649270-2026 - Competition

Norway – Systems and technical consultancy services – Procurement of consultancy services for nuclear security, including handling used fuel, radiation protection and risk assessment.
OJ S 182/2026 21/09/2026
Contract or concession notice – standard regime - Change notice
Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Direktoratet for atomsikkerhet og strålevern
Email: dsa@dsa.no
Legal type of the buyer: Body governed by public law, controlled by a central government authority
Activity of the contracting authority: Health

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Procurement of consultancy services for nuclear security, including handling used fuel, radiation protection and risk assessment.
Description: The Norwegian Radiation Protection Agency and nuclear safety shall procure consultancy services, including consultancy, development of written guidance material and competence raising activities for DSA for nuclear safety and radiation protection. It shall also include reviewing and assessing documents received from the operator(s). Examples of work under the agreement may be (the list is not exhaustive): Review and assessment of licence /permission applications or accompanying documentation and/or consultancy and/or competence building activities in support of such processes, including: • new disposal facilities or other installations for handling core waste • use of transport containers/transport containers for used nuclear fuel • configuration management at the nuclear installations• analysis of security and/or Management and/or stand-by arrangements for nuclear installations• risk and /or security assessments to determine their sufficiency, completeness and compliance with national and international regulations and guidelines, and international best practice • execution of independent assessments, including risk and security assessments.
Procedure identifier: 08b11959-360b-4c57-ace8-3cae124ab68f
Internal identifier: 26/02367
Type of procedure: Open
The procedure is accelerated: no
Main features of the procedure: The Norwegian Radiation Protection Agency and nuclear security shall procure consultancy services, the development of written guidance material and competence raising activities for DSA in relation to nuclear safety and radiation protection. It shall also include reviewing and assessing documents received from the operator(s). Examples of work under the agreement may be (the list is not exhaustive): Review and assessment of licence/permission applications or accompanying documentation and/or consultancy and/or competence building activities in support of such processes, including: • new disposal facilities or other installations for handling core waste • use of transport containers/transport containers for used nuclear fuel • configuration management at the nuclear installations• analysis of security and/or Management and/or stand-by arrangements

for nuclear installations• risk and/or security assessments to determine their sufficiency, completeness and compliance with national and international regulations and guidelines, and international best practice • execution of independent assessments, including risk and security assessments.

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services
Main classification (cpv): 72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services
Additional classification (cpv): 09340000 Nuclear fuels, 42151000 Nuclear reactors, 45251110 Nuclear-power station construction work, 90521000 Radioactive waste treatment services, 90711100 Risk or hazard assessment other than for construction, 90721600 Radiation protection services, 98113000 Services furnished by specialist organisations, 98113100 Nuclear safety services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Postal address: Grini Næringspark 13
Town: Østerås
Postcode: 1361
Country subdivision (NUTS): Oslo (NO081)
Country: Norway

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 25 000 000,00 NOK

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:
Directive 2014/24/EU
Anskaffelsesforskriften - The contracting authority has a continual need for consultants for specific needs (see the competition provisions point 1.2) and an open tender contest is suitable.
Anskaffelsesforskriften - Best relationship between price and quality

2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: Notice
Corruption: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, by enforceable judgement been convicted of corruption by a verdict handed down not more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Corruption as defined in Article 3 of the Convention on Combating Corruption, involving European Communities or European Union member states (EUT C 195 of 25.6.1997, s. 1), and in Article 2, point 1, in the Council´s framework decision 2003/568/RIA of 22 July 2003 on combating corruption in the private sector (EUT L 192 of 31.7.2003, p. 54). This rejection reason also includes corruption as defined in national law for the contracting authority or supplier.
Fraud: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, at the time a legally convicted of fraud has been convicted of fraud by a verdict handed down not more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Fraud included in Article 1 of the Convention on protection of the Financial Interests of the European Communities (EFT C 316 of 27.11.1995, p. 48).

