

EIGE

Vilnius, 27/10/2010

Subject: Ex-ante publicity in negotiated procurement procedure, reference number EIGE/2010/OPER/40
Study on implementation methods of work with the Beijing indicators in the European Union

Description of the contract:

The European Institute for Gender Equality (EIGE) intends to procure services in order to conduct a study of which the findings will be presented in a comprehensive report on the implementation methods of work with the Beijing indicators in the European Union. The study will analyse various implementation methods of working with gender data and will assess use of qualitative and quantitative gender sensitive statistics and indicators by Member States in order to have sound background information and to promote use of good practices.

Description of the products and related services:

The main objective of the study is to produce a comprehensive report on the implementation methods of Beijing Platform for Action (BPfA), focusing on endeavour and use of the indicators identified in the critical areas of concern. The report should give reliable background information and to advice on actions for improving the implementation methods and increasing use of the Beijing indicators. The study will help to structure knowledge of existing methods, to identify the existing materials (reports, studies, working papers, assessments, manuals, guidelines, etc.) in the field of the Beijing indicators, as well as practices of increasing visibility of gender sensitive data and the Beijing indicators.

Description of the procedure:

This ex-ante publicity is the first stage of the negotiated procurement procedure through which EIGE may award the above-mentioned contract.

All parties interested in providing the services described above should send a declaration of interest by e-mail to **procurement@eige.europa.eu** with the subject reference: **EIGE/2010/OPER/40** before **10/11/2010, 12h00 EET**.

All interested parties should clearly demonstrate their ability to provide the services required above in their declaration of interest (400 words maximum). Tender documents

will be sent by e-mail to a pre-selected list of the interested parties. Please note, however, that EIGE reserves the right to decide not to proceed with the negotiated procedure.

This publication constitutes no obligation for EIGE to invite to tender any interested parties having expressed their interest in participating. Only the candidates invited by the contracting authority to negotiate in a tender procedure will be admissible.

We look forward to receiving your declaration of interest.