Malta-Valletta: Service contract for the provision of professional legal services
2014/S 230-405188

Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s)
European Asylum Support Office (EASO)
MTC Block A, Winemakers Wharf, Grand Harbour
For the attention of: Procurement and Contracts Sector
Valletta
MRS 1917
MALTA
E-mail: contracts@easo.europa.eu
Internet address(es):
General address of the contracting authority: http://easo.europa.eu/

I.2) Type of the contracting authority
European institution/agency or international organisation

I.3) Main activity
Other: Asylum support.

I.4) Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities
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
Service contract for the provision of professional legal services.

II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance
Services
Main site or location of works, place of delivery or of performance: Contractor's premises.
NUTS code NL

II.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)

II.1.4) Short description of the contract or purchase(s)
The overall objective of this service contract is the provision of legal analysis and advice on European and international asylum law and case-law.

II.1.5) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)
79100000

II.1.6) Information about Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)
The contract is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): no
II.2) Total final value of contract(s)
II.2.1) Total final value of contract(s)
Value: 515 000 EUR
Excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure
IV.1) Type of procedure
IV.1.1) Type of procedure
Negotiated without a call for competition
Justification for the award of the contract without prior publication of a contract notice in the Official Journal of the European Union (OJEU):
Directive 2004/18/EC
1) Justification for the choice of the negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice in the OJEU in accordance with Directive 2004/18/EC
2) Other justification for the award of the contract without prior publication of a contract notice in the OJEU
The contract has as its object services listed in Annex II B to the Directive. According to Article 134(1)(i) of the rules of application of 2002 applicable to the general budget of the European Union, contracting authorities may use the negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice, whatever the estimated value of the contract, for contracts for legal services according to the CPV nomenclature, provided that such contracts are appropriately advertised. On 10.7.2014 an advertisement for contracts for the provision of legal services was published on the EASO website. Additionally, the procurement of the above specific legal services on European and international asylum law has been advertised in Section 10.1 of the EASO annual work programme 2014 as adjusted on 1.8.2014.

IV.2) Award criteria
IV.2.1) Award criteria
IV.2.2) Information about electronic auction
An electronic auction has been used: no

IV.3) Administrative information
IV.3.1) File reference number attributed by the contracting authority
EASO/2014/269.
IV.3.2) Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract
no

Section V: Award of contract
V.1) Date of contract award decision:
20.11.2014
V.2) Information about offers
Number of offers received: 1
Number of offers received by electronic means: 1
V.3) Name and address of economic operator in favour of whom the contract award decision has been taken
The International Association of Refugee Law Judges (IARLJ)
Stationsplein 80
2011 LM Haarlem
NETHERLANDS
V.4) Information on value of contract
Initial estimated total value of the contract:
Value: 515 000 EUR
Total final value of the contract:
Value: 515 000 EUR
Excluding VAT

V.5) Information about subcontracting
The contract is likely to be sub-contracted: no

Section VI: Complementary information
VI.1) Information about European Union funds
The contract is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: no

VI.2) Additional information:

VI.3) Procedures for appeal
VI.3.1) Body responsible for appeal procedures
General Court of the European Union
boulevard Konrad Adenauer
2925 Luxembourg
LUXEMBOURG
E-mail: cfi.registry@curia.europa.eu
Telephone: +352 4303-1
Internet address: http://curia.europa.eu
Fax: +352 4303-2100

VI.3.2) Lodging of appeals
Precise information on deadline(s) for lodging appeals: Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in the absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

VI.3.3) Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained

VI.4) Date of dispatch of this notice:
21.11.2014