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**GR-Thessaloniki: attractiveness of European initial vocational education and training: what really matters
2011/S 210-341159**

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>

I.2) Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.3) Main activity

Education

I.4) Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

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

Attractiveness of European initial vocational education and training: what really matters.

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

Services

Service category No 8: Research and development services

Main place of performance: Contractor's premises.

NUTS code GR122

II.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)

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

The purpose of the study is to provide evidence to support policy decisions and actions at national and EU level by mapping, comparing and evaluating current policy initiatives and measures to increase attractiveness of initial education and training (IVET) in Europe.

II.1.5) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)

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II.1.6) **Information about Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

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

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

Value: 147 167 EUR

Excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) **Type of procedure**

IV.1.1) **Type of procedure**

Open

IV.2) **Award criteria**

IV.2.1) **Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. The level of understanding of the purpose of the study, the relevant issues of IVET attractiveness, their linkages in the current research, policy and practice debate. Weighting 18

2. The quality and appropriateness of the methods suggested to carry out the work. Weighting 38

3. The organisation and management arrangements. Weighting 14

4. Price. Weighting 30

IV.2.2) **Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction has been used: no

IV.3) **Administrative information**

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

AO/RPA/MHRAB-TODUN-FFERR/IVET attractiveness/003/11.

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

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJEU: [2011/S 66-106105](#) of 5.4.2011

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 2011-0114

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

29.9.2011

V.2) **Information about offers**

Number of offers received: 7

V.3) **Name and address of economic operator in favour of whom the contract award decision has been taken**

Rand Europe Cambridge Ltd

Milton Road

CB4 1YG Cambridge

UNITED KINGDOM

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract

Value: 150 000 EUR

Excluding VAT

Total final value of the contract

Value: 147 167 EUR

Excluding VAT

If annual or monthly value:

Number of months: 15

V.5) **Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be sub-contracted: yes

Value or proportion of the contract likely to be sub-contracted to third parties:

Proportion: 15 %

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) **Information about European Union funds**

The contract is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: no

VI.2) **Additional information:**

VI.3) **Procedures for appeal**

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

General Court

rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

2925 Luxembourg

LUXEMBOURG

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. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have as an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

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

Same as VI.3.1.

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

21.10.2011