

L-Luxembourg: management of the closure of the Edicom II programme

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Contract notice

Services

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s):

European Commission, Eurostat, attn: Mr Peter Bekx, Jean Monnet Building, rue Alcide de Gasperi, L-2920 Luxembourg — Kirchberg. Tel. (352) 43 01-36603. Fax (352) 43 01-30709. E-mail: peter.bekx@ec.europa.eu.

Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: www.europa.eu.int/comm/eurostat/.

Further information can be obtained from:

European Commission Statistical Office (Eurostat), attn: Mr Johan Debruyne, Office BECH B3/306, Jean Monnet Building, rue Alcide de Gasperi. Contact: Unit G2 — International trade statistics/methodology, classifications, L-2920 Luxembourg. E-mail: johan.debruyne@ec.europa.eu. Fax (352) 430 13-4339.

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:

European Commission Statistical Office (Eurostat), attn: Ms Romaine Frising, Office BECH B3/306, Jean Monnet Building, rue Alcide de Gasperi. Contact: Unit G2 — International trade statistics/methodology, classifications, L-2920 Luxembourg. E-mail: romaine.frising@ec.europa.eu. Fax (352) 430 13-4339.

Tenders or requests to participate must be sent to:

European Commission Statistical Office (Eurostat), Unit A6 — (CAD) BECH F1b/932, Jean Monnet Building, rue Alcide de Gasperi, L-2920 Luxembourg.

I.2) Type of the contracting authority and main activity or activities:

European institution/agency or international organisation.

Other: statistics.

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no.

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1) Description

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority:

Management of the closure of the Edicom II programme.

II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance:

Services.

Service category No 10.

Main place of performance: contractor's premises.

II.1.3) The notice involves:

A public contract.

II.1.5) Short description of the contract or purchase(s):

The project aims at providing statistical and analytical assistance to the various project managers (EU officials) involved in implementing and monitoring the Edicom II programme and at carrying out the ex-post evaluation of the Edicom II programme.

II.1.6) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV):

74133000.

II.1.7) Contract covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA):

Yes.

II.1.8) Division into lots:

No.

II.1.9) Variants will be accepted:

No.

II.2) Quantity or scope of the contract

II.2.1) Total quantity or scope:

One single lot.

Estimated value, excluding VAT: EUR 200 000.

II.2.2) Options:

No.

II.3) Duration of the contract or time-limit for completion:

Duration: 12 months from the award of the contract.

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions relating to the contract

III.1.1) Deposits and guarantees required:

See tender specifications.

III.1.2) Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions regulating them:

See tender specifications.

III.1.3) Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded:

See tender specifications.

III.1.4) Other particular conditions to which the performance of the contract is subject:

No.

III.2) Conditions for participation

III.2.1) Personal situation of economic operators, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers:

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:

see tender specifications.

III.2.2) **Economic and financial capacity:**

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:

see tender specifications.

III.2.3) **Technical capacity:**

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:

see tender specifications.

III.2.4) **Reserved contracts:**

No.

III.3) **Conditions specific to services contracts**

III.3.1) **Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession:**

No.

III.3.2) **Legal entities should indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff responsible for the execution of the service:**

Yes.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) **Type of procedure:**

Open.

IV.2.1) **Award criteria:**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of the criteria stated in the specifications, in the invitation to tender or to negotiate or in the descriptive document.

IV.2.2) **An electronic auction will be used:**

No.

IV.3) **Administrative information**

IV.3.2) **Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract:**

No.

IV.3.3) **Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document:**

Time-limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents:

22.12.2006.

Payable documents: no.

IV.3.4) **Time-limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate:**

12.1.2007.

IV.3.6) **Language(s) in which tenders or requests to participate may be drawn up:**

Czech, Danish, Dutch, English, Estonian, Finnish, French, German, Greek, Hungarian, Italian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Maltese, Polish, Portuguese, Slovak, Slovenian, Spanish and Swedish.

IV.3.7) **Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender:**

Duration: 12 months from the date stated for receipt of tenders.

IV.3.8) **Conditions for opening tenders:**

19.1.2007 (10:00).

Place: Eurostat premises. Office B4/444.

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: yes.

One authorised representative of each tenderer.

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) This is a recurrent procurement:

No.

VI.2) Contract related to a project and/or programme financed by EU funds:

No.

VI.4) Procedures for appeal

VI.4.1) Body responsible for appeal procedures:

Court of First Instance of the Court of Justice of the European Communities, boulevard Konrad Adenauer, L-2925 Luxembourg. E-mail: ecj.registry@curia.eu.int. Tel. (352) 43 03-1. URL: <http://curia.eu.int>. Fax (352) 43 37 66.

Body responsible for mediation procedures:

The European Ombudsman, 1, avenue du Président Robert Schuman, BP 403, L-67001 Strasbourg, Cedex. Tel. (33-3) 88 17 23 13. Fax (33-3) 88 17 90 62. E-mail: euro-ombudsman@europarl.eu.int. URL: <http://www.euro-ombudsman.eu.int>.

VI.4.2) Lodging of appeals:

Precise information on deadline(s) for lodging appeals:

within 2 months of the notification of the plaintiff or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to knowledge. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have as an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice:

6.11.2006.