

Finland-Helsinki: Increase of Ceiling of the Framework Contract for IT Services Covering ECHA's Bespoke Applications Sourcing Tiers
OJ S 251/2023 29/12/2023
Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Chemicals Agency (ECHA)

Postal address: Telakkakatu 6

Town: Helsinki

NUTS code: FI1B1 Helsinki-Uusimaa

Postal code: FI-00150

Country: Finland

Contact person: Finance Unit

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Telephone: +358 9686180

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Main address: www.echa.europa.eu

Address of the buyer profile: <https://echa.europa.eu/about-us/procurement>

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

Increase of Ceiling of the Framework Contract for IT Services Covering ECHA's Bespoke Applications Sourcing Tiers

Reference number: ECHA/2020/666.Lot 1

II.1.2. Main CPV code

72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The envisaged procurement channel will cover services to support the development and maintenance activities of scientific IT tools supporting the regulatory processes currently entrusted to ECHA without preclusion of those that shall or are in the process of being entrusted to ECHA, on the basis of the EU chemicals legislation.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 22 500 000,00 EUR

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: FI Suomi / Finland

Main site or place of performance: Contractor's and ECHA's premises.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Primary channel for TRANSFORM initiatives, primarily covering IT services on project-based activities for the construction of new products and other specialised services.

The legal basis for the increase of the ceiling is point 11.1.e) and 11.4 of Annex I to the Financial Regulation (Regulation 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union).

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Not applicable to this award; original award as per original tender specifications / Weighting: 60

Cost criterion - Name: Not applicable to this award; original award as per original tender specifications / Weighting: 40

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

In Lot 1 the procedure has resulted in the conclusion of multiple framework contracts (FWC) in cascade and with reopening of competition under certain circumstances.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union in the cases listed below

- New works/services, constituting a repetition of existing works/services and ordered in accordance with the strict conditions stated in the directive

Explanation:

As established in Section 1.7 of the Tender Specifications of the open call for tenders no ECHA /2020/66, within 3 years following the signature of the FWC, the contracting authority may launch a negotiated procedure under point 11.1.e of Annex 1 to Regulation (EU, Euratom)

2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union to procure new services from the contractor (s) up to a maximum of 50 % of the initial FWC ceiling.

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2021/S 140-371428](#)

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: ECHA/2020/666

Lot No: 1

Title:

Provision of IT Transformation Services

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

19/12/2023

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 3

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Sopra Steria Benelux

National registration number: 0474817275

Postal address: Avenue Arnaud Fraiteur 15-23

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Postal code: 1050

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Network Research Belgium SA, Business Unit Trasys International

National registration number: 0430502430

Postal address: Parc Industriel des Hauts Sarts 2 Avenue 65

Town: Herstal
NUTS code: BE3 Région wallonne
Postal code: 4040
Country: Belgium
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: SWORD Service Greece S.A
National registration number: 138231401100
Postal address: Gyzi 3 str., Maroussi
Town: Athens
NUTS code: EL3 ΑΤΤΙΚΗ (Attiki)
Postal code: 15125
Country: Greece
The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 15 000 000,00 EUR
Total value of the contract/lot: 22 500 000,00 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: 20 %

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: ECHA/2020/666

Lot No: 1

Title:

Provision of IT Run and Grow Services

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

19/12/2023

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3
Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 3
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Eviden Belgium NV/SA
National registration number: 0401.848.135
Postal address: Da Vincilaan 5
Town: Zaventem
NUTS code: BE Belgique / België
Postal code: 1930
Country: Belgium
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Netcompany-Intrasoft S.A.
National registration number: RCS LU B56565
Postal address: 2B, rue Nicolas Bove
Town: Luxembourg
NUTS code: LU Luxembourg
Postal code: L-1253
Country: Luxembourg
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Uni Systems Information Technology Systems Commercial Single Member Societe Anonyme
National registration number: 121831201000
Postal address: Al Pantou Street 19-23
Town: Kallithea
NUTS code: EL Ελλάδα / Elláda
Postal code: 17671
Country: Greece
The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 15 000 000,00 EUR
Total value of the contract/lot: 22 500 000,00 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: 32 %

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: ECHA/2020/666

Lot No: Lot 1

Title:

Provision of IT Transformation Services

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract**V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

19/12/2023

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3
Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 3
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: ARHS Developments S.A.
National registration number: 892986

Postal address: 13, boulevard du Jazz
Town: Belvaux
NUTS code: LU Luxembourg
Postal code: L-4370
Country: Luxembourg
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Altia Consultores SA
National registration number: C-10893
Postal address: Rua Vulcano, 3, Oleiros
Town: A Coruña
NUTS code: ES España
Postal code: 15172
Country: Spain
The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 15 000 000,00 EUR
Total value of the contract/lot: 22 500 000,00 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: 20 %

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

This procedure entails the increase of the ceiling of the original framework contract (EUR 15 000 000) by additional EUR 7 500 000.
The total amount of the ceiling is therefore EUR 22 500 000.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: General Court of the European Union
Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünewald
Town: Luxembourg
Postal code: L-2925
Country: Luxembourg
E-mail: GeneralCourt.Registry@curia.europa.eu
Telephone: +358 4303-1
Fax: +358 4303-2100
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:
You may submit any observations concerning the award procedure to the contracting authority indicated under heading I.1). If you believe that there was maladministration, you may lodge a complaint to the European Ombudsman within 2 years of the date when you became aware of the facts on which the complaint is based (see <http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu>). Such complaint does not have as an effect either to suspend the time limit to launch an appeal or to

open a new period for lodging an appeal. Within 2 months of the notification of the award decision you may lodge an appeal to the body referred to in VI.4.1).

VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

22/12/2023