

CONTRACT AWARD NOTICE
RESULTS OF THE PROCUREMENT PROCEDURE

Services

Directive 2014/24/EU

SECTION I: CONTRACTING AUTHORITY

I.1) NAME AND ADDRESSES

Official name:

Autoriteit Consument en Markt

National ID:

451760013

Postal address:

Muzenstraat 41

Town:

Den Haag

NUTS code:

NL

Postal code:

2511 WB

Country:

NL

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Wietske Schuurman

Telephone:

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iucezteam5@rvo.nl

Fax:

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Internet address(es)

Main address:

<http://www.acm.nl>

Address of the buyer profile:

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I.2) JOINT PROCUREMENT

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I.4) TYPE OF THE CONTRACTING AUTHORITY

Other type: ZAD

I.5) MAIN ACTIVITY

- General public services

SECTION II: OBJECT

II.1) SCOPE OF THE PROCUREMENT

II.1.1) Title

The performance of services for determining Weighted Average Cost of Capital (WACC)

Reference number: 202101067

II.1.2) CPV code(s)

Main code:

66171000 - Diensten voor financieel advies

Supplementary code:

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II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

In a number of regulated industries ACM has a role in tariff setting. For this, the ACM needs to determine the reasonable return to set tariffs for incumbents in regulated markets, such as the telecommunication market, electricity market, gas market, pilotage market, et cetera. The ACM sets this reasonable return by calculating the Weighted Average Cost of Capital (WACC). Since the WACC is an important element when setting tariff, as well as an element of specific and varied regulatory methods, the ACM regularly needs advice to determine (parameters of) the WACC.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

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

Value: 500 000,00

Currency: EUR

II.2) DESCRIPTION

II.2.1) Title

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Lot No: -

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

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II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS code:

NL NEDERLAND

Main site or place of performance:

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II.2.4) Description of the procurement:

(nature and quantity of works, supplies or services or indication of needs and requirements)

EUR 500.000,00 (exclusive of VAT)

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion

Name: Quality of the reports

Weighting: 54

Quality criterion

Name: Knowledge and experience of the pool of consultants

Weighting: 36

Price

Weighting: 10

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

The Contracting Authority intends to conclude a Contract for a period of 2 years till 22 May 2024, including a unilateral option for the Contracting Authority to extend the contract 2 times by 1 year until 22 May 2026.

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:

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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

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IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2) ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: 2022/S 032-082084

IV.2.8) Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

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IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

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SECTION V: AWARD OF CONTRACT

Contract No: 1

Lot No: -

Title: The performance of services for determining Weighted Average Cost of Capital (WACC)

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) AWARD OF CONTRACT

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract:

23/05/2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: -

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

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Official name:

European Economic Research Ltd

National ID:

34771010

Postal address:

Chancery Lane 5

Town:

London

NUTS code:

UK

Postal code:

EC4A 1BL

Country:

UK

Telephone:

+44 2078314717

E-mail:

proposals.coordinator@europe-economics.com

Fax:

+44 2078314515

Internet address:

<http://www.europe-economics.com>

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Official name:

The Brattle Group Limited

National ID:

09394951009

Postal address:

Piazza del Gesù 46

Town:

Roma

NUTS code:

IT

Postal code:

00186

Country:

IT

Telephone:

+390 6488881

E-mail:

dan.harris@brattle.com

Fax:

+390 64820592

Internet address:

<http://www.brattle.com>

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

500 000,00

Total value of the contract/lot: 500 000,00

Currency: EUR

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

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SECTION VI: COMPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

VI.3) ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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VI.4) PROCEDURES FOR REVIEW

VI.4.1) Review body

Official name:

Rechtbank 's-Gravenhage

Postal address:

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Town:

Den Haag

Postal code:

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Country:

NL

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voorlichting.rb.den.haag@rechtspraak.nl

Telephone:

+31 703813509

Internet address:

<http://www.rechtspraak.nl/organisatie/rechtbanken/Den-Haag>

Fax:

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

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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

20/06/2022