e31-5eb9-4c50-829b-a33f93f517a2-CN?#anchorDocuments>

Ad hoc communication channel:

Name: Funding and Tenders Portal

URL: <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/tender-details/ee282e31-5eb9-4c50-829b-a33f93f517a2-CN?#anchorDocuments>

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/digit/opsys/esubmission?cftUuid=ee282e31-5eb9-4c50-829b-a33f93f517a2>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of requests to participate: 10/03/2026 16:00:59 (UTC+05:00) Karachi, Îles Kerguelen

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Electronic invoicing: Allowed

Electronic ordering will be used: yes

Electronic payment will be used: yes

5.1.15. Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: Court of Justice of the European Union

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: European Commission, INTPA - International Partnerships

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: European Commission, INTPA - International Partnerships

Registration number: COM

Department: INTPA.C - Asia and Pacific, INTPA.C.1 - Central Asia and Afghanistan

Postal address: International Business Centre, 107B Amir Temur Street

Town: Tashkent

Postcode: 100 084

Country: Uzbekistan

Email: DELEGATION-UZBEKISTAN-ETENDERS@eeas.europa.eu

Telephone: +32 2 299 11 11

Internet address: https://international-partnerships.ec.europa.eu/index_en

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Court of Justice of the European Union

Registration number: CURIA

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg
Postcode: L-2925
Country subdivision (NUTS): Luxembourg (LU000)
Country: Luxembourg
Email: GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu
Telephone: +352 4303-1
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: European Commission
Registration number: EUCOM
Postal address: Mondrian (CDMA), Rue du Champ de Mars 21
Town: Brussels
Postcode: B-1050
Country subdivision (NUTS): Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad (BE100)
Country: Belgium
Email: DELEGATION-UZBEKISTAN-ETENDERS@eeas.europa.eu
Telephone: +32 2 299 11 11
Internet address: <https://commission.europa.eu/>

Roles of this organisation:

TED eSender

Notice information

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