

554241-2026 - Kompetizzjoni

II-Ġermanja – Servizi ta' konsulenza dwar l-iżvilupp tan-negozju – 10022598-Short-Term Expert Pools to support negotiations and implementation of the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA)

OJ S 153/2026 11/08/2026

Avviż tal-kuntratt jew tal-konċessjoni – reġim standard

Servizzi

1. Xerrej

1.1. Xerrej

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Tip legali tax-xerrej: Impriża pubblika, ikkontrollata minn awtorità tal-gvern ċentrali

Attività tal-awtorità kontraenti: Servizi publiċi ġenerali

2. Proċedura

2.1. Proċedura

Titlu: 10022598-Short-Term Expert Pools to support negotiations and implementation of the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA)

Deskrizzjoni: Background: Although many of the world's fastest-growing economies are in Africa, trade among African countries remains limited. The continent mostly exports raw materials and agricultural products, while it imports machinery, equipment, and food mainly from outside Africa. The African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA), which is one of the African Union's (AU) flagship projects for the implementation of its Agenda 2063, aims to change this. It is expected that, with the introduction of the free trade zone, intra- African trade will be 15% to 25% higher by 2040 (UNECA). The AfCFTA agreement has been signed by 54 of the 55 African Union Member States (MS) and became effective under international law in May 2019. The full implementation of the AfCFTA will lead to a continental single market of more than 1.4 billion people with an aggregate GDP exceeding USD 2 trillion. Our Approach: The GIZ implemented project "Support to the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA) II" cofinanced by the BMZ and the EU, seeks to improve framework conditions for the realisation of the AfCFTA and supports the outstanding negotiations and the implementation of the AfCFTA. For this, the programme supports the African Union, specifically the Department for Economic Development, Trade, Tourism, Industry, Minerals (ETTİM) and the AfCFTA Secretariat at the continental level in the coordination of AfCFTA implementation. On the regional level the programme cooperates with Regional Economic Communities (RECs), specifically EAC (East African Community), ECOWAS (Economic Community for West African States) and SADC (South African Development Community, plus additional RECs based on request). The programme also supports Member States (Ethiopia, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Malawi, Rwanda, Tunisia, Zambia, plus additional Member States based on request) by working with national institutions, like trade ministries and customs, to implement the agreement. Lastly, the programme works closely with private sector and civil society actors to increase trade under the AfCFTA. Together with the named partners, the programme covers interventions across all technical areas of the AfCFTA. The EU co-financed part of the programme, the EU Technical Assistance Facility, operates as a multi-partner contribution agreement between the European Commission, GIZ (lead implementing agency), Expertise

France, and FIAP. A Project Management Unit, which is housed in the AfCFTA Secretariat, oversees the implementation of the programme and the execution of activities.

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Identifikatur intern: 10022598

Tip ta' proċedura: Miftuħa

Il-proċedura hija aċċellerata: Ie

2.1.1. Għan

Natura tal-kuntratt: Servizzi

Klassifikazzjoni prinċipali (cpv): 79411100 Servizzi ta' konsulenza dwar l-iżvilupp tan-negozju

Klassifikazzjoni addizzjonali (cpv): 79410000 Servizzi ta' konsulenza dwar in-negozju u l-amministrazzjoni

2.1.2. Post tal-prestazzjoni

Pajjiż: Il-Ghana

Informazzjoni addizzjonali: African Union, please see the tender documents.

2.1.4. Informazzjoni ġenerali

Informazzjoni addizzjonali: #Bekanntmachungs-ID: CXTRY6YTT9JKR9U# Communication / questions can only be submitted using GIZ's eProcurement Tender Platform for the award of contracts.

Bażi legali:

Direttiva 2014/24/UE

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2.1.6. Raġunijiet għall-eskluzjoni

Sors tal-motivi għall-eżklussjoni: Avviż

Ksur tal-obbligi stabbiliti skont raġunijiet ta' esklużjoni purament nazzjonali: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Parteċipazzjoni f'organizzazzjoni kriminali: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Reati terroristiċi jew reati marbuta ma' attivitajiet terroristiċi: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Hasil tal-flus jew finanzjament tat-terroriżmu: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Frodi: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Il-korruzzjoni: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Thaddim tat-tfal u forom oħra ta' traffikar tal-bnedmin: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Ksur tal-obbligu relatat mal-ħlas tat-taxxi: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Ksur tal-obbligu relatat mal-ħlas tal-kontribuzzjonijiet tas-sigurtà soċjali: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Ksur tal-obbligi fl-oqsma tal-liġi ambjentali: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Ksur tal-obbligi fl-oqsma tal-liġi soċjali: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Ksur tal-obbligi fl-oqsma tal-liġi tax-xogħol: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Insolvenza: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Assijiet amministrati minn likwidatur: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

