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**Slovenia-Ljubljana: Provision of legal services in appeal cases to the  
Board of Appeal of the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators  
2016/S 204-367923**

**Contract notice**

**Services**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators  
Trg republike 3  
Ljubljana  
1000  
Slovenia  
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NUTS code: SI0

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <http://www.acer.europa.eu/>

**I.2) Joint procurement**

**I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: [http://www.acer.europa.eu/en/The\\_agency/Public\\_Procurement/Pages/Open-calls.aspx](http://www.acer.europa.eu/en/The_agency/Public_Procurement/Pages/Open-calls.aspx)  
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address  
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title:**

Provision of legal services in appeal cases to the Board of Appeal of the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators.  
Reference number: ACER/OP/ADMIN/08/2016.

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

79110000

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

- II.1.4) **Short description:**  
Provision of legal services in appeal cases to the Board of Appeal of the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators.
- II.1.5) **Estimated total value**  
Value excluding VAT: 400 000.00 EUR
- II.1.6) **Information about lots**  
This contract is divided into lots: no
- 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:  
Mainly at the contractor's premises.
- II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**  
The Agency envisages to conclude, with the successful framework contractors in cascade, several specific contracts based on the legal advice needed during the appeal procedure in front of the Board of Appeal. An estimated 400 000 EUR will be made available over the maximum 4 years period.
- II.2.5) **Award criteria**  
Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents
- II.2.6) **Estimated value**
- II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**  
Duration in months: 12  
This contract is subject to renewal: yes  
Description of renewals:  
3 renewals, each for a period of 12 months.
- II.2.10) **Information about variants**  
Variants will be accepted: no
- II.2.11) **Information about options**  
Options: no
- II.2.12) **Information about electronic catalogues**
- 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 III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

- III.1) **Conditions for participation**
- III.1.1) **Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**  
List and brief description of conditions:  
As stated in the procurement documents.
- III.1.2) **Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) **Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.5) **Information about reserved contracts**

III.2) **Conditions related to the contract**

III.2.1) **Information about a particular profession**

III.2.2) **Contract performance conditions:**

III.2.3) **Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

**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

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 5

IV.1.4) **Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

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**

IV.2.2) **Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 22/11/2016

Local time: 16:00

IV.2.3) **Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

IV.2.4) **Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted:**

English, Bulgarian, Danish, German, Greek, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Spanish, Swedish, Czech

IV.2.6) **Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) **Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 29/11/2016

Local time: 11:00

Place:

Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators, Trg republike 3, XII floor, SI-1000 Ljubljana, SLOVENIA.

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure:

A maximum of 1 representative per tenderer may attend the opening session and their participation will be restricted to an observer role. Tenderers shall inform the Agency in writing, via e-mail, of their intention to attend, at least 2 working days prior to the opening session.

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**Section VI: Complementary information**

**VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

**VI.3) Additional information:**

Procurement documents will be available for downloading from the website of the Agency within 2 calendar days of the publication of this contract notice. The website address to access the documents is: [http://www.acer.europa.eu/en/The\\_agency/Public\\_Procurement/Pages/Open-calls.aspx](http://www.acer.europa.eu/en/The_agency/Public_Procurement/Pages/Open-calls.aspx)

Tenderers can download the procurement documents and eventually any additional documents and information from this website. The site will be updated regularly and it is the tenderers' responsibility to check for updates and modifications during the tendering period.

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

General Court of the European Union  
rue du Fort Niedergrünwald  
Luxembourg  
2925  
Luxembourg  
Telephone: +352 4303-1  
E-mail: [generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu](mailto:generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu)  
Fax: +352 4303-2100  
Internet address:<http://curia.europa.eu>

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

The European Ombudsman  
1 avenue du Président Robert Schuman, PO Box 403  
Strasbourg  
67001  
France  
Telephone: +33 388172313  
E-mail: [eo@ombudsman.europa.eu](mailto:eo@ombudsman.europa.eu)  
Fax: +33 388179062

**VI.4.3) Review procedure**

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

General Court of the European Union  
Luxembourg  
Luxembourg  
Internet address:<http://curia.europa.eu>

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

11/10/2016