

CONTRACT NOTICE

CALL FOR TENDER: GENERAL INFORMATION

II.1.1) Information Notice Title: Customs SEED+ Maintenance, Upgrade and Risk Management Support

II.1.1) Information Notice Reference Number: CEFTA SEED + 2026-07

I.1) Name and address Contracting Authority

Official name: The Secretariat of the Central European Free Trade Agreement 2006

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II.1.1) Title:

Customs SEED+ Maintenance, Upgrade and Risk Management Support

II.1.2) Type of contract

Services

II.1.3) Short description of the contract

Maintenance, support, upgrade and further development of Customs SEED+ and related customs digital systems. Customs SEED+ has evolved from a platform primarily supporting the electronic exchange of advance customs information into the principal CEFTA digital platform for customs cooperation, advanced customs data processing and the digital implementation of customs-related CEFTA commitments.

The platform supports the systematic electronic exchange and processing of customs data and pre-arrival information between CEFTA Customs Administrations and, through the Green Lanes initiative, with participating EU Member States. Its functionalities support the monitoring and matching of customs data and goods movements, customs risk management, trade facilitation, monitoring of crossing point performance, statistics and reporting, and the implementation of common customs cooperation tools.

The contract will support the continued operation and further technical development of the Green Lanes,

as well as the further development of digital functionalities related to coordinated customs risk management, including, where relevant, the exchange of risk information, common risk profiles, rapid customs alerts, inspection and control results, truck weighing and scanner information, improved waiting-time measurement, and advanced data analysis and targeting functionalities. Further developments may also include AEO cooperation and prioritisation, priority treatment of consignments containing perishable goods, and other customs cooperation measures agreed by the CEFTA Parties.

Interoperability between Customs SEED+, local customs systems and other relevant systems will be further strengthened through APIs, web services and other technical solutions enabling structured and automated data exchange, reducing duplicate data entry and improving data quality.

The contract will also support the progressive technical adaptation of Customs SEED+ to the evolving Union Customs Code (UCC) framework and related EU customs digital systems and data-exchange requirements, with a view to strengthening interoperability with relevant EU customs systems and supporting closer customs cooperation between CEFTA and the EU.

II.1.4) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 1,250,000 EUR

III.1.1.) Type of Procedure

Restricted

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

PIN publication number: 476187-2026

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

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II.2) Description

Title: Customs SEED+ Maintenance, Upgrade and Risk Management Support

II.2.3) Place performance

Geographical zone benefitting from the action: Brussels and CEFTA Parties

II.2.5) Award Criteria

Best quality ratio criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents.

II.2.14) Additional information

Repetition of similar services/works

Provided they are in conformity with the basic project, new services or works consisting in the repetition of similar services or works, may be entrusted up to 50% of the initial contract to the initial contractor by negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice.

IV.2.2) Time limit for submission of requests to participate

Date: 23/10/2026

Local Time: 16:00 Brussels time

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 6 months

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 21/12/2026 (estimated)

Local time 16:00 Brussels time

Place: Brussels

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