

**Commission communication pursuant to Article 17(5) of Regulation (EC) No 1008/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for the operation of air services in the Community**

**Invitation to tender in respect of the operation of scheduled air services in accordance with public service obligations**

(2016/C 197/05)

Member State	Greece
Concerned routes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Athens – Astypalea</li> <li>— Athens – Ikaria</li> <li>— Athens – Leros</li> <li>— Athens – Milos</li> <li>— Athens – Kithira</li> <li>— Athens – Naxos</li> <li>— Athens – Paros</li> <li>— Athens – Karpathos</li> <li>— Athens – Sitia</li> <li>— Athens – Skiathos</li> <li>— Athens – Kalymnos</li> <li>— Athens – Skyros</li> <li>— Athens – Zakynthos</li> <li>— Athens – Syros</li> <li>— Athens – Kozani – Kastoria</li> <li>— Thessaloniki – Samos</li> <li>— Thessaloniki – Chios</li> <li>— Thessaloniki – Corfu</li> <li>— Thessaloniki – Kalamata</li> <li>— Thessaloniki – Skyros</li> <li>— Thessaloniki – Limos – Ikaria</li> <li>— Alexandroupolis – Sitia</li> <li>— Aktio – Sitia</li> <li>— Corfu – Aktion – Kefalonia – Zakynthos</li> <li>— Limnos – Mitilini – Chios – Samos – Rhodes</li> <li>— Rhodes – Kos – Kalymnos – Leros – Astypalea</li> <li>— Rhodes – Karpathos – Kasos</li> <li>— Rhodes – Kastelorizo</li> </ul>
Period of validity of the contract	1 October 2016-30 September 2020
Deadline for submission of tenders	3 August 2016
Address where the text of the invitation to tender and any relevant information and/or documentation related to the public tender and the public service obligation can be obtained free of charge	<p>Hellenic Civil Aviation Authority  Directorate-General for Air Transport  Air Transport and International Affairs Division  Section II  Vas. Georgiou 1  16604 Glyfada  GREECE</p> <p>Tel. +30 2108916149 / 2108916121  Fax +30 2108947132  Internet: <a href="http://www.hcaa.gr">www.hcaa.gr</a></p>