

Does your firm have expertise in one of the sectors covered by the European Commission's external aid?

The Framework contract (FWC) is one of the tools for delivering this European Commission assistance. It is a multiple (= several contractors per lot) FWC with a reopened competition for each assignment (= each assignment under the FWC is awarded after a consultation of several Framework contractors).

The selection process for the new Framework contract - to run from 2009 up to 2013 - is now starting . The procurement notice can be found in the Official Journal of the European Community (S 128 of 4/07/2008)

http://ted.europa.eu/Exec?DataFlow=N_list_results.dfl&Template=TED/N_result_details_curr.htm&Page=176&docnumber=2008121428&StatLang=EN

**and with its annexes on EuropeAid website:
<http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/cgi/frame12.pl>.**

You can find information about the existing Framework contracts such as the detailed description of the lots as well as the list of present Framework Contractors on :

http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/work/framework-contract/index_en.htm