

Ireland: Evaluation consultancy services

Provision of services to evaluate the work of the Creative Ireland Programme's Shared Island initiative

Contract or concession award notice – standard regime

1 Buyer

1.1 Buyer

Official name: Department of Tourism Culture Arts Gaeltacht Sport Media

Legal type of the buyer: Central government authority

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2 Procedure

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Title: Provision of services to evaluate the work of the Creative Ireland Programme's Shared Island initiative

Description: In 2022 the Creative Ireland Programme was allocated €6 million over three years (2023-25) to invest in creative initiatives under the Government's Shared Island initiative. 2023 marked the first year of Creative Ireland's participation in the initiative, which aims to harness the full potential of the Good Friday Agreement to enhance cooperation, connection and mutual understanding on the island and engage with all communities and traditions to build consensus around a shared future. The Shared Island dimension to the Creative Ireland Programme seeks to deploy creativity on a shared island basis to: 1. Increase opportunities for cross-community cultural and creative initiatives between children and young people; 2. Support local authorities to enhance networks of creativity in support of vibrant and inclusive people-to-people and community-to-community partnerships; 3. Position Ireland as a global leader in demonstrating the value of creativity and mental health including in post-conflict societies; 4. Deepen collaborations for a more environmentally and socially sustainable island. With the allocated funding of the Creative Ireland / Shared Island initiative due to cease at the end of 2025, it is timely to undertake a strategic evaluation of the approach, outputs, outcomes and impacts, with a view towards recommendations for the future of how the approach may be scaled up in a way that is sustainable for all stakeholders.

Procedure identifier: 69e9f1bb-9d37-4f94-be31-9da9d045521a

Previous notice: c45b9969-6339-4656-823d-dad8f8b33be7-01

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): 79419000 Evaluation consultancy services

2.1.2 Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

2.1.3 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 120 000 Euro

2.1.4 General information

5 Lot

5.1 Lot technical ID: LOT-0001

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Internal identifier: 0

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Additional information:

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5.1.6 General information

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

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

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

Aim of strategic procurement: No strategic procurement

5.1.10 Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Price

Name:

Description: Most economically advantageous tender

Category of award weight criterion: Fixed value (total)

Award criterion number: 1 000

Description of the method to be used if weighting cannot be expressed by criteria:

Justification for not indicating the weighting of the award criteria:

5.1.12 Terms of procurement

Information about review deadlines: 30 days

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: 30 days

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Department of Tourism Culture Arts Gaeltacht Sport Media -

6 Results

Value of all contracts awarded in this notice: 108 225 Euro

6.1 Result lot Identifier: LOT-0001

At least one winner was chosen.

6.1.2 Information about winners

Winner:

Official name: MCO Projects Limited

Tender:

Tender identifier: 000096235

Identifier of lot or group of lots: LOT-0001

Value of the tender: 108 225 Euro

Subcontracting: No

Contract information:

Identifier of the contract: 419120

Date of the conclusion of the contract: 25/04/2025

6.1.4 Statistical information

Received tenders or requests to participate:

Type of received submissions: Tenders

Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 7

8 Organisations

8.1 ORG-0001

Official name: Department of Tourism Culture Arts Gaeltacht Sport Media

Registration number: 4000113V

Postal address: Government Buildings, New Road

Town: Killarney

Postcode: V93 A49X

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Email: procurement@tcagsm.gov.ie

Telephone: 064 662 7300

Internet address: <https://www.gov.ie/en/organisation/departments-of-tourism-culture-arts-gaeltacht-sport-and-media>

Buyer profile: <https://www.gov.ie/en/organisation/departments-of-tourism-culture-arts-gaeltacht-sport-and-media>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents

8.1 ORG-0002

Official name: MCO Projects Limited

Registration number: 177219

Postal address: 43 Fitzwilliam Place, Dublin 2, Ireland

Town: Dublin

Postcode: D02 FY81

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Email: cgreene@mco.ie

Telephone: 01 8870630

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

8.1 ORG-0003

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-0004

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:

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11 Notice information

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11.1 Notice information

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