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Turkey-Ankara: IPA — Technical assistance for improvement of performance-based tariff regulation of EMRA for Turkish energy markets through introducing an enhanced monitoring system 2017/S 144-296314

Service prior information notice

Location — Turkey

1. Publication reference:

EuropeAid/139125/IH/SER/TR.

2. Procedure:

Restricted.

3. **Programme title:**

Annual action programme for Turkey for the year 2015 under the Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA II).

4. Financing:

IPA budget item 22.02.03.02 of the general budget of the EU (100 %).

5. Contracting authority:

Central Finance and Contracts Unit (CFCU), Ankara, TURKEY.

6. Nature of contract:

Global price.

7. Contract description:

The overall objective of the project is to improve the functioning of electricity and gas markets of Turkey in line with EU requirements. Specifically, it is aimed to improve the capacity of Energy Market Regulatory Authority (EMRA) by developing a performance-based tariff regulation for Turkish energy markets and introducing an enhanced monitoring system. In this regard, the project will cover activities such as producing technical documents (gap analysis and need assessment report, methodologies, guidelines, etc.) on tariff structure, electricity and gas market monitoring system, preparation of smart grid road map, vulnerable consumer action plan, development of regulatory measures for supplier of the last resort, as well as workshops, trainings, study visits, etc. to enhance the monitoring system.

8. Indicative budget:

2 000 000 EUR.

- 9. **Intended timing of publication of the contract notice:** November 2017.
- 10. Additional information: Not applicable.

11. Legal basis:

Regulation (EU) No 236/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11.3.2014 laying down common rules and procedures for the implementation of the Union's instruments for financing external action and Regulation (EU) No 231/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11.3.2014 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.

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