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**Malta-Valletta: Provision of MedCOI Quality Assurance Services and Comparative Legal Research
2020/S 250-622833**

Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Official name: European Asylum Support Office
Postal address: Winemakers Wharf, Grand Harbour
Town: Valletta
NUTS code: MT0 MALTA
Postal code: MRS 1917
Country: Malta
E-mail: contracts@easo.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://www.easo.europa.eu>
Address of the buyer profile: <https://www.easo.europa.eu/about-us/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=7409>
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=7409>
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 MedCOI Quality Assurance Services and Comparative Legal Research
Reference number: EASO/2020/816

II.1.2) Main CPV code

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description:

Lot 1: MedCOI external quality audits/verifications;
Lot 2: MedCOI Satisfaction Surveys and overall MEDCOI services' quality review;
Lot 3: MedCOI Policy research/state practices and case law analysis.

II.1.5) **Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 425 000.00 EUR

II.1.6) **Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes
Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Lot 1: MedCOI External Quality Audits/Verifications
Lot No: 1

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

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: MT MALTA

Main site or place of performance:

The services will be performed at the following locations:

- the contractor's premises;
- EASO premises;
- Any other location deemed necessary for the execution of tasks in the technical specifications.

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

Lot 1 concerns verification research in countries of origin and verification reports of two types of underlying reports made by EASO MedCOI Sector:

- individual medical availability requests/answers: short strictly medical reports (in most of the cases 1 to 5 pages) about medical treatment and medication options in a specific country for a specific individual case;
- individual accessibility requests/answers: short reports (in most of the cases 1 to 5 pages) about mainly economic access to specific treatments and medication options in a specific country; e.g. prices of medication, treatments and coverage options for a specific individual.

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**

Value excluding VAT: 200 000.00 EUR

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

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**
- II.2) **Description**
- II.2.1) **Title:**
Lot 2 concerns satisfaction surveys and interviews (and related reports with results) with users and staff of MedCOI and reviewing existing internal and external quality related measures.
Lot No: 2
- II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**
73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services
- II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: MT MALTA
Main site or place of performance:
The services will be performed at the following locations:
— the contractor's premises;
— EASO premises;
— Any other location deemed necessary for the execution of tasks in the technical specifications.
- II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
Lot 2 concerns satisfaction surveys and interviews (and related reports with results) with users and staff of MedCOI and reviewing existing internal and external quality related measures.
- 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**
Value excluding VAT: 95 000.00 EUR
- II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**
Duration in months: 48
This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Description of renewals:
See internet address provided in section I.3).
- II.2.10) **Information about variants**
Variants will be accepted: no
- 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**
- II.2) **Description**
- II.2.1) **Title:**
Lot 3: MedCOI Policy Research/State Practices and Case Law Analysis
Lot No: 3
- II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**
73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services
- II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: MT MALTA
Main site or place of performance:

The services will be performed at the following locations:

- the contractor's premises;
- EASO premises;
- Any other location deemed necessary for the execution of tasks in the tender specifications.

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

Lot 3 concerns research and reports on the state practices and jurisprudence/case law related to MedCOI.

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**

Value excluding VAT: 130 000.00 EUR

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

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**

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**

List and brief description of conditions:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

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.2) **Conditions related to the contract**

III.2.2) **Contract performance conditions:**

See Internet address provided in section I.3).

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

IV.2) **Administrative information**

IV.2.2) **Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 04/02/2021

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: 05/02/2021

Local time: 10:00

Place:

European Asylum Support Office, Winemakers Wharf, Grand Harbour Valletta, MRS 1917, MALTA.

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure:

A maximum of two 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 two 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.3) **Additional information:**

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**

Official name: General Court

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünewald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Fax: +352 4303-2100

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

16/12/2020