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B-Brussels: DIGIT/R2/PN/2010/101 — ceiling increase Microsoft services

2010/S 210-320241

Contract award notice

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s):

European Commission, Directorate-General for Informatics, Resources and Logistics Directorate, Finance and Contracts Unit, attention: Mr Jose-Martin Bilbao Zabala, Head of Unit, rue Belliard 28, Office: 06/047, 1049Brussels, BELGIUM. Tel. +32 22960762. Fax +32 22957702. E-mail: digit-contracts-info-centre@ec.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/informatics/procurement/calls_running/index_en.htm

I.2) Type of the contracting authority and main activity or activities:

European institution/agency or international organisation.

Other: Information technologies.

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no.

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1) Description

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority:

DIGIT/R2/PN/2010/101 — ceiling increase Microsoft services.

II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance:

Services.

Service category: No 7.

Main site or location of works, place of delivery or of performance: Brussels, BELGIUM and Luxembourg, LUXEMBOURG.

II.1.3) The notice involves:

The conclusion of a framework agreement.

II.1.4) Short description of the contract or purchase(s):

Increase the consumption ceiling of DI/05950 framework contract.

II.1.5) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV):

72000000.

II.1.6) Contract covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA):

Yes.

II.2) Total final value of contract(s)

II.2.1) Total final value of contract(s):

Value: 1 920 000 EUR, excluding VAT.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) Type of procedure

IV.1.1) Type of procedure:

Negotiated without a call for competition.

Justification for the award of the contract without prior publication of a contract notice in the Official Journal of the European Union:

e) Additional works/deliveries/services are ordered under the strict conditions stated in the Directive.

The conditions set in the abovementioned provisions for the use of the negotiated procedure are met as follows:

1. the present ceiling increase procedure aims at acquisition of additional services not included in the project initially envisaged and indeed through unforeseen circumstances these have become necessary for the abovementioned projects, whereas the use of Microsoft tools was decided after the signature of the present contract;
2. the ceiling increase concerns the acquisition of additional services, which cannot be economically separated from the main contract;
3. this procedure has the objective to increase the ceiling of the framework contract DI/05950 by 1 920 000 EUR, which does not exceed 50 % of the original ceiling, i.e.: 5 368 000 EUR.

IV.2) **Award criteria**

IV.2.1) **Award criteria:**

Lowest price.

IV.2.2) **An electronic auction was used:**

No.

IV.3) **Administrative information**

IV.3.1) **File reference number attributed by the contracting authority:**

DIGIT/R2/PN/2010/101.

IV.3.2) **Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract:**

No.

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 1

Lot No: 1

Title: DI/05950

V.1) **Date of contract award:**

20.10.2010.

V.2) **Number of offers received:**

1.

V.3) **Name and address of economic operator to whom the contract has been awarded:**

Microsoft NV, The Corporate Village, Da Vincilaan 3, 1935 Zaventem, BELGIUM.

V.4) **Information on value of contract:**

Initial estimated total value of the contract:

Value: 1 920 000 EUR, excluding VAT.

Total final value of the contract:

Value: 1 920 000 EUR, excluding VAT.

V.5) **The contract is likely to be subcontracted:**

No.

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) **Contract related to a project and/or programme financed by EU funds:**

No.

VI.2) **Additional information:**

The value of the present procedure is 1 920 000 EUR. Together with the initial contract ceiling, the total value of the framework contract DI/05950 is 7 288 000 EUR.

VI.3) **Procedures for appeal**

VI.3.1) **Body responsible for appeal procedures:**

General Court of the European Union, rue du Fort Niedergrünwald, 2925 Luxembourg, LUXEMBOURG. Tel. +352 4303-1. Fax +352 4303-2100. E-mail: cfi.registry@curia.europa.eu Internet: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.3.2) **Lodging of appeals:**

Precise information on deadline(s) for lodging appeals:

Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge.

VI.3.3) **Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained:**

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VI.4) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

21.10.2010.