

Ireland: Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security Provision of Cyber Security Audit and Identification of necessary cyber measures for Threshold

Contract or concession notice – standard regime

1 Buyer

1.1 Buyer

Official name: Threshold, the National Housing Charity

Legal type of the buyer: Organisation awarding a contract subsidised by a central government authority

Activity of the contracting authority: Housing and community amenities

2 Procedure

2.1 Procedure

Title: Provision of Cyber Security Audit and Identification of necessary cyber measures for Threshold

Description: Threshold is currently inviting Tenders for the provision of a cyber security audit and identification of necessary cyber security measures in the short, medium and longer term. Threshold does not have an IT Department and currently outsource an IT service which is operational and reactive in nature. Due to sustained growth in the organisation, we require an up-to-date audit of our IT and cyber environment and an assessment of the necessary remedial and longer-term developmental needs in this area. The successful tenderer will be The Project Consultant will:

- Ensure a comprehensive yet concise audit of Threshold's existing IT and Cyber Security systems, focussing on: - mapping systems, functionality and processes we currently employ, related gaps / deficits, and the systems, processes we need to meet and / or exceed the industry standard for cyber security, including relevant staff training required - mapping the IT devices used for Threshold business purposes and their levels of cyber security
- Identify what templates we require for all relevant policies and procedures in relation to IT and Cyber Security and to document these accordingly, including disaster recovery planning, business continuity planning and relevant staff policies around IT usage and cyber security protocols
- Identify the industry standard for organisations of the size and specialisation of Threshold with regard to IT and Cyber Security, including what level of ISO compliance is required for such systems
- Establish how best to ensure specific cyber security needs, including firewalls and related, encryption considerations, device security and mobile device management, ability to revoke permissions, Virtual Private Networks, and identify, if possible, one secure portal with which to access all necessary systems / platforms for all staff
- Have full regard to GDPR in the audit and planning work in order to ensure that best data protection processes are observed and the risk of any breaches are minimised
- Estimate how many person hours will be required per week for an org of our size (c. 75 staff) for ongoing IT and Cyber services and strategy, and the annual costs of same, comparing the cost benefit of employing a staff member with an outsourced vCIO (virtual Chief Information Officer)
- Ensure the IT and cyber security audit achieves best value for money for Threshold, including how to get VFM in procurement of IT equipment, systems and licenses. As part of this, map the availability of free / discounted products and services provided by companies charities / NGOs using IT products eg Azure Credits and other free / discounted services

Procedure identifier: ad1d75cc-676d-4616-9b76-595b6757f054

Internal identifier: Cyber Security RFT

Type of procedure: Open

The procedure is accelerated: no

Justification for the accelerated procedure:

Main features of the procedure:

2.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

Additional classification (cpv): 79411100 Business development consultancy services

2.1.2 Place of performance

Town: Dublin

Postcode: D01XP04

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Additional information: Threshold National Office

2.1.3 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 25 000 Euro

2.1.4 General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

5 Lot

5.1 Lot technical ID: LOT-0001

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5.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Additional nature of the contract: Supplies

Main classification (cpv): 79410000 Business and management consultancy services

Additional classification (cpv): 79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

Additional classification (cpv): 79411100 Business development consultancy services

Additional classification (cpv): 98000000 Other community, social and personal services

Additional classification (cpv): 72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

Quantity: 1 piece

5.1.2 Place of performance

Country: Ireland

Anywhere in the given country

Additional information:

5.1.3 Estimated duration

Other duration: Unknown

5.1.5 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 25 000 Euro

5.1.6 General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

This procurement is also suitable for small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs): yes

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

Aim of strategic procurement: Fulfilment of social objectives

Description: In line with Threshold Strategi Plan

Approach to reducing environmental impacts: Other

Green Procurement Criteria: No Green Public Procurement criteria

Social objective promoted: Other

5.1.8 Accessibility criteria

Accessibility criteria for persons with disabilities are not included because the procurement is not intended for use by natural persons

5.1.11 Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Languages in which the procurement documents (or their parts) are unofficially available: English

Address of the procurement documents: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/listContractDocuments.do?resourceId=5425043>

5.1.12 Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/viewTenders.do?resourceId=5425043>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 25/04/2025 16:30 +01:00

Deadline until which the tender must remain valid: 60 Day

Information about public opening:

Opening date: 25/04/2025 17:00 +01:00

Place: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/prepareViewCfTWS.do?resourceId=5425043>

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Electronic invoicing: Allowed

Electronic ordering will be used: no

Electronic payment will be used: yes

5.1.15 Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16 Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland -

Information about review deadlines: per tender doc

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Threshold, the National Housing Charity -

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Threshold, the National Housing Charity -

Organisation processing tenders: Threshold, the National Housing Charity -

8 Organisations

8.1 ORG-0001

Official name: Threshold, the National Housing Charity

Registration number: 21867

Postal address: Threshold 25/28 Strand Street Great

Town: Threshold 25/28 Strand Street Great, Dublin 1

Postcode: D01XP04

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Contact point: John-Mark McCafferty

Email: cormac.lally@threshold.ie

Telephone: +35316353601

Buyer profile: <https://www.threshold.ie>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents

Organisation receiving requests to participate

Organisation processing tenders

8.1 ORG-0002

Official name: The High Court of Ireland

Registration number: The High Court of Ireland

Department: The High Court of Ireland

Postal address: Four Courts, Inns Quay, Dublin 7

Town: Dublin

Postcode: D07 WDX8
Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)
Country: Ireland
Email: HighCourtCentralOffice@courts.ie
Telephone: +353 1 8886000
Roles of this organisation:
Review organisation

8.1 ORG-0003

Official name: European Dynamics S.A.
Registration number: 002024901000
Department: European Dynamics S.A.
Town: Athens
Postcode: 15125
Country subdivision (NUTS): Βόρειος Τομέας Αθηνών (EL301)
Country: Greece
Email: eproc-esender@eurodyn.com
Telephone: +30 2108094500
Roles of this organisation:
TED eSender
Notice information
Notice identifier/version: 1880bb62-3832-4799-8bbc-e40014bdabf2 - 01
Form type: Competition
Notice type: Contract or concession notice – standard regime
Notice dispatch date: 04/04/2025 15:29 +01:00
Languages in which this notice is officially available: English