L-attivitajiet kummerċjali huma sospizi: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Sitwazzjoni analoga bħal falliment skont il-liġi nazzjonali: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Imġiba professjonali serjament ħażina: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Ftehimiet ma' operatori ekonomiċi oħrajn li għandhom l-għan li jikkawżaw distorsjoni tal-kompetizzjoni: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Kunflitt ta' interest minhabba l-parteċipazzjoni tiegħu fil-proċedura ta' akkwist: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Involvement dirett jew indirett fit-tnejn ta' din il-proċedura ta' akkwist: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Terminazzjoni bikrija, danni jew sanzjonijiet komparabbli oħra: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

Dikjarazzjoni falza, informazzjoni moħbija, ma setgħux jiġu pprovduti d-dokumenti meħtieġa jew inkisbet informazzjoni kunfidenzjali ta' din il-proċedura: In accordance with §§ 123,124 GWB, § 22 LkSG

5. Lott

5.1. Lott: LOT-0001

Titlu: 10022598-Short-Term Expert Pools to support negotiations and implementation of the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA)

Deskrizzjoni: The project seeks the services of a consulting firm to provide technical experts under different short-term expert (STE) pools, which can be deployed flexibly according to the specific demands of the project. The Contractor will contribute to the implementation of all BMZ and EU outputs of the project. The overall goal of this assignment is to support the implementation of the AfCFTA at the continental, regional, and national level by providing advisory services and capacity building for governmental as well as private sector and civil society stakeholders. When the need for support to the project's partners within a particular thematic area is identified, experts shall be mobilised to provide demand-driven technical advisory services and/or capacity building to national, regional, and continental government partners and/or the project itself. The contract is for the provision of pools of qualified STE to cover a broad range of issues relating to AfCFTA negotiations and implementation in general and the programme objectives in particular. The services to be provided under the contract include measures for human capacity development and organisational and technical advice in the following thematic areas: - Removing barriers to Trade in Goods, Trade in Services and Digital Trade - Support for further AfCFTA negotiations (among others on Rules of Origin, Trade in Services) - Support for the ratification of the Phase II Protocols (Competition Policy, Intellectual Property Rights, Investment, Digital Trade, Women & Youth in Trade) - Implementation of AfCFTA regulations at the national and regional levels - Monitor and review the implementation of AfCFTA Protocols in African Union Member States (AU MS) - Improve access to trade information to relevant line ministries and to the private sector - Support the African private sector to trade under AfCFTA rules on the national and regional level - Support relevant authorities to setup inclusive policies for women & youth traders to participate in trade under AfCFTA The contractor will identify and manage pools of STE that will assist the initiatives in the programme's areas of intervention. While the project operates Africa-wide, it focuses interventions at national level in 8 countries: Ethiopia, Ghana, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Malawi, Rwanda, Tunisia, and Zambia. At REC level it focuses at EAC, ECOWAS, and SADC. Interventions to additional AU MS and RECs will be implemented based on partner demand. Across the work packages named below, the contractor is responsible for the following tasks: - Supporting the GIZ in defining the required expertise to reach the project objectives under the described outputs - Identifying and proposing suitable experts from the STE pool - Selecting experts together with the GIZ team - Managing the deployment of experts Expected services that may be included in the work packages are: - Technical, operational, and strategic policy advisory services in the thematic areas listed above - Support in developing, drafting and reviewing reports, studies, analyses, position papers, guidelines, action plans, strategies, implementation plans, legislation, regulations in the thematic areas listed above. - Research

and analysis, including diagnostic missions to assess implementation efforts of the AfCFTA protocols, identify obstacles and propose measures to advance implementation. - Facilitation of private sector participation in policy-making processes, facilitation of dialogue and coordination between public and private sector actors relevant to AfCFTA negotiations and implementation - Facilitation of national, regional, and continental workshops and conferences, including interpretation and translation services and providing expert inputs - Provision of support services to the project, including on optimising M&E systems, the design of communication materials, workshop moderation, translation and interpretation services. Deliverables will mainly be in English or French, but may also be in the other official AU languages (Arabic, Portuguese, Spanish, Swahili) depending on the context of the activity The required services are focused, but not limited, on five work packages which are oriented to different stakeholders: Work package 1: Strengthen the AfCFTA Secretariat's capacity to guide and monitor AfCFTA implementation. Work package 2: Strengthen AUC ETTIM's capacity to support and monitor the enabling environment for production of goods and services for African markets. Work package 3: Support the coordination of the AfCFTA implementation approach among selected RECs (EAC, ECOWAS, and SADC). Work package 4: Support the domestication and ratification of the AfCFTA Protocols and their Annexes in selected AU MS. Work package 5: Enable private sector actors to trade under AfCFTA rules on the country and regional level. Additionally, the contractor is required to support the provision of support services to the project as well as to partner institutions at the continental, regional and national level under all the work packages above. This includes communication services, moderation services, Monitoring & Evaluation support, translation services, and interpretation services. Identifikatur intern: 10022598

