Germany-Frankfurt-on-Main: ECB - Consultancy services for risk management PRO-001401
2016/S 210-380204

Contract award notice

Results of the procurement procedure

Services

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) **Name and addresses**
European Central Bank
Sonnemannstraße 22
Frankfurt-on-Main
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.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:**
Consultancy services for risk management PRO-001401.
Reference number: PRO-001401.

II.1.2) **Main CPV code**
66171000

II.1.3) **Type of contract**
Services

II.1.4) **Short description:**
The European Central Bank (ECB) contracted suppliers for the provision of consultancy services for risk management and intends to award contracts (the ‘contract’) to the suppliers offering the best value for money.
II.1.6) Information about lots
This contract is divided into lots: yes

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)
Value excluding VAT: 8 000 000.00 EUR

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title:
Lot 1 (orders < 200 000 EUR)
Lot No: 1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)
66171000
66170000

II.2.3) Place of performance
NUTS code: DE712
Main site or place of performance:
Contractor's premises and the premises of the ECB (Frankfurt-on-Main).

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:
The European Central Bank (ECB) contracted suppliers for the provision of consultancy services for risk management and intends to award contracts to the suppliers offering the best value for money.

II.2.5) Award criteria
Quality criterion - Name: Quality of the offer / Weighting: 60
Cost criterion - Name: Price of the offer / Weighting: 40

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
The total value of the FWA(s) indicated in this contract award notice is/are indicative non-binding spending estimate(s) at the time of contract award. The actual value of the FWA may differ and will be determined by actual business needs.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title:
Lot 2 (orders > 200 000 EUR)
Lot No: 2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)
66171000
66170000

II.2.3) Place of performance
NUTS code: DE712
Main site or place of performance:
Contractor's premises and the premises of the ECB (Frankfurt-on-Main).

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:
The European Central Bank (ECB) contracted suppliers for the provision of consultancy services for risk management and intends to award contracts to the suppliers offering the best value for money.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

- Quality criterion - Name: Quality of the offer / Weighting: 60
- Cost criterion - Name: Price of the offer / Weighting: 40

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**
- The total value of the FWA(s) indicated in this contract award notice is/are indicative non-binding spending estimate(s) at the time of contract award. The actual value of the FWA may differ and will be determined by actual business needs.

**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

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**
- Notice number in the OJ S: 2016/S 001-000019

IV.2.8) **Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system**

IV.2.9) **Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

**Section V: Award of contract**

**Contract No:** 1st ranking

**Lot No:** 1

**Title:**
Lot 1 (orders < 200 000 EUR)

- A contract/lot is awarded: yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract:**
- 03/06/2016

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**
- Number of tenders received: 12
- Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3
- The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**
Zanders B.V.
Brinklaan 134
Bussum
1404 GV
Netherlands
NUTS code: NL
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3) **Name and address of the contractor**
Finalyse S.A.
boulevard Bischoffsheim 33
Brussels
1000
Belgium
NUTS code: BE1
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4) **Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)**
Total value of the contract/lot: 2 000 000.00 EUR

V.2.5) **Information about subcontracting**

**Section V: Award of contract**

**Contract No:** 1st ranking

**Lot No:** 2

**Title:**
Lot 2 (Orders >= EUR 200 000)

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) **Award of contract**

V.2.1) **Date of conclusion of the contract:**
03/06/2016

V.2.2) **Information about tenders**
Number of tenders received: 12
Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3) **Name and address of the contractor**
Zanders B.V.
Brinklaan 134
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NUTS code: NL
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3) **Name and address of the contractor**
Finalyse S.A.
boulevard Bischoffsheim 33
Brussels
Belgium
NUTS code: BE1
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)
Total value of the contract/lot: 1,300,000.00 EUR

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 2nd ranking
Lot No: 1
Title:
Lot 1 (orders < 200,000 EUR)
A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract:
08/06/2016

V.2.2) Information about tenders
Number of tenders received: 12
Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
BlackRock Solutions, under Legal Entity BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.
55 East 52nd Street
New York, NY
10055
United States
NUTS code: 00
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)
Total value of the contract/lot: 1,300,000.00 EUR

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 3rd ranking
Lot No: 1
Title:
Lot 1 (orders < 200,000 EUR)
A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract:
06/06/2016

V.2.2) Information about tenders
Number of tenders received: 12
Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3
Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
d-fine GmbH
Opernplatz 2
Frankfurt am Main
60313
Germany
NUTS code: DE712
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)
Total value of the contract/lot: 1 300 000.00 EUR

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

Section V: Award of contract
Contract No: 3rd ranking
Lot No: 2
Title:
Lot 2 (orders > 200 000 EUR)
A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) Award of contract
V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract:
06/10/2016

V.2.2) Information about tenders
Number of tenders received: 12
Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
d-fine GmbH
Opernplatz 2
Frankfurt
60313
Germany
NUTS code: DE712
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)
Total value of the contract/lot: 1 300 000.00 EUR

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

Section V: Award of contract
Contract No: 2nd ranking
Lot No: 2
A contract/lot is awarded: yes
V.2) **Award of contract**

V.2.1) **Date of conclusion of the contract:**
08/06/2016

V.2.2) **Information about tenders**
Number of tenders received: 12
Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3) **Name and address of the contractor**
BlackRock Solutions, under Legal Entity BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.
55 East 52nd Street
New York, NY
10055
United States
NUTS code: 00
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4) **Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)**
Total value of the contract/lot: 1 300 000.00 EUR

V.2.5) **Information about subcontracting**

**Section VI: Complementary information**

VI.3) **Additional information:**
Under the first lot, ranking system is applied amongst the 3 contractors that were awarded the framework agreement. Under the second lot, mini-competition is applied amongst the 3 contractors that were awarded the framework agreement.
The total value of the FWA indicated in the Section V.2.4 is an indicative non-binding spending estimate at the time of contract award. The actual value of the FWA may differ and will be determined by actual business needs.

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**
Procurement Review Body of the European Central Bank, c/o Legal Advice Team
Sonnemannstraße 22
Frankfurt-on-Main
60314
Germany
Telephone: +49 6913440
Fax: +49 6913446886

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 28(3) of Decision of the European Central Bank of 3.7.2007 laying down the Rules on Procurement (ECB/2007/5) or, if no information is requested, 15 days from the receipt of the notification to unsuccessful tenderers. Further requirements are outlined in Article 33 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 Office
Sonnemannstraße 22
Frankfurt-on-Main
60314
Germany
Telephone: +49 6913440

VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice:
20/10/2016