

Call for tenders' details

Title: Update of Waste Shipment Regulation 1418/2007

Start date: 10/08/2018

Time limit for receipt of tenders: 19/10/2018

Contracting authority: European Commission, DG Trade (TRADE)

Status: Closed

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#	Submission date	Publication date	Question subject	Question	Answer
1	31/08/2018 11:17	05/09/2018 13:53	Declaration on Honour for subcontractors whose share is less than 10% but the subcontractor's capacity contribution needed to fulfil the selection criteria	<p>In Section 4.1 of the Tender Specifications, it states: "In the case of subcontracting, all subcontractors whose share of the contract is above 10% and whose capacity is necessary to fulfil the selection criteria must provide a Declaration on Honour signed by an authorised representative."</p> <p>Our question is:</p> <p>1. We understand that if a subcontractor's share of the contract is less than 10%, but the subcontractor's capacity is indeed needed to fulfil the selection criteria, then we would not need to submit a Declaration on Honour nor any supporting documents. Can you confirm this understanding is correct?</p> <p>It would be quite challenging for an independent expert to provide supporting documents (such as an extract of judicial record).</p>	<p>05/09/2018</p> <p>A distinction is to be made between the subcontractor's share of the contract (10% threshold) and the need for subcontractor's capacity to fulfil the selection criteria (no threshold).</p> <p>If a subcontractor's share of the contract is less than 10%, no Declaration on Honour is needed. However, in accordance with point 4.2.1 Declaration and evidence of the tender specifications: ' subcontractors whose capacity is necessary to fulfil the selection criteria must provide the declaration on honour, signed and dated by an authorised representative, stating that they fulfil the selection criteria applicable to them'.</p>

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2	19/09/2018 12:33	24/09/2018 11:01	Request for previous related study hyperlink	Our question refers to Tender No TRADE 2018/D1/D06 As the said tender refers to the regular update of the Waste Shipment Regulation 1418/2007 as well as the last update of the regulation which was made on 2014(Tender specifications p.5), we most kindly ask whether the study that led to the previous update of the regulation is available and the respective link, so that we can locate it.	24/09/2018 Tender specifications p.5 with hyperlink: Regulations 1013/2006 and 1418/2007 are currently being evaluated by external consultants. See here for more details: http://ec.europa.eu/environment/waste/shipments/evaluation_of_the_wsr.htm . The results of the external study will be taken into account by the Commission services for its evaluation of these Regulations. The Commission may propose amendments to these Regulations on the basis of its evaluation.
3	11/10/2018 15:24	15/10/2018 08:14	Criteria relating to tenderers	Do the references need to be projects which have been finalised, or can we include ongoing projects?	15/10/2018 The references need to be projects which have been finalised.

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4	11/10/2018 15:31	15/10/2018 08:43	Statement of exclusivity and availability	Do we understand correctly that also the employees of the lead contractor need to sign this declaration? Is it possible to provide a Word version of this document?	15/10/2018 Only the experts corresponding to B1 and B2 in Section 4.2.4.B. of the tender document are required to sign a statement of exclusivity and availability. A Word version of the statement has been uploaded 15/10/2018 The link to the MS Word version of the Statement of exclusivity and availability : http://trade.ec.europa.eu/doclib/html/157442.htm
5	15/10/2018 14:18	16/10/2018 13:56	Criterion A3 - evidence A3	It is not completely clear what is meant with activity. Usually the term projects is used. And the evidence speaks of two activities and not "minimum" 2 activities. Does this mean that we need to have two references for which we cover at least 3 regions? So, we can't use three or more references to cover 3 regions?	16/10/2018 The evidence requested is for two references for activities. The combined geographical scope of the activities for which the references are provided should include at least three of the identified regions.

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