5.1.1. Għan

Natura tal-kuntratt: Servizzi

Klassifikazzjoni prinċipali (cpv): 79411100 Servizzi ta' konsulenza dwar l-iżvilupp tan-negozju

Klassifikazzjoni addizzjonali (cpv): 79410000 Servizzi ta' konsulenza dwar in-negozju u l-amministrazzjoni

Għażliet:

Deskrizzjoni tal-għażliet: GIZ may optionally commission contract amendments and/or increases based on the criteria in the tender documents to the successful bidder of this tender. For details, please see the terms of reference.

5.1.2. Post tal-prestazzjoni

Pajjiż: Il-Ghana

Informazzjoni addizzjonali: African Union, please see the tender documents.

5.1.3. Tul ta' żmien stmat

Data tal-bidu: 31/12/2026

Data tat-tmiem tad-durata: 31/03/2028

5.1.4. Tiġdid

Numru massimu ta' tiġdid: 2

Informazzjoni oħra dwar it-tiġdid: GIZ may optionally commission contract amendments and/or increases based on the criteria in the tender documents to the successful bidder of this tender. For details, please see the terms of reference.

5.1.6. Informazzjoni ġenerali

Parteċipazzjoni riżervata:

Il-parteċipazzjoni mhijiex riżervata.

Iridu jingħataw l-ismijiet u l-kwalifiki professjonali tal-istaff assenjat biex iwettaq il-kuntratt: Ma hemmx għalfejn tingħata
Proġett ta' akkwist iffinanzjat kompletament jew parzjalment mill-Fondi tal-UE
L-akkwist huwa kopert mill-Ftehim dwar l-Akkwisti Pubbliċi (GPA): iva
Dan l-akkwist huwa adattat ukoll għall-intrapriżi żgħira u ta' daqs medju (SMEs): iva
Informazzjoni addizzjonali: #Besonders auch geeignet für:other-sme# The project is co-financed by the EU.

5.1.7. Akkwist strateġiku

Għan tal-akkwist strateġiku: Tnaqqis tal-impatti ambjentali

Deskrizzjoni: Please see tender documents.

Għan tal-akkwist strateġiku: Ksib tal-oġġetti soċjali

Deskrizzjoni: Please see tender documents.

Approċċ għat-tnaqqis tal-impatti ambjentali: Il-mitigazzjoni tat-tibdil fil-klima, Il-prevenzjoni u l-kontroll tat-tniġġis

Għan soċjali promoss: Ugwaljanza bejn in-nisa u l-irġiel, Dileġenza dovuta fir-rigward tad-drittijiet tal-bniedem fil-katini ta' provvista globali, Opportunitajiet ta' impjieg għall-persuni qiegħda fit-tul, għall-persuni żvantaġġati u/jew għall-persuni b'diżabbiltà, Kundizzjonijiet tax-xogħol ġusti

5.1.9. Kriterji tal-għażla

Sors tal-kriterji ta' għażla: Avviż

Kriterju: Rekwiziti ekonomiċi jew finanzjarji oħra

Deskrizzjoni tal-kriterju ta' selezzjoni: EN-A1: Principles for the execution of orders (Mit dem Angebot; Mittels Eigenerklärung): The eligibility criteria are not from the same category as stipulated above, as there is no suitable category. 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, EU-Russia sanctions 3. Declaration of bidding consortium and/or declaration of subcontractors (if applicable)

Kriterju: Referenzi fuq servizzi speċifiċi

Deskrizzjoni tal-kriterju ta' selezzjoni: EN-B1: Technical and professional ability (Mit dem Angebot; Mittels Eigenerklärung): 1. The technical assessment is only based on reference projects with a minimum commission value of 750,000.00 EUR (net). 2. At least 4 reference projects in the technical field Regional Economic Integration in Africa and at least 6 reference projects in Africa in the last 36 months (deadline: date of publication of invitation to tender).

Kriterju: Volum ta' negozju annwali medju

Deskrizzjoni tal-kriterju ta' selezzjoni: EN-C1: Economic and financial standing (Mit dem Angebot; Mittels Eigenerklärung): 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: 4,200,000.00 EUR (net).

Kriterju: Rekwiziti ekonomiċi jew finanzjarji oħra

Deskrizzjoni tal-kriterju ta' selezzjoni: EN-C2: Economic and financial standing (Mit dem Angebot; Mittels Eigenerklärung): Average number of employees and managers in the last three calendar years, at least 20 persons.

