NORWAY - INDUSTRIAL FREEZERS - ULTRA-FREEZERS AND RACKS

1/2024 Contract or concession notice – standard regime

1. Buyer

1.1 *Buyer Official name*: Nord Universitet *Legal type of the buyer*: Central government authority *Activity of the contracting authority*: Education

2. Procedure

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Title: Ultra-freezers and racks

Description: A new building is under construction in Bodø, Norway, for the Faculty of Biosciences and Aquaculture. In this regard Nord University requires 9 laboratory grade, ultra-low temperature freezers (-80) equipped with racks for storage of sample boxes filling half of the space in each freezer. The value of the acquisition will be approximately NOK 2,000,000 excluding VAT. Estimated acquisition value includes transport and installation costs. See the tender documentation and annexes for further details on the contracting authority's requirements.

Procedure identifier: 7791c0fa-e41e-4cb0-9de9-e3495f572938 Internal identifier: 23/04203 Type of procedure: Open The procedure is accelerated: No

2.1.1 Purpose
Nature of the contract: Supplies
Main classification (cpv): 39711124 Industrial freezers
Additional classification (cpv): 39711100 Refrigerators and freezers
Additional classification (cpv): 39711120 Freezers

2.1.4 *General information Legal basis*: Directive 2014/24/EU

2.1.6 Grounds for exclusion

Analogous situation like bankruptcy under national law: Is the supplier in a situation where he has been forced debt arrangement? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Bankruptcy: Is the tenderer in a bankruptcy situation? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Corruption: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a enforceable verdict has been convicted of corruption by a verdict handed down not more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Corruption as defined in Article 3 of the Convention on Combating Corruption, Involving European Communities or European Union Member States (EUT C 195 of 25.6.1997, s. 1), and in Article 2, point 1, in the Council's framework decision 2003/568/RIA of 22 July 2003 on combating corruption in the private sector (EUT L 192 of 31.7.2003, p. 54). This rejection reason also includes corruption as defined in national law for the contracting authority or supplier.

Arrangement with creditors: Is the supplier in a situation where he has been forced debt arrangement? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Participation in a criminal organisation: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, at the time a legally convicted verdict of participation in a criminal organisation by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Participation in a criminal organisation as defined in Article 2 of the Council's framework decision 2008/841/RIA of 24 October 2008 on control of organised crime (EUT L 300 of 11.11.2008, p. 42)

Agreements with other economic operators aimed at distorting competition: Has the tenderer entered into agreement(s) with other tenderers with the intention of turning the competition? Breaching of obligations in the fields of environmental law: Is the tenderer aware of breaches of environmental provisions as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents or Article 18 (2) of Directive 2014/24/EU.

Money laundering or terrorist financing: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of money laundering or financing terrorism by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Money laundering or financing terrorism As defined in Article 1 of the European Parliament and Council Directive 2005/60/EF of 26 October 2005 on preventive measures against the use of the financial system for money laundering and financing terrorism (EUT L 309 of 25.11.2005, p. 15).

Fraud: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, at the time a legally convicted of fraud has been convicted of fraud by a verdict handed down not more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Fraud included in Article 1 of the Convention on protection of the Financial Interests of the European Communities (EFT C 316 of 27.11.1995, p. 48).

Child labour and other forms of trafficking in human beings: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of child labour and other forms of human trafficking by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period determined directly in the judgement that still applies? Child labour and other forms of human trafficking as defined in Article 2 of the European Parliament and council directive 2011/36/EU of 5. 1 April 2011 on the prevention and control of human trafficking and the protection of its victims and for compensation of the Council's framework decision 2002/629/RIA (EUT L 101 of 15.4.2011, p. 1).

Insolvency: Is the tenderer in an insolvency situation? Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Breaching of obligations in the fields of labour law: Is the tenderer aware of breaches of provisions on working conditions as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents or Article 18 (2) of Directive 2014/24/EU.

Assets being administered by liquidator: Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions. Guilty of misrepresentation, withheld information, unable to provide required documents and obtained confidential information of this procedure: Has the tenderer: a) given grossly incorrect information with the notification of the information required to verify that there is no basis for rejection, or of the qualification requirements being fulfilled, b) failed to provide such information, c) made reservations immediately to present the supporting documents requested by the contracting authority, or d) improperly affected the contracting authority's decision process to acquire confidential information that could give this an unlawful advantage in connection with competition, or negligently has given misleading information that can have a significant influence on decisions on rejection, selection or award?

