Malta-Malta: Provision of Country Intelligence Reports
2019/S 248-611278

Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:
Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses
Official name: EASO
Town: Malta
NUTS code: MT
Country: Malta
E-mail: contracts@easo.europa.eu
Internet address(es):
Main address: https://www.easo.europa.eu/about-us/procurement

I.2) Information about joint procurement

I.3) Communication
The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=5771
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority
European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5) Main activity
Other activity: Asylum

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title:
Provision of Country Intelligence Reports
Reference number: EASO/2019/742

II.1.2) Main CPV code
73000000

II.1.3) Type of contract
Services

II.1.4) Short description:
The subject of this call for tenders is for the provision of Country Intelligence Reports (CIRs).
Please see also the point 1.7 of the tender specifications (Part 1) ‘Volume and value of the contract: how much do we plan to buy?’ (See internet address provided in Section I.3).
II.1.5) **Estimated total value**

II.1.6) **Information about lots**
This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

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

73000000

II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: MT
Main site or place of performance:
The services will be performed at the contractor's premises or any premises required by the specificity of the services described in the technical requirements.

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
Open call procedure for the provision of Country Intelligence Reports (CIRS). The services that are the subject of this call for tender, including any minimum requirements, are described in detail in the tender specifications – part 2: Technical Specifications, hereafter referred to as 'Technical Specifications'.
Please see also the point 1.7 of the Tender Specifications (Part 1) 'Volume and value of the contract: how much do we plan to buy?' (See internet address provided in Section I.3).

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**

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:
In case the FWC ceiling is not fully consumed, the FWC may be renewed up to 1 time for a period of execution of tasks of 12 months, with express written agreement of the parties, before the end of the ongoing duration. Renewal does not change or postpone any existing obligations.

II.2.10) **Information about variants**
Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**
Options: no

II.2.12) **Information about electronic catalogues**

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**

III.1) **Conditions for participation**

III.1.1) **Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

III.1.2) **Economic and financial standing**
Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents
III.1.3) Technical and professional ability
Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.5) Information about reserved contracts

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.1) Information about a particular profession

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:
See internet address provided in Section I.3).

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Section IV: Procedure

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.1.4) Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction

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

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate
Date: 13/02/2020
Local time: 16:00

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:
Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English, Spanish, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swedish

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender
Duration in months: 9 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders
Date: 14/02/2020
Local time: 11:00
Place:
European Asylum Support Office, Winemakers Wharf, Grand Harbour, Valletta, MRS 1917, MALTA.
Information about authorised persons and opening procedure:
A maximum of 2 representatives per tender may attend the opening session. For organisational and security reasons the tenderer must provide the full name, date of birth, nationality and ID or passport number of the representatives at least 2 working days in advance to: contracts@easo.europa.eu

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence
This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

VI.3) Additional information:
See internet address provided in Section I.3).

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body
Official name: General Court of the European Union
Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrunewalrd
Town: Luxembourg
Postal code: L - 2925
Country: Luxembourg
E-mail: GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu
Telephone: +352 4303-1
Fax: +352 4302-2100
Internet address: http://curia.europa.eu

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

VI.4.3) Review procedure
Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:
Within 2 months of the notification of the award decision, an appeal may be lodged to the review body in Heading VI.4.1). You may submit any observations concerning the award procedure to the contracting authority indicated in 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.

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

VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice:
19/12/2019