5.1.11. Dokumenti tal-akkwist

Lingwi li bihom id-dokumenti tal-akkwist huma disponibbli uffiċjalment: Ingliż

Skadenza biex tintalab informazzjoni addizzjonali: 01/09/2026 23:59:59 (UTC+02:00) Hin tal-Ewropa tal-Lvant, Hin tas-sajf tal-Ewropa Ċentrali

Indirizz tad-dokumenti tal-akkwist: <https://ausschreibungen.giz.de/Satellite/notice/CXTRY6YTT9JKR9U/documents>

Mezz ta' komunikazzjoni ad hoc:

URL: <https://ausschreibungen.giz.de/Satellite/notice/CXTRY6YTT9JKR9U>

5.1.12. Termini tal-akkwist

Termini tas-sottomissjoni:

Sottomissjoni elettronika: Meħtieġa

Indirizz għas-sottomissjoni: <https://ausschreibungen.giz.de/Satellite/notice/CXTRY6YTT9JKR9U>

Lingwi li bihom jistgħu jiġu sottomessi offerti jew talbiet għall-parteciġazzjoni: Ingliż

Katalogu elettroniku: Mhux permessa

Varjanti: Mhux permessa

L-offerenti jistgħu jifgħu aktar minn offerta waħda: Mhux permessa

Skadenza biex jintlaqgħu l-offerti: 10/09/2026 12:00:00 (UTC+02:00) Hin tal-Ewropa tal-Lvant, Hin tas-sajf tal-Ewropa Ċentrali

Perjodu waqt li l-offerta għandha tibqa' valida: 111 Jiem

Informazzjoni li tista' tiġi ssupplimentata wara l-iskadenza għas-sottomissjoni:

Fid-diskrezzjoni tax-xerrej, xi dokumenti neqsin relatati mal-offerent jistgħu jiġu ppreżentati aktar tard.

Informazzjoni addizzjonali: GIZ asks the applicant or bidder to submit, complete or correct documents, within the framework laid down by law.

Termini tal-kuntratt:

L-eżekuzzjoni tal-kuntratt għandha titwettagħ fil-qafas ta' programmi ta' impjiegi protetti: Le Kundizzjonijiet relatati mat-twettiq tal-kuntratt: The execution conditions result from the information given in the contract notice and the tender documents.

Fatturazzjoni elettronika: Meħtieġa

Se tintuża l-ordni elettronika: iva

Se jintuża l-pagament elettroniku: iva

5.1.15. Tekniki

Ftehim qafas:

Ebda ftehim ta' qafas

Informazzjoni dwar is-sistema dinamika tax-xiri:

Ebda sistema dinamika ta' xiri

5.1.16. Aktar informazzjoni, medjazzjoni u rieżami

Organizzazzjoni tar-rieżami: Vergabekammern des Bundes

Informazzjoni dwar l-iskadenzi tar-rieżami: 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. Textvorlage erstellen/auswählen /bearbeiten

Organizzazzjoni li tipprovdi informazzjoni addizzjonali dwar il-proċedura tal-akkwist: Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

Organizzazzjoni li tirċievi t-talbiet għall-partecipazzjoni: Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

8. Organizzazzjonijiet

8.1. ORG-0001

Isem uffiċjali: Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

Numru tar-reġistrazzjoni: 993-80072-52

Indirizz postali: Dag-Hammarskjöld-Weg 1 - 5

Belt: Eschborn

Kodiċi postali: 65760

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Rwoli ta' din l-organizzazzjoni:

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Organizzazzjoni li tipprovdi informazzjoni addizzjonali dwar il-proċedura tal-akkwist

Organizzazzjoni li tirċievi t-talbiet għall-partecipazzjoni

8.1. ORG-0002

Isem uffiċjali: Vergabekammern des Bundes

Numru tar-reġistrazzjoni: 022894990

Indirizz postali: Kaiser-Friedrich-Straße 16

Belt: Bonn

Kodiċi postali: 53113

Sottodivizjoni tal-pajjiż (NUTS): Bonn, Kreisfreie Stadt (DEA22)

Pajjiż: Il-Ġermanja

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Indirizz tal-internet: <https://www.bundeskartellamt.de>

Rwoli ta' din l-organizzazzjoni:

Organizzazzjoni tar-rieżami

8.1. ORG-0003

Isem uffiċjali: Datenservice Öffentlicher Einkauf (in Verantwortung des Beschaffungsamts des BMI)

Numru tar-reġistrazzjoni: 0204:994-DOEVD-83

Belt: Bonn

Kodiċi postali: 53119

Sottodivizjoni tal-pajjiż (NUTS): Bonn, Kreisfreie Stadt (DEA22)

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TED eSender

Informazzjoni dwar l-avviż

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Hin tas-sajf tal-Ewropa Ċentrali
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