**CONTRACT NOTICE**

**CALL FOR TENDER: GENERAL INFORMATION**
 **I.1) Name and address Contracting Authority**

**Official name: Georgia’s Innovation and Technology Agency
Postal address: Innovation Street No.7, Tbilisi, Georgia
Town: Tbilisi
Postal Code: 0114**

**E-mail: info@gita.gov.ge
Internet address: https://gita.gov.ge**

 **II.1.1) Title:

“Do IT with the EU” 1,000 IT Specialists Certification Program**

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

80000000-4 **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description of the contract**

**The overall objective of the assignment is to support development of an IT Ecosystem in Georgia. The Program is designed to increase skills and employment within the IT sector of Georgia by integrating world-class standards and linking talent to global opportunities. Specifically, the program will create employment opportunities for Georgian citizens, who are certified by internationally recognized and reputable organisations, like Microsoft, Google, Oracle, Certiport, etc.**

**Contractor will prepare, deliver, and manage a comprehensive ICT training program. The ultimate goal is to equip trainees with the knowledge and skills required for international certification exams and to provide ongoing support for their career development. The emphasis throughout is on transparency, accessibility, and effective communication with program participants, ensuring the success of this ambitious educational initiative.**

**Specific objectives:**

**The specific objective and outcome of the contract are as follows:**

1. **Output 1 - Trained IT specialists in the most-demanded ICT skills; and**
2. **Output 2 - Internationally Certified IT specialists in the most-demanded ICT skills.**

**II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: EUR 600,000.00

 **IV.1.1.) Type of Procedure**

**Restricted**

 **II.1.6) Information about lots**

**This contract is divided into lots: NO**

 **CALL FOR TENDER: INFORMATION PER LOT**

**II.2) Description**

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

**Geographical zone benefitting from the action: Georgia**

 **II.2.5) Award 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 80% 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 tenders or requests to participate**

**Date: 03/04/2024
Local Time (Tbilisi, Georgia): 18:00**

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

**Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)**

 **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

**Date: 03/04/2024
Local Time (Tbilisi, Georgia): 18:00
Place: Tbilisi, Georgia.**