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## EX ANTE PUBLICITY

**SUBJECT: EASO/2019/730 –FRAMEWORK SERVICE CONTRACT for Provision of advanced electronic signature with qualified certificate for EASO documents and workflows**

### I. Description of the services

The European Asylum Support Office (EASO) is planning to Provision of advanced electronic signature with qualified certificate for EASO documents and workflows.

In more details, EASO intends to conclude a contract for 2 main work packages:

Work Package 1 "SIGNING SOLUTION" includes the following:

#### 1. WP1.1 Software

- a) Signing software which includes Signature Creation Application, MS SharePoint add-on and other components necessary for signing and verifications according to the requirements
- b) Signature Verification Solution
- c) OTP One Time Password Solution
- d) API

#### 2. WP1.2 Hardware

- a) SSCD Secure Signature Creation Device

#### 3. WP1.3 Services

- a) Consultation
- b) Integration
- c) Training
- d) Maintenance
- e) Migration

Work Package 2 "QTSP SERVICES" includes the following:

#### 1. WP2.1 Certificates

- a) Qualified electronic signature certificates for advanced electronic signatures
- b) Qualified electronic seal certificates for qualified seal

#### 2. WP.2.2 CA services

- a) On-site Registration for Qualified Certificates (EASO Office)
- b) Revocation services available for EASO representatives for all issued certificates
- c) TSA – Qualified Time Stamping

## II. Description of the contract

EASO envisages awarding a service framework contract. The duration of the contract will be 24 months with the possibility to be extended 2 times, 12 months each. The estimated maximum amount for this contract is **EUR 100,000.00**

## III. Description of the procurement procedure

This ex-ante publicity is the first stage of the negotiated procurement procedure with at least 5 economic operators through which EASO may award the above-mentioned contract.<sup>1</sup>

This publication has an indicative value and constitutes no obligation to award a contract for EASO nor to invite to tender for middle value contracts procedures any economic operator having expressed its interest in participating.

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Economic operators interested in being invited to participate in this procedure may express their interest by writing to [CONTRACTS@easo.europa.eu](mailto:CONTRACTS@easo.europa.eu) before **12/07/2019**.<sup>2</sup>

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