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**Greece-Thessaloniki: Financing apprenticeships/dual VET in the EU
2016/S 248-453326**

Contract award notice

Results of the procurement procedure

Services

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

- I.1) **Name and addresses**
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I.2) **Joint procurement**

I.4) **Type of the contracting authority**
European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5) **Main activity**
Education

Section II: Object

- II.1) **Scope of the procurement**
- II.1.1) **Title:**
Financing apprenticeships/dual VET in the EU.
Reference number: AO/DLE/PLI/Financing of Apprenticeships - dual VET in the EU/007/16.
- II.1.2) **Main CPV code**
73000000
- II.1.3) **Type of contract**
Services
- II.1.4) **Short description:**
With this project, Cedefop aims to collect and analyse detailed information on financing apprenticeships/dual VET in 28 EU Member States. This will result in:

- a comprehensive overview/database of the financing arrangements for apprenticeships/dual VET in 28 EU countries, which after finalisation of this assignment will become available online on Cedefop's website,
- comparative analysis of the collected data on financing arrangements for apprenticeships/dual VET.

II.1.6) **Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7) **Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: 280 000.00 EUR

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: 00

Main site or place of performance:

The tasks must be completed outside Cedefop in the contractor's premises.

The selected contractor shall attend 4 scheduled meetings in Thessaloniki.

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

Task 1 — identify existing apprenticeships/dual VET schemes in 28 EU Member States and for each provide short information on the main characteristics.

Task 2 — provide a comprehensive overview/database on financing arrangements for the identified apprenticeships/dual VET.

Task 3 — propose the structure for the database on financing apprenticeships/dual VET and its functionalities.

Task 4 — provide comparative analysis on financing arrangements for apprenticeships/dual VET.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Relevance of the proposal to the objective of the study / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Relevance and adequacy of the methodology suggested to perform the tasks / Weighting: 45

Quality criterion - Name: The organisation and management arrangements / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 30

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**

Payments will be made as follows:

1) first interim payment: 30 %;

2) second interim payment: 30 %;

3) payment of the balance: 40 %.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) **Description**

IV.1.1) **Type of procedure**

Open procedure

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: [2016/S 119-211207](#)

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

Contract No: 2016-0126/AO/DLE/PLI/Financing Apprenticeships - dual VET/007/16

Title:

Financing apprenticeships/dual VET in the EU

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) **Award of contract**

V.2.1) **Date of conclusion of the contract:**

18/11/2016

V.2.2) **Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3) **Name and address of the contractor**

3s Unternehmensberatung GmbH

FN 186266x

Wiedner Hauptstraße 18

Vienna

1040

Austria

E-mail: office@3s.co.at

NUTS code: AT

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3) **Name and address of the contractor**

Visionary Analytics, JSC

302740632

M. Valančiaus Str. 1A

Vilnius

03155

Lithuania

NUTS code: LT

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3) **Name and address of the contractor**

IKEI Research & Consultancy, SA

A20051868

Edificio Urumea, 1a Planta
San Sebastián (Gipuzkoa)
20018
Spain
NUTS code: ES
The contractor is an SME: yes

- V.2.4) **Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)**
Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 280 000.00 EUR
Total value of the contract/lot: 277 937.50 EUR

- V.2.5) **Information about subcontracting**

Section VI: Complementary information

- VI.3) **Additional information:**

- VI.4) **Procedures for review**

- VI.4.1) **Review body**

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- VI.4.2) **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

- VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

- VI.4.4) **Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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- VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

13/12/2016