

Belgium-Brussels: Study on Control and Enforcement Rules for Geographical Indication (GI) Protection for Non-agricultural Products in the EU

OJ S 251/2020 24/12/2020

Contract award notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, GROW — Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs, GROW.DDG1.F, Industrial policy and Innovation

Postal address: N105 — 07/020

Town: Brussels

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

Postal code: B-1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: grow-dir-f-financial-team@ec.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://ec.europa.eu/growth/>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

Study on Control and Enforcement Rules for Geographical Indication (GI) Protection for Non-agricultural Products in the EU

Reference number: GROW/2020/OP/0010

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73210000 Research consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The study should provide missing data on currently existing control and enforcement mechanisms to ensure the quality of goods certified with an IP right as originating from a specific geographical area, and their effectiveness, costs and benefits for producers and public authorities. The study should enable to determine what options there are for such a mechanism as part of a possible future pan-European system of IP protection for authentically-linked products other than agricultural.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 220 000,00 EUR

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73210000 Research consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: 00 Other or Not Specified

Main site or place of performance: The services will be performed at the contractor's premises.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Study on control and enforcement rules for geographical indication (GI) protection for non-agricultural products in the EU.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Relevance of the proposed methodology / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Quality of the proposal / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Organisation of the work and allocation of resources / Weighting: 30

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: See internet address provided in section I.3).

II.2.14. Additional information

See internet address provided in section I.3).

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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2020/S 146-358225](#)

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

Contract No: SI2.838014-

Lot No: 1

Title:

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A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

01/12/2020

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: VVA Brussels

Postal address: Avenue des Arts, 11

Town: Brussels

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

Postal code: 1210

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: AND International

Postal address: 10 boulevard de Bonne Nouvelle

Town: Paris

NUTS code: FR101 Paris

Postal code: 75010

Country: France

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 220 000,00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 200 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 10 %

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

See internet address provided in section I.3).

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: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

18/12/2020