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**Subject: Ex-ante publicity notice for procurement procedure (€60 000.01 – Directive threshold) Study on Factors that Facilitate Witness Reporting of Intimate Partner Violence**

**Reference number: EIGE/2019/OPER/06**

#### Description of the contract

The European Institute for Gender Equality (EIGE) envisages awarding a middle-value contract for **study on factors that facilitate witness reporting of intimate partner violence.**

#### Description of the requested services

In order to facilitate EIGE's continued work on improving Member States' and European Union's responses to intimate partner violence against women the study will aim to:

- Review data (research, legal framework and policy) available in all Member States concerning the reporting of intimate partner violence by witnesses, in order to identify the types of witnesses, types of environment where reporting of intimate partner violence by witnesses most often occurs and what are the factors which facilitate the reporting.
- Carry out in-depth qualitative research in selected four (4) Member States in order to identify the factors which lead to the reporting of intimate partner violence by witnesses in the context of identified environments where reporting predominantly occurs. The research will include: (1) interviews with professionals working with witnesses who report intimate partner violence and with individual witnesses who reported intimate partner violence and (2) focus groups.
- Produce a wide range of targeted and specific recommendations on how to further facilitate the reporting by witnesses of intimate partner violence.

#### 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 express their interest 400 words maximum, by e-mail, to [procurement@eige.europa.eu](mailto:procurement@eige.europa.eu) with the subject reference:

**EIGE/2019/OPER/06, before 10:00 Vilnius time on the fifteenth calendar day from the publication date of this notice on the website.**

Economic operators who do not express their interest before the deadline and to the address above will not be invited to submit an offer. The latter restriction will not apply to the minimum five economic operators directly invited by EIGE.

Tender documents will be sent by e-mail.

This publication constitutes no obligation for EIGE to launch the mentioned procurement procedure.

We look forward to receiving your declaration of interest.