

**Norway-Kongsvinger: Recruitment services**

**OJ S 248/2022 23/12/2022**

**Contract notice**

**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Statistisk Sentralbyrå

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**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://permalink.mercell.com/192887041.aspx>

Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.ssb.no/>

**I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://permalink.mercell.com/192887041.aspx>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://permalink.mercell.com/192887041.aspx>

**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**

Resources for the IT Department

Reference number: 22/1914

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

79600000 Recruitment services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4. Short description**

The aim of the procurement is to establish a framework agreement with a tenderer that can be used to obtain necessary external competence for the contracting authority.  
The contracting authority currently has approx. 10 call-offs a year under an existing framework agreement within  
IT.

The framework agreement will cover the need for competence that the contracting authority does not have access to in  
its department on a given date, or when there is an independent need for external solving of a problem. The framework agreement can also be used if extra capacity is needed.

#### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 85 000 000,00 NOK

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

This contract is divided into lots: no

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

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

72222300 Information technology services, 72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services

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

NUTS code: NO020 Innlandet

NUTS code: NO081 Oslo

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its department on a given date, or when there is an independent need for external solving of a problem. The framework agreement can also be used if extra capacity is needed.  
The contracting authority is working towards modernising statistics production in SSB through changing

processes and renewing the IT portfolio within several links in the production chain; data acquisition, preparing and analysing data, communicating statistics and data, as well as within information management. The contracting authority is establishing a new IT platform in the cloud to support this.

A modernised statistics production will use cloud native principles, and in a considerably greater degree than today, be service orientated and use patterns such as micro-service architecture, etc. In the coming years the contracting authority will establish IT systems and statistics production in a new cloud platform.

The contracting authority has a large existing product portfolio on the current platform. This must be managed at the same time that the functionality is established in the cloud platform. The contracting authority reserves the right, in special cases, to decide whether a need must be announced  
as an independent contest.

The contracting authority reserves the right to announce a contest for the hire of IT resources that are still being trained.

#### **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**

Value excluding VAT: 85 000 000,00 NOK

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

1 + 1 year.

#### **II.2.10. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

#### **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 III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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#### **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:

Norwegian companies: Company registration certificate

Foreign companies: Verification showing that the tenderer is registered in a company register, professional register or a commerce register in the country where the tenderer is established.

##### **III.1.2. Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Credit rating based on the most recent accounting figures. The rating must be carried out by a credit rating agency with a licence to provide such service. The rating must be minimum A, or a level that is equivalent to this if the letter scale is not used (AAA-D)

The contracting authority can obtain further credit ratings or other financial information such as, but not limited to, the annual accounts including notes, the board's annual reports and the auditor's reports.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

The rating must be minimum A, or a level that is equivalent to this if the letter scale is not used (AAA-D)

##### **III.1.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Description of up to three of the tenderer's most relevant assignments in the last three years. The description must include a statement of the assignment value, dates and recipients (name, telephone number and e-mail address). It is the tenderer's responsibility to confirm relevance through the description. Tenderers can document experience by referring to the competence of personnel at disposal for this assignment, including experience that has been acquired while personnel performed services for another supplier.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Up to three relevant assignments carried out in the last three years.

## **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**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

#### **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: 31/01/2023 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**

Norwegian

#### **IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Tender must be valid until: 10/02/2023

#### **IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 31/01/2023 Local time: 12:05

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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### **VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

### **VI.3. Additional information**

### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Oslo Tingrett

Town: Oslo

Country: Norway

### **VI.5.**

**Date of dispatch of this notice**

20/12/2022