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**Greece-Thessaloniki: Production of skills supply and demand forecasts
2016/S 154-278317**

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:

Production of skills supply and demand forecasts.
Reference number: AO/DSL/VKVET/Skills forecasts/001/16.

II.1.2) Main CPV code

73000000

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description:

Cedefop's skills supply and demand forecasts are widely recognised and results feed into key EU policy and strategic documents. Since 2005, Cedefop has developed sound methodology producing reliable results for the

whole EU. The main objective of this contract is to ensure the production of regular European skills supply and demand forecasts, consistent in scope and level of details with the previous releases.

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: 1 200 000.00 EUR

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

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

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: GR122

Main site or place of performance:

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

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

The first year work assignment (and first order form) will mainly focus on adopting the Cedefop methodology. The underlying model proposed by the contractor will be linked to the Cedefop modelling framework. To ensure this smooth transition period, Cedefop will steer the exchange of the knowledge and cooperation between the current contractor and the successful tenderer. This transition period is expected to take place in the first 6 months of the contract. The full set of forecasting results compatible with previous Cedefop forecasts is expected to be produced and tested by the end of the first contractual year.

Work assignments in the following years will focus on yearly updates of the forecasts taking into consideration the latest macroeconomic data and most actual underlying assumptions. The contractor will also be asked to support the detailed analyses as well as online publication of the results.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: The level of understanding of the nature of the assignment in the context and results to be achieved / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Methods and work organisation including the detailed time plan, ways and means to involve the group of national experts / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Examples of written output based on forecasting data / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Examples of data outputs (results for further dissemination) / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Contract management and quality assurance / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 60/40

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 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**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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 034-054302](#)

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-FWC4/AO/DSL/VKVET/Skills forecasts/001/16

Title:

Production of skills supply and demand forecasts

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) **Award of contract**

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

08/07/2016

V.2.2) **Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

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

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

Cambridge Econometrics Ltd

GB 424710379

Cambridge

CB1 2HT

United Kingdom

NUTS code: UK

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Alphametrics Ltd

GB 388847968

St Ives

PE27 5BH

United Kingdom

NUTS code: UK

The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Economix Research & Consulting — Kurt Vogler-Ludwig und Partner

DE 215541152

Munich

80337
Germany
NUTS code: DE
The contractor is an SME: yes

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

The University of Warwick
GB545270058
Coventry
United Kingdom
NUTS code: UK
The contractor is an SME: no

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

Limburg Institute for Business and Economic Research
NL 003475268B01
Maastricht
6200 MD
Netherlands
NUTS code: NL
The contractor is an SME: no

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

The Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies (wiiw)
Vienna
1060
Austria
NUTS code: AT
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4) **Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: 1 200 000.00 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**

General Court
rue du Fort Niedergrünewald
Luxembourg
2925
Luxembourg

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

VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

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

General Court
Luxembourg
Luxembourg

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

01/08/2016