Germany-Frankfurt-on-Main: ECB - Supply of electricity  
2016/S 185-331377  

Contract notice  
Supplies

Directive 2014/24/EU  

Section I: Contracting authority  

I.1) Name and addresses  
European Central Bank  
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60314  
Germany  
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Fax: +49 69/13447110  
NUTS code: DE712  
Internet address(es):  
Main address: http://www.ecb.europa.eu

I.2) Joint procurement

I.3) Communication  
The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at:  
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  
Economic and financial affairs

Section II: Object  

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title:  
Supply of electricity.  
Reference number: PRO-002501.

II.1.2) Main CPV code  
65310000

II.1.3) Type of contract  
Supplies

II.1.4) Short description:
The European Central Bank (ECB) is tendering out the supply of electricity for the buildings located in its main address (Sonnemannstraße 20, 60314 Frankfurt-on-Main, GERMANY) and the location Japan Center (Taunustor 2, 60311 Frankfurt-on-Main, GERMANY). The ECB requires regenerative (green) power supply. Furthermore the installation and running during the entire contract duration of a few charging stations for cars in the main building is included as part of the scope of this procedure.

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)
65320000

II.2.3) Place of performance
NUTS code: DE712

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:
The European Central Bank (ECB) is tendering out the supply of electricity for the buildings located at its main address (Sonnemannstraße 20, 60314 Frankfurt-on-Main, GERMANY) and at the location ‘Japan Center’ (Taunustor 2, 60311 Frankfurt-on-Main, GERMANY). The main building is located in the eastern part of the city while the Japan Center is located in the city centre. The area where the buildings are is around 120 000 m\(^2\). The total surface in the buildings is around 190 000 m\(^2\).
27,7 GWh is estimated per year for the main building while 1,3 GWh is estimated for the Japan Center. The ECB requires regenerative (green) power supply and that the tenderer has supplied this kind of supply in the past as stated in the procurement documents.
The local net operator is Netzdienste Rhein-Main GmbH.
The ECB requires regenerative (green) power supply. Furthermore the installation and running during the entire contract duration of a few charging stations for cars is included as part of the scope of this procedure.

II.2.5) Award criteria
Criteria below
Price

II.2.6) Estimated value

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system
Duration in months: 36
This contract is subject to renewal: no

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**

List and brief description of conditions:

Pursuant to Article 30 of the Decision (EU) 2016/245 of the European Central Bank of 9.2.2016 laying down the rules on procurement (ECB/2016/2) the following shall apply:

the ECB shall exclude tenderers from participation if they, or their management bodies, have been convicted by a final judgment of participation in a criminal organisation, corruption, fraud, terrorist offences or financing, money laundering, child labour or human trafficking, as referred to in Article 57(1) of Directive 2014/24/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council, or of any other illegal activity detrimental to the financial interests of the Union, the ECB or the NCBs.

The ECB may exclude tenderers from participation at any time if:

(a) they are bankrupt, being wound up, subject to administration or in any similar situation provided for in national legislation or regulations;

(b) they are guilty of grave professional misconduct, which renders their integrity questionable;

(c) they are in breach of obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions or the payment of taxes in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which they are established or where the contract is to be performed;

(d) they have shown significant or persistent deficiencies in the performance of another public contract, or with their obligations under environmental, social and labour law;

(e) they or their management, staff or agents are subject to a conflict of interest that cannot be remedied by less intrusive means;

(f) they are guilty of serious misrepresentation in supplying the information required by the ECB; or

(g) they contact other candidates or tenderers with the purpose of restraining competition, or try to unduly influence the decision-making process in the procurement procedure.

Tenderers shall certify that they are not in one of the situations listed above and provide the evidence specified in the contract notice or invitation to tender. If such circumstances arise in the course of the procedure the tenderer concerned shall inform the ECB thereof without undue delay. Tenderers may submit evidence to demonstrate their eligibility despite the existence of grounds for exclusion.

