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**Turkey-Ankara: IPA - Technical Assistance for Enhanced
Capacity for Public Sector Accounting Standards (PSAS)
2018/S 044-095196**

Location — Turkey

SERVICE PRIOR INFORMATION NOTICE

1. **Publication reference**
EuropeAid/139531/IH/SER/TR.
2. **Procedure**
Restricted
3. **Programme title**
Annual Action Programme for Turkey for the year 2014 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 (90 %) and national contribution (10 %).
5. **Contracting Authority**
Central Finance and Contracts Unit, Ankara, TURKEY.
6. **Nature of contract**
Global price
7. **Contract description**
The overall objective of the project is to improve transparency and accountability of public financial management system.
Specifically, it is aimed to improve public accounting system and government financial statistics by means of reviewing the existing legal framework of PSAS and revising its principles accordingly, increasing awareness of public officials about its principles and the way it is implemented as well as increasing structural capacity of public institutions. To this end, the Contractor will provide technical assistance and consultancy services including organizing seminars, conferences, internship, workshops, study visits, training and pilot study activities on public sector accounting standards and EU best practices.
8. **Indicative budget**
EUR 1 875 000
9. **Intended timing of publication of the contract notice**
4.2018.
10. **Additional information**
Not applicable.
11. **Legal basis**
Regulation (EU) n° 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) n° 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 — See Annex A2 of the Practical Guide

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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.