

## CALL FOR PROPOSALS

JSC "Ausnė" implementing the Norwegian financial mechanisms project "Increasing the competitiveness of JSC "Ausnė" by implementing green smart technologies in production and creating an innovative "AURAVITA" product" No. LT07-1-EIM-K05-004 (hereinafter - the Project) seeks to purchase a smart mattress production line (the technical specification of the goods is presented in Annex 2 of the special conditions of public procurement open tender).

We invite you to participate in the **open tender**, which is carried out in accordance with the 2014-2021 Description of the procedure for the procurement of European Economic Area and Norwegian Financial Mechanisms projects and Bilateral Cooperation Fund projects and non-procurement organizations and procurement organizations in accordance with the Regulation, approved by the Director of the Public Organization "Central Project Management Agency" 8 July 2019 order no. 2019/8-172 and the Law on Public Procurement of the Republic of Lithuania (hereinafter - PPL).

**Procurement is carried out in compliance with the principles of equality, non-discrimination, transparency, mutual recognition, proportionality and confidentiality and impartiality.**

JSC "Ausnė" is a value added tax (hereinafter - VAT) payer.

**The object of purchase is a smart mattress production line. The maximum acceptable amount is 397,790.00 EUR without VAT.**

The terms of **procurement include:**

- **general conditions** of procurement;
- **special conditions of procurement, including their annexes.**

The procurement **is carried out in writing by e-mail.**

**Procurement announcement date: 9 November 2023**

**Deadline for submission of proposals:**

**The proposal must be submitted by 24 November 2023 23:59 (Lithuanian time) sending proposal by e-mail [ausne@ausne.lt](mailto:ausne@ausne.lt).**

In accordance with the PPL article 60 paragraph 3, JSC "Ausnė" applies an accelerated procedure and a shortened deadline of 15 days for the submission of proposals. The accelerated procedure is carried out, taking into account the fact that the implementation of the Project has an extremely short deadline [the project must be completed in 2024 at the latest April 30 (There is no possibility to extend the project) and taking into account the production deadline of the smart mattress production line during the market research of UAB "Ausnė" (production takes 4-5 months). The application was included in the reserve list, for this reason the fact of the funding allocation became clear later than the activities were planned to be implemented according to the terms determined in the application.

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