

SERVICE PRIOR INFORMATION NOTICE

Conceptual design and preliminary studies for railway on SEETO Route 9a, Tuzla - Zvornik

Location - Western Balkans; Bosnia and Herzegovina; Entity Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina and Entity Republika Srpska

Tender no EC/BiH/TEN/20/014

1. Publication reference

EuropeAid/140880/DH/SER/BA

2. Procedure

Restricted

3. Programme title

Annual Action Programme for Bosnia and Herzegovina for the year 2017 – Objective 2

4. Financing

B2020-22.020102

5. Contracting Authority

European Union, represented by the European Commission on behalf of and for the account of the partner country Bosnia and Herzegovina

6. Nature of contract

Global price

7. Contract description

This assignment concerns preparation of conceptual designs / preliminary solutions and related preliminary studies for overhaul and reconstruction of existing railway sections on the SEETO Comprehensive Network railway Route 9a: Tuzla - Zvornik and Tuzla - Tuzla International Airport.

The results to be achieved by the contractor shall include, but not necessarily be limited to:

- Railway section Tuzla - Zvornik:
 - a) Preliminary solutions / conceptual designs;
 - b) Preliminary studies for overhauling / reconstruction / modernisation of the railway section Tuzla- Zvornik;
 - c) Technical guidelines and specifications needed for compilation of tender dossier for preparation of preliminary and main design and related studies for construction of overhaul / reconstruction / construction interventions.
- Railway section Tuzla – Tuzla international Airport:
 - a) Preliminary solutions / conceptual designs;

- b) Preliminary studies for overhauling / reconstruction / modernisation of the railway section Tuzla international Airport;
- c) Technical guidelines and specifications needed for compilation of tender dossier for preparation of preliminary and main design and related studies for construction of overhaul / reconstruction / construction interventions.

To meet the objectives of the project, design of more substantial interventions may be required, such as interventions on reconstruction of tunnel Križeviči and potential re-location of Tuzla passenger station.

8. Indicative budget

EUR 480,000

9. Intended timing of publication of the contract notice

September 2020

10. Additional information

N/a

11. Legal basis¹

Regulation (EU) N°236/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 laying down common rules and procedures for the implementation of the Union's instruments for financing external action and Regulation (EU) N° 231/2014 of the European Parliament and the of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing an Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA II).

Remarks:

There must be a minimum period of 30 calendar days between the publication of this prior information notice and the publication of the corresponding contract notice.

No applications or requests for information should be sent at this stage.

¹ Please state any specificity that might have an impact on rules on participation (such as geographic or thematic or long/short term).