III.1.2) **Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Tenderers shall have the economic and financial capacity to perform the contract.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Tenderers must meet the following minimum requirement(s): accumulated total net turnover for the last 3 financial years for regenerative power supply (green power supply — ‘grüne Stromversorgung’) of at least 5 000 000 EUR. Further details are provided in the tender documentation.

III.1.3) **Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Tenderers shall have the technical and professional capacity to perform the contract.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Tenderers should be in a position to provide regenerative power supply — ‘grüne Stromversorgung’. As proof, tenderers shall submit a copy of their registration and the registration number at the HKNR (‘Herkunftsnachweisregister des Umweltbundesamts’) or other national recognised authority with equivalent function and 3 reference projects in providing regenerative power supply. Further details are provided in the tender documentation.
III.1.5) **Information about reserved contracts**

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

III.2.2) **Contract performance conditions:**
Payment arrangements in line with the terms and conditions of the contracts. Please see the details in the
tender documentation.

The establishment of a temporary grouping of companies is allowed under the conditions laid down in the tender
documentation. Temporary groupings do not need to have a specific legal form but will be jointly and severally
liable for all obligations under the contract. Please see the details in the application/tender documentation to be
requested from the contact point indicated in Sections I.1 and VI.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**

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: 19/10/2016
Local time: 18:00

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:**

German, English

IV.2.6) **Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) **Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 21/11/2016
Local time: 10:00
Place:
European Central Bank, 60314 Frankfurt-on-Main, GERMANY.

**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:**

The documentation for this procurement can be downloaded from an Internet platform. If you are interested in
participating in the procurement procedure please register via the Internet platform using the following Internet
address, user name and password:
Internet address: https://www.ecb.europa.eu/secure/procurement/
User name: 002501/A/PRE/2016
Password: 13AFD1

After you have registered an e-mail will be sent to you with a new user name and password. The Internet address will remain the same. Please use the new user name and password to download the application/tender documentation.

However, your mere registration and downloading the documentation does not constitute an application/tender. You must submit your application/tender in hard copy version to the ECB, on time, in the format requested and including the content as further instructed in the application/tender documentation.

Should you experience any problems in accessing the Internet platform for registration and/or downloading the application/tender documentation please do not hesitate to contact the ECB under the following e-mail address: procurement@ecb.europa.eu quoting the procurement number and problem experienced.

The ECB shall endeavour to answer all queries concerning access as quickly as possible but cannot guarantee a minimum response time. The ECB shall not be bound to reply to queries received less than 7 calendar days before the time limit for the submission of tenders.

The tender procedure shall be open on equal terms to all natural or legal persons resident or located in the European Union and to all natural and legal persons resident or located in a country which has ratified the World Trade Organisation Agreement on Government Procurement or has concluded with the European Union a bilateral agreement on procurement under the conditions laid down in the said agreements.


During the tender procedure tenderers shall not contact any other ECB staff members or organisations/persons working for the ECB with regard to this tender procedure other than the person indicated in Section I.1). Tenderers shall also not contact potential competitors unless they intend to form a temporary grouping with them or to involve them as subcontractors. Any violation of this communication rule may lead to the exclusion of the tenderer in question.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body
Procurement Review Body of the European Central Bank, c/o Legal Advice Team
Sonnemannstraße 20
Frankfurt-on-Main
60314
Germany
Telephone: +49 6913440
Fax: +49 6913446886
Internet address: http://www.ecb.europa.eu

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures
European Ombudsman
1 avenue du Président Robert Schuman
Strasbourg
67001
France

VI.4.3) Review procedure
Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:
15 days from the receipt of the information specified in Article 34(3) of Decision (EU) 2016/245 of the European Central Bank of 9.2.2016 laying down the rules on procurement (ECB/2016/2) or, if no information is requested, 15 days from the receipt of the notification to unsuccessful tenderers. Further requirements are outlined in Article 39 of this Decision. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not affect the deadline for lodging appeals.

VI.4.4) **Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**
Central Procurement Division of the European Central Bank
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Germany
E-mail: procurement@ecb.europa.eu
Fax: +49 6913447110
Internet address: http://www.ecb.europa.eu

VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**
14/09/2016