Money laundering or terrorist financing: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of money laundering or financing terrorism by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Money laundering or financing terrorism As defined in Article 1 of the European Parliament and Council Directive 2005/60/EF of 26 October 2005 on preventive measures against the use of the financial system for money laundering and financing terrorism (EUT L 309 of 25.11.2005, p. 15).
Participation in a criminal organisation: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, at the time a legally convicted verdict of participation in a criminal organisation by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Participation in a criminal organisation as defined in Article 2 of the Council´s framework decision 2008/841/RIA of 24 October 2008 on control of organised crime (EUT L 300 of 11.11.2008, p. 42)
Terrorist offences or offences linked to terrorist activities: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body, or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of acts of terrorism or criminal acts connected to terrorist activities by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set directly in the judgement that still applies? Acts of terrorism or criminal acts relating to terrorist activity as defined in Article 1 and 3 of the Council´s framework decision 2002/475/RIA of 13 June 2002 on combating terrorism (EFT L 164, af 22.6.2002, p. 3). This rejection reason also includes incitement to, participation or attempts to commit such actions as included in Article 4 in the mentioned framework decision.
Child labour and including other forms of trafficking in human beings: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of child labour and other forms of human trafficking by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Child labour and other forms of human trafficking as defined in Article 2 of the European Parliament and council directive 2011/36/EU of 5. 1 April 2011 on the prevention and control of human trafficking and the protection of its victims and for compensation of the Council´s framework decision 2002/629/RIA (EUT L 101 of 15.4.2011, p. 1).
Agreements with other economic operators aimed at distorting competition: Has the tenderer entered into agreement(s) with other tenderers with the intention of turning the competition?
Breaching of obligations set under purely national exclusion grounds: The contracting authority shall state that in Norway there are national rejection reasons. These shall be described in the procurement documents. Tenderers must respond to whether they are in one or more of the situations described in the national rejection reasons. Will the purely national rejection reasons, as stated in the relevant notice or in the procurement documents, apply?
Breaching obligation relating to payment of social security contributions: Have tenderers failed to fulfil all their social security obligations in the country where they are established and in their member state, if this is a different country than what he is established in?
Breaching obligation relating to payment of taxes: Has the tenderer not fulfilled his tax and duty obligations in the country in which he is established, and in the contracting authority's member state, if this is a different country than what he is established in?

Business activities are suspended: Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.
Bankruptcy: Is the tenderer in a bankruptcy situation? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.
Arrangement with creditors: Is the supplier in a situation where he has been forced debt arrangement? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.
Insolvency: Is the tenderer in an insolvency situation? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.
Assets being administered by liquidator: Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.
Analogous situation like bankruptcy, insolvency or arrangement with creditors under national law: Is the supplier in a situation where he has been forced debt arrangement? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0000

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5.1.2. Place of performance

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5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 24 Months

5.1.4. Renewal

Maximum renewals: 3
Other information about renewals: The contract can be extended for up to three (3) years after the original expiry date, one (1) year at a time.

5.1.5. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 25 000 000,00 NOK

5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation:
Participation is not reserved.
Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.
The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Notice
Criterion: Enrolment in a trade register
Description of selection criterion: The tenderer is registered in a company register or a trade register in the member state in which the tenderer is established. As described in annex XI of directive 2014/24/EU; suppliers from certain member states may have to fulfil other requirements in the mentioned annex. Minimum qualification requirements Tenderers must be registered in a company register, professional register or trade register in the state where the tenderer is established. The certificate shall not be older than twelve (12) months, in accordance with the tender deadline. Norwegian companies: Certificate of registration. Foreign companies: Proof that the company is registered in a company register, professional register or trade register in the country where the tenderer is established.

Criterion: Financial ratio
Description of selection criterion: For financial key figures stated in the notice or in the procurement documents, the tenderer declares that the actual value(s) of the requested key figures are as follows: Minimum qualification requirements Tenderers must have economic

and financial stability which ensures the Contracting Authority that the Tenderer will be financial viable throughout the entire contract period. An extended credit assessment/report, not older than three months, from a publicly certified credit rating company, with a rating of A (credit worthy), better or equivalent. The report must be based on the last known accounts. The date must be clearly stated. If the tenderer has valid reasons for not submitting the documentation requested by the Contracting Authority, the Tenderer can substantiate his economic and financial position with any other document that the Contracting Authority deems appropriate.

Criterion: Technicians or technical bodies for quality control
Description of selection criterion: Tenderers can use the following technical personnel or technical units, particularly those who are responsible for quality control: For technical personnel or technical units that do not directly belong to the tenderer´s business, but if the capacity the tenderer will use, cf. part II, section C, separate ESPD forms shall be supplemented. Minimum qualification requirements Tenderers must have sufficient technical and professional capacity to fulfil the contract. A description of the technical personnel or technical units, in particular those who are responsible for quality control, that the Tenderer can use to fulfil the contract. We request a description of the tenderer´s total capacity, not an overview of individual employees´ qualifications.

