

GR-Thessaloniki: the relation between sectoral qualifications and the European Qualifications Framework (EQF)
2008/S 120-159006

Contract award notice

Services

Section I: Contracting authority

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

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Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.cedefop.europa.eu>.

Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.cedefop.europa.eu>.

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

European institution/agency or international organisation.

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:

The relation between sectoral qualifications and the European Qualifications Framework (EQF).

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

Services.

Service category No 8.

Main place of performance: the tasks must be completed externally.

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

The purpose of the study 'The relation between sectoral qualifications and the European Qualifications Framework' is to research the relation between different forms of qualifications; those awarded by national authorities and those awarded outside by sectoral stakeholders, and to analyse the preconditions for developing the EQF into a common reference point for all qualifications.

II.1.5) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV):

73000000.

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

Yes.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) Type of procedure

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Open.

IV.2) Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of:

1. the level of overview and understanding of qualifications developments, in particular at international sector and company level; weighting: 20.
2. the level of overview and understanding of qualifications frameworks and their link to quality assurance; weighting: 10.
3. the level of understanding of the research challenges (conceptual and methodological) implied in the assignment; weighting: 10.
4. relevance and appropriateness of the methods proposed, e.g. terminology issues, methodology for data collection and analysis, envisaged steps and data sources to be used to meet the requirements outlined in the technical specifications; weighting: 30.
5. allocation of tasks, type and degree of involvement of the proposed experts; weighting: 15.
6. capacity to perform the tasks as defined in the terms of reference within the deadline given (clarity, coherence and feasibility of the work programme and timetable; weighting: 15.
7. 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:**

AO/ECVL/TSK-JB/SectoralQualifications/005/08.

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

Contract notice number in OJ: [2008/S 67-89664](#) of 5.4.2008.

Section V: Award of contract

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

0.

Section VI: Complementary information

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

No.

VI.2) **Additional information:**

The call for tender was unfruitful as no offers were received.

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

11.6.2008.