

Germany-Eschborn: Security 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: Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

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I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://ausschreibungen.giz.de/Satellite/notice/CXTRY6Y1CWHBEL4/documents>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via:

<https://ausschreibungen.giz.de/Satellite/notice/CXTRY6Y1CWHBEL4>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Other type: Legal person governed by private law (gemeinnützige GmbH), wholly owned by the Federal Republic of Germany

I.5. Main activity

Other activity: International Development Cooperation

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

81301692-GIZ Staff safety and security in Libya

Reference number: 81301692

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79710000 Security services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Since 2005, the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH has been actively engaged in Libya, albeit with intermittent pauses due to the civil war. Given the precarious security situation in the region, GIZ coordinates its Libyan operations from Tunisia, maintaining a project implementation office in Tripoli.

The civil war erupted in Libya post the Arab Spring and the ousting of Muammar al-Gaddafi, the nation's longstanding leader. Despite international mediation efforts, conflict continues to define the country. Massive displacements have occurred, and successive administrations have struggled to fulfill expectations regarding nation-building, peace, and democratization. Political divisions persist, and the central government structures are plagued by inefficiency. Operating under the auspices of the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) and the European Union (EU), GIZ collaborates with local authorities to address various domains. This includes a focus on municipal development, decentralization, economic growth, employment, and healthcare.

GIZ extends advisory support to entities like the Libyan Ministry of Local Government, aiding in the process of state decentralization. The organization also conducts training for municipal administration personnel in areas like urban development, project management, and financial oversight. The ultimate goal is to enhance fundamental services such as waste management. Another objective is to empower individuals to reap the benefits of a more robust private sector and improved training opportunities. Consequently, GIZ fosters the growth of micro-enterprises through entrepreneurial training and startup support. Additionally, vocational training is enhanced in sectors with high demand, thereby creating better employment prospects and income for numerous Libyans.

In addition, GIZ is working to enhance primary healthcare in the country by increasing the efficiency of healthcare institutions and providing professional development courses for healthcare staff.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

35120000 Surveillance and security systems and devices

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: LY Libya

Main site or place of performance: 00000 Libya

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

In order to carry out its operations effectively, GIZ seeks a contractor proficient in providing comprehensive safety and security support services. This encompasses 24/7 risk management for international GIZ experts visiting Tripoli/Benghazi and selected municipalities in Libya. The services will encompass:

- Transport to and from airports in the GIZ Area of Operation (AO), with "meet and greet" assistance by an international security expert upon arrival and departure.
- Evaluation of hotels and accommodations in our areas of operation for initial visits, adhering to GIZ standards.
- Provision of vehicle support (both armored and softskin) with drivers.
- Deployment of international team leaders for each mission, organized in a split convoy.

- Implementation of a movement monitoring service, including an in-house tracking system and operations room support for both monitoring and emergency response.
- A standby Emergency Response Team, available 24/7, covering all areas of operation during missionary deployments and in constant communication with the mission protection team in our areas of operations in case of emergencies.
- Supply of bullet-proof vests, helmets, and radios for missionaries.
- Readiness for emergency situations and overland evacuation support (to Tunisia) for international GIZ staff, upon request.
- Inclusion of reporting in the daily service charge per mission day, encompassing security updates on a daily/weekly and/or situationally relevant basis pertaining to Libya and/or the GIZ areas of operations.
- Provision of security briefings and safety instructions for staff following a prior assessment of the relevant meeting venues.

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

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

GIZ may optionally commission contract amendments and/or increases based on the criteria in the tender documents to the successful bidder of this tender up to an additional amount of the same value and/or up to EUR 1.500.000,00 and a maximum duration of 24 months (please see the terms of reference).

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

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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:

1. Self-declaration: name of company and address, tax ID, registration and commercial register number or equivalent register in accordance with the legal provisions of the country of origin.
2. No grounds for exclusion pursuant to § 123, § 124 GWB, § 22 LkSG
3. Registration certificate of the Libyan government to operate in all regions of Libya
4. ICoCA or PSC1 certificate
5. Declaration of bidding consortium and/or declaration of subcontractors (if applicable)

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

1. Average annual turnover for the last three years (last-but-four financial year can be included in case of tenders held within 6 months of end of last financial year), at least: 1.000.000,00 EUR
2. Average number of employees and managers in the last three calendar years, at least 8 persons

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

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III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

1. The technical assessment is only based on reference projects with a minimum commission value of 100.000,00 EUR.
2. At least 3 reference projects in the technical field safety, security and risk management and at least 3 reference projects with German / international development / humanitarian / diplomatic actor and at least 3 reference projects in Libya in the last 3 years

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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: 21/11/2023 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
English

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender
Tender must be valid until: 31/01/2024

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders
Date: 21/11/2023 Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

VI.3. Additional information

All communication takes place in English via communication tool in the project area of the procurement portal.

Bekanntmachungs-ID: CXTRY6Y1CWHBEL4

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Die Vergabekammern des Bundes

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VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

According to Article 160, Section 3 of the German Act Against Restraint of Competition (GWB), application for review is not permissible insofar as

1. the applicant has identified the claimed infringement of the procurement rules before submitting the application for review and has not submitted a complaint to the contracting authority within a period of 10 calendar days; the expiry of the period pursuant to Article 134, Section 2 remains unaffected,
2. complaints of infringements of procurement rules that are evident in the tender notice are not submitted to the contracting authority at the latest by the expiry of the deadline for the application or by the deadline for the submission of bids, specified in the tender notice.
3. complaints of infringements of procurement rules that first become evident in the tender documents are not submitted to the contracting authority at the latest by the expiry of the deadline for application or by the deadline for the submission of bids,

4. more than 15 calendar days have expired since receipt of notification from the contracting authority that it is unwilling to redress the complaint.

Sentence 1 does not apply in the case of an application to determine the invalidity of the contract in accordance with Article 135, Section 1 (2). Article 134, Section 1, Sentence 2 remains unaffected.

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

20/10/2023