Criterion: Certificates by independent bodies about quality assurance standards
Description of selection criterion: Can tenderers submit certificates issued by independent bodies that document that the tenderer fulfils the stated quality assurance standards, including universal design requirements? Minimum qualification requirements Tenderers must have established and implemented good quality assurance procedures. Description of technical installations and survey and research facilities at the tenderer's disposal and the tenderer's quality assurance measures: Explain how quality management is organised in the company, procedures and routines that ensure delivery quality, how the company handles deviations and works with continuous improvement. If a tenderer is certified in accordance with ISO 19001 or equivalent standards, it is sufficient to present a copy of a valid certificate.

Criterion: Certificates by independent bodies about environmental management systems or standards
Description of selection criterion: Is the tenderer able to submit certificates issued by independent bodies as documentation that the tenderer fulfils the stated environmental management systems or standards? Minimum qualification requirements Tenderers must have established and implemented good environmental management measures. Description of environmental management measures: Explain how the environmental management is organised in the company, procedures and routines that are established to reduce environmental impact and how the company works on continual environmental improvement. If a tenderer is certified in accordance with ISO 14001, EMAS or equivalent standards, it is sufficient to present a copy of a valid certificate.

5.1.10. Award criteria

Criterion:
Type: Cost
Name: The procurement´s total price
Description: Hourly rates multiplied by a given number of hours per annum for expert, senior and junior competence.
Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)

Award criterion number: 20
Criterion:
Type: Quality
Name: Quality
Description: The tenderer´s solution proposal based on the contracting authority´s description, as well as competence of the offered resources/teams.
Category of award weight criterion: Weight (percentage, exact)
Award criterion number: 80

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: Norwegian
Deadline for requesting additional information: 30/09/2026 10:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT
Address of the procurement documents: https://permalink.mercell.com/286748244.aspx

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:
Electronic submission: Required
Address for submission: https://permalink.mercell.com/286748244.aspx
Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: Norwegian
Electronic catalogue: Allowed
Variants: Not allowed
Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed
Deadline for receipt of tenders: 06/10/2026 10:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT
Duration during which the tender must remain valid: 87 Days
Information about public opening:
Opening date: 06/10/2026 10:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT
Terms of contract:
The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No
A non-disclosure agreement is required: yes
Additional information about the non-disclosure agreement: Tenderers shall sign the contracting authority´s confidentiality statement before the contract starts.
Electronic invoicing: Required
Electronic ordering will be used: no
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: Trøndelag tingrett
Information about review deadlines: See the contracting authority´s competition terms attached to the notice.
Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Norsk Helsenett SF
Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Norsk Helsenett SF

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: Trøndelag tingrett

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: Norsk Helsenett SF
Registration number: 994598759
Department: Avdeling anskaffelser
Postal address: Abels gate 9
Town: TRONDHEIM
Postcode: 7030
Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)
Country: Norway
Contact point: Avdeling anskaffelser
Email: anskaffelser@nhn.no
Telephone: +47 24200000
Internet address: http://www.nhn.no
Roles of this organisation:
Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure
Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Direktoratet for atomsikkerhet og strålevern
Registration number: 867668292
Department: Seksjon Nukleær sikkerhet og avvikling
Postal address: Grini Næringspark 13
Town: Østerås
Postcode: 1361
Country subdivision (NUTS): Oslo (NO081)
Country: Norway
Email: dsa@dsa.no
Telephone: 67162500
Internet address: https://www.dsa.no
Roles of this organisation:
Buyer

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: Trøndelag tingrett
Registration number: 926722794
Town: Trondheim
Postcode: 7013
Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)
Country: Norway
Roles of this organisation:
Review organisation
Organisation providing more information on the review procedures

10. Change

Version of the previous notice to be changed

:
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Main reason for change
:
Information updated
Description
:
The tender deadline has been postponed with one (1) week as agreed with the Contracting Authority.

10.1. Change
Section identifier: PROCEDURE
Description of changes: The tender deadline has been amended from 29 September 2026 to 6 October 2026.

10.1. Change
Section identifier: LOT-0000
Description of changes: The tender deadline has been amended from 29 September 2026 to 6 October 2026.

Notice information

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