Germany-Frankfurt am Main: ECB - Publications Production
2020/S 142-348308

Contract award notice

Results of the procurement procedure

Services

Legal Basis:
Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority
I.1) Name and addresses
Official name: European Central Bank
Postal address: Sonnemannstrasse 22
Town: Frankfurt am Main
NUTS code: DE712 Frankfurt am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt
Postal code: 60314
Country: Germany
Contact person: Central Procurement Office
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Internet address(es):
Main address: http://www.ecb.europa.eu

I.2) Information about 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:
Publications Production
Reference number: PRO-005128

II.1.2) Main CPV code
79550000 Typing, word-processing and desktop publishing services

II.1.3) Type of contract
Services

II.1.4) Short description:
The ECB has several reporting obligations (economic bulletin, annual report, annual report on supervisory activities, convergence reports, etc.). Additionally, the ECB produces a number of publications which provide
information on its core activities. With this procedure the ECB aimed at awarding a framework agreement for the provision of services related to the production of publications.

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)**

II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: DE712 Frankfurt am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt
Main site or place of performance:
Contract services to be performed remotely but also including a very small front office at ECB premises in Frankfurt am Main.

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
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II.2.5) **Award criteria**
Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50 %
Price - Weighting: 50 %

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 IV: Procedure**

IV.1) **Description**

IV.1.1) **Type of procedure**
Competitive procedure with negotiation

IV.1.3) **Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

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: 2020/S 018-038337

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**

**Title:**
Publications Production
A contract/lot is awarded: no

V.1) Information on non-award
The contract/lot is not awarded
Other reasons (discontinuation of procedure)

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information:
The reason for the cancellation is a change in the service requirements, namely regarding the dedicated onsite Front-Office. The ECB is reconsidering its service requirements and will shortly publish a fresh public procurement procedure.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body
Official name: Procurement Review Body of the European Central Bank, c/o Legal Advice Team
Postal address: Sonnenmannstrasse 22
Town: Frankfurt am Main
Postal code: 60314
Country: Germany
Telephone: +49 6913440
Fax: +49 6913446886
Internet address: http://www.ecb.europa.eu

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures
Official name: The European Ombudsman
Postal address: 1 avenue du Président Robert Schuman, CS 30403
Town: Strasbourg
Postal code: 67001
Country: 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 ECB Decision 2016/2 laying down the Rules on Procurement 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
Official name: Central Procurement Office of the European Central Bank c/o Legal Advice Team
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VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice:
17/07/2020