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**Turkey-Ankara: IPA — Supply of boats for enhancing the capacity of Turkish Coast
Guard command on fighting against irregular immigration and organised crime by sea
2017/S 212-439809**

Supply contract prior information notice

Location — Turkey

1. **Publication reference:**
EuropeAid/139308/IH/SUP/TR.
2. **Procedure:**
Open.
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 22.02.03.01 of the general budget of the EU (85 %) and national contribution (15 %).
5. **Contracting authority:**
Central Finance and Contracts Unit (CFCU), Ankara, TURKEY.
6. **Contract description:**
This contract aims to strengthen the process of border control through the modernisation of equipment in line with EU requirements to be used for maritime operational effectiveness. With the procurement of small type of fast response boats (SFRB), the objective is to enhance the operational capacity (fast intervention, the detection of all kinds of illegal activities) and expand surveillance capacity within maritime jurisdiction areas to increase the number of rescued/apprehended irregular migrants, hence decrease irregular migration.
7. **Indicative number and titles of lots:**
1 lot only: small type of fast response boats (SFRB).
8. **Intended timing of publication of the contract notice:**
March 2018.
9. **Additional information:**
Not applicable.
10. **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), OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 11.

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 further information should be sent at this stage.