Germany-Frankfurt am Main: Provision of Services and Works for Mobile Application Development and Maintenance
2020/S 237-581729

Contract notice

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
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Telephone: +49 69/13440
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Internet address(es):
Main address: http://www.ecb.europa.eu

I.3) Communication
The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: https://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/sourcing/html/index.en.html
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: http://www.ecb.europa.eu/ecb/jobsproc/sourcing/html/index.en.html
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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:
Provision of Services and Works for Mobile Application Development and Maintenance
Reference number: PRO-005402

II.1.2) Main CPV code
72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

II.1.3) Type of contract
Services

II.1.4) **Short description:**
The ECB is seeking to establish a framework to provide services and works for mobile application development and maintenance.

II.1.5) **Estimated total value**
Value excluding VAT: 2 700 000.00 EUR

II.1.6) **Information about lots**
This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2) **Description**

II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: DE712 Frankfurt am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
The ECB intends to establish a framework with up to a maximum of 5 suppliers to acquire long-term, strategic partners for mobile application development and maintenance services and works. The framework will operate on both a ranking and mini-competition basis.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**
Criteria below
Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50
Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 50

II.2.6) **Estimated value**
Value excluding VAT: 2 700 000.00 EUR

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**
Duration in months: 24
This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Description of renewals:
Option to renew by three (3) additional twelve (12) month periods. Total maximum duration of 60 months.

II.2.9) **Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**
Envisaged number of candidates: 10
Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:
The ECB envisages inviting to tender ten (10) candidates with the highest overall scores and the envisaged number of framework contracts to be awarded is up to a maximum of 5.

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.1.2) **Economic and financial standing**
List and brief description of selection criteria:
The required accumulated minimum total turnover (net of VAT) of the Candidate must be at least EUR 1,500,000 over the last 3 financial years 2017, 2018, and 2019 — (minimum requirement).

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability
List and brief description of selection criteria:
The candidate's will be assessed on the following:
(a) the average number of staff from 2018-2020 who have the capability and experience to deliver the services described in the call for application document, must be at least five (5) — (minimum requirement);
(b) the candidates' shall demonstrate their experience by submitting 4 similar reference contracts in terms of size, scope and complexity of this tenders as described in chapter I.2.1 of the call for application document. The (4) similar mobile app development contracts must be performed during the years 2018-2020, two (2) reference contracts demonstrating delivery of development of an enterprise mobile app, and two (2) contracts demonstrating delivery of development of a public mobile app - (minimum requirement);
(c) the candidate's technical resources, in particular must have the capacity and capability to provide services and works in English (spoken and written) - (minimum requirement).

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
The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement
Framework agreement with several operators
Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 5
In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:
The initial framework agreement duration is 2 years which may be extended 3 times one (1) year, of which the last extension only will cover Support and Maintenance and the smooth transition of support and maintenance of apps that have been developed during the initial framework term over to the new framework to be established.

IV.1.5) Information about negotiation
The contracting authority reserves the right to award the contract on the basis of the initial tenders without conducting negotiations

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)
The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate
Date: 29/01/2021
Local time: 12:00

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:
English

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence
This is a recurrent procurement: yes
Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 2024
VI.2) **Information about electronic workflows**
Electronic invoicing will be accepted

VI.3) **Additional information:**

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
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Internet address: [http://www.ecb.europa.eu](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 Cedex
Postal code: 67001
Country: France

VI.4.3) **Review procedure**
Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:
Within 10 days of receipt of the notification in accordance with Article 34(1) or the first sentence of Article 34(3) of ECB Decision 2016/2 laying down the Rules on Public Procurement. 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:**
27/11/2020