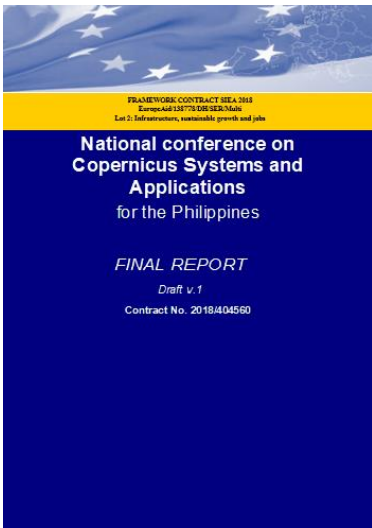


Project Title		THE PHILIPPINES: NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON COPERNICUS TECHNOLOGY AND APPLICATIONS LOT 2: INFRASTRUCTURE, SUSTAINABLE GROWTH AND JOBS						
Name of legal entity	Country	Contract value (€)	% carried out by Epsilon	No of staff provided	Client	Origin of funding	Date (start/end)	Consortium Members
	Philippines	150,000.00	30,000.00	2	European Commission EU Delegation in the Philippines	EUROPAID	2019	COWI PPM (BG) EPSILON (GR)
			150,000.00 (Total)					
Description of the project						Services provided		
 Copernicus is the European Union’s Earth revolutionary Earth Observation and Monitoring program, which is monitoring our planet and its environment by a set of satellites and taking a continuous “health check” of the Earth. The programme has six services: Land, atmosphere, marine, emergency, security and climate change. All have been delegated to specific institutions for their technical coordination. Thanks to a variety of technologies, from satellites in space to measurement systems on the ground, in the sea and in the air, Copernicus delivers operational data and information services openly and freely in a wide range of application areas including agriculture, forestry, blue economy and fisheries, tourism, insurance, disaster management, energy, transport, urban planning land use and several others. Copernicus offers information services that help create better forecasts, better understand the planet and the environment and improve quality of life of communities and citizens. Users of Copernicus data are mostly policymakers and public authorities who normally use Copernicus data to extract information either to create environmental laws/policies or to create solutions and take preventative measures in the face of emergency situations or natural disasters. But the information that Copernicus allows to complete are also of great benefit to commercial and private users, researchers and the science community, and beneficial in many different areas which potentially impact business and organizations in their routine operations and day-to-day activities. The European Union Delegation to the Philippines plans to organize a one-day (full-fay) national conference in Manila targeting a wide range of stakeholders. The aim of the event is to present the Copernicus programme, highlight its governance structure, functionality aspects, nature, methods and availability of data and services, and to illustrate multiple areas of application and present case studies with potentially important application areas for the Philippines.						GLOBAL OBJECTIVE - Increase visibility, appreciation and understanding of the European Union in the Philippines through awareness on the EU Copernicus Programme SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES - Organise and deliver a national conference targeting on the promotion of the EU Copernicus programme and potential areas of interest for the Philippines. - Promotion of conducive dialogue for potential collaboration opportunities between the Philippines and the European Union on the use of Copernicus technology in relevant areas of application 		