Conflict of interest due to its participation in the procurement procedure: Are tenderers aware of a conflict of interest as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents? Direct or indirect involvement in the preparation of this procurement procedure: Has the tenderer or an entity associated with the supplier advised the contracting authority or in another way been involved in the planning of the competition?

Guilty of grave professional misconduct: Has the tenderer committed serious errors in professional practice? If relevant, see the definitions in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents. Early termination, damages or other comparable sanctions: Has the tenderer committed significant breaches of contract in connection with the fulfilment of a previous public contract, a previous contract with a public contracting authority or a previous concession contract, where the breach has led to the cancellation of the contract, compensation or other similar sanctions?

Breaching of obligations in the fields of social law: Is the tenderer aware of breaches of provisions on social conditions as stated in national law, the relevant notice or procurement documents or Article 18 (2) of Directive 2014/24/EU.

Payment of social security contributions: Have tenderers failed to fulfil all their social security obligations in the country where they are established and in their member state, if this is a different country than what he is established in?

Business activities are suspended: Specify why, under the mentioned circumstances, one is able to carry out the contract, considering the current national provisions and measures for continuing the business activities? It is not necessary to provide this information if rejection of tenderers made mandatory in accordance with the current national law without the possibility for exceptions.

Payment of taxes: Has the tenderer not fulfilled his tax and duty obligations in the country in which he is established, and in the contracting authority's member state, if this is a different country than what he is established in?

Terrorist offences or offences linked to terrorist activities: Is the tenderer himself or a person, who is a member of the tenderer's administration, management or supervisory body, or has the competence to represent or control or make decisions in such bodies, in the event a legal verdict has been convicted of acts of terrorism or criminal acts connected to terrorist activities by a verdict handed down no more than five years ago, or a rejection period set out directly in the judgement that still applies? Acts of terrorism or criminal acts relating to terrorist activity as defined in Article 1 and 3 of the Council's framework decision 2002/475/RIA of 13 June 2002 on combating terrorism (EFT L 164, af 22.6.2002, p. 3). This rejection reason also includes incitement to, participation or attempts to commit such actions as included in Article 4 in the mentioned framework decision.

5. Lot

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Internal identifier. 23/04203

5.1.1 Purpose

Nature of the contract: Supplies Main classification (cpv): 39711124 Industrial freezers Additional classification (cpv): 39711100 Refrigerators and freezers Additional classification (cpv): 39711120 Freezers

5.1.6 General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved. Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

5.1.9 Selection criteria
Criterion:
Type: Economic and financial standing
Use of this criterion: Not used
Criterion:
Type: Other
Name: The tenderer fulfils the stated qualification requirements:
Description: All the necessary qualification requirements specified in the notice or in the procurement
documents mentioned in the call-off are fulfilled.
Use of this criterion: Used
Criterion:
Type: Suitability to pursue the professional activity

Use of this criterion: Not used *Criterion*: *Type*: Technical and professional ability *Use of this criterion*: Not used

5.1.11 *Procurement documents Deadline for requesting additional information*: 2024-01-25+01:00 00:00:00+01:00 *Address of the procurement documents*:

5.1.12 Terms of procurement Terms of submission: Electronic submission: Required Address for submission: Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: Norwegian, English Electronic catalogue: Allowed Deadline for receipt of tenders: 2024-02-07+01:00 12:00:58+01:00 Deadline until which the tender must remain valid: 119 DAY Information about public opening: Date/time: 2024-02-07+01:00 12:01:00+01:00 Place: Nord University Bodø Terms of contract: Electronic invoicing: Required Electronic payment will be used

5.1.15 TechniquesFramework agreement:No framework agreementInformation about the dynamic purchasing systemNo dynamic purchase systemElectronic auction:

5.1.16 *Further information, mediation and review Review organisation*: Salten og Lofoten Tingrett

8. Organisations

8.1 ORG-0001
Official name: Nord Universitet
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Contact point: Marie Stenhammer Berntzen
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Internet address: Roles of this organisation: Buyer

8.1 ORG-0002

Official name: Salten og Lofoten Tingrett Registration number: 826 723 122 Postal address: Postboks 322 Town: Bodø Postcode: 8001 Country subdivision (NUTS): Nordland (NO071) Country: Norway Email: Telephone: 75 43 49 00 Internet address: Roles of this organisation: Review organisation

11. Notice information

11.1 Notice information
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