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Ex-ante publicity notice in negotiated procurement procedure

Subject: ECHA/2015/256 - Services of a senior expert to aid the methodological development work related to socio-economic analysis

Description of the contract:

The European Chemicals Agency (the Agency, <http://echa.europa.eu>) envisages awarding a Framework service contract for the services of a senior expert in the review of and advice on socio-economic analysis methodologies and valuation related to risk management of chemicals.

Description of the services:

The aim of the contract is to obtain high quality expert advice in the methodological development and implementation of socio-economic analysis, linking this impact assessment to the requirements of the Commission as well as the restriction and application for authorisation processes.

It is envisaged that the Agency would need such services for about 50 days. The Agency will pay a daily fee for the delivery of the services. The expected duration of the contract is two years from the signature of the contract.

Description of the procedure:

This ex-ante publicity is the first stage of a negotiated procurement procedure below 60 000 Euros with a minimum of 3 candidates, through which the Agency may award the above-mentioned contract. The purpose of this notice is to support the Agency in the selection of the list of candidates to be invited to submit an offer for the contract. Please note that offers submitted in the subsequent negotiated procedure with a value above 60 000 EUR will be rejected.

All economic operators interested in providing the services described above should send a declaration of interest before **08/07/2015**, 16h00 Helsinki time, by e-mail to procurement@echa.europa.eu with the same subject reference as indicated above.

In their declaration of interest (300 words maximum) interested economic operators should demonstrate their ability to provide the relevant *services*. This information will be assessed by the Agency in order to select suitable candidates. All interested economic operators will be informed of the decision of the Agency.

The Request for Offers and related documents will be provided by e-mail only to the selected candidates.

Please note that the Agency reserves the right not to launch the negotiated procedure. If that were the case, all interested economic operators would be informed of this decision.

We look forward to receiving your declaration of interest.

Yours faithfully,



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