**Defence Contract Notice**

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Section I: Contracting Authority
   I.1)Name, Addresses and Contact Point(s):
       Ministry of Defence, ISTAR, Situational Awareness Command and Control (SACC) Delivery Team
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       NUTS Code: UK

      Further information can be obtained at: As Above
      Specifications and additional documents: As Above
      Applications must be sent to: As Above

   I.2)Type of the contracting authority and main activity or activities:
      Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

   I.3) Main activity:
      Defence

   I.4) Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities/entity:
      The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: No

Section II: Object Of The Contract: SUPPLIES
   II.1)Description
      II.1.1)Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority/entity: Provision and Support of CSI Cabins
      II.1.2)Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance: SUPPLIES
         Purchase

         Region Codes: UK - UNITED KINGDOM
      II.1.3)Framework agreements: Not Provided

      II.1.5)Short description of the contract or purchase:
      Cabins. Preventive maintenance services. Repair and maintenance services. Technical inspection and testing services. Mechanical and electrical engineering services. Technical support services. The Ministry of Defence has an enduring requirement for the purchase and installation of up to two new CSI remote Cabins and the provision of maintenance and support for the CSI Cabins.

Design, procurement, installation and acceptance of COTS remote replacement Cabins, where the CSI terminals are hosted and act as the physical environment; for sites in the Northumberland and Norfolk regions.

The internal cabin equipment room must be designed to meet the UK Government’s Centre for the Protection of National Infrastructure (CPNI) standard for a secure room designed to resist surreptitious attack.

Electrical interfaces are required such as primary power supply, alarm circuits (fire/Intruder detections system), and data networking connections. It must be able to support 13-amp sockets in addition to power supplies for the equipment, and emergency lighting is required.

The requirement will include maintenance and support for the CSI Cabins. The support will include but is not limited to:

i. Testing/Certification of the Cabins to ensure design integrity, security and electrical safety
ii. Preventive maintenance for the Cabins
iii. Provision of repair and emergency call-out service
iv. Provision of ad-hoc in-service support activities to the Cabin’s external connections and interfaces.

It is expected that the Potential Provider shall have the capacity and capability to meet the Authority’s timescale of installation and acceptance of the first Cabin by Aug/Sep 2021.

The advertised contract for the supply and support of the CSI Cabins will be for a period of 5 years. The project will include the procurement and support of one new replacement remote Cabin. Pending future requirements, a second Cabin may be required and will therefore be an Option in the potential contract, and subsequent support of this Cabin. The full scope of the Contract will be explained within the Invitation to Tender.

      II.1.6)Common Procurement Vocabulary:
         44211110 - Cabins.

         50324200 - Preventive maintenance services.

         50000000 - Repair and maintenance services.

         71630000 - Technical inspection and testing services.

         71334000 - Mechanical and electrical engineering services.

         71356300 - Technical support services.

      II.1.7)Information about subcontracting:
         The tenderer has to indicate in the tender any share of the contract it may intend to subcontract to third parties and any proposed subcontractor, as well as the subject-matter of the subcontracts for which they are proposed.
         The tenderer has to indicate any change occurring at the level of subcontractors during the execution of the contract.
      II.1.8)Division into lots: No
      II.1.9)Variants will be accepted: No

   II.2)Quantity Or Scope Of The Contract
      II.2.1)Total quantity or scope (including all lots, renewals and options):
      Requirement
Supply and installation of CSI Cabin (Northumberland)
Maintenance of CIS Cabin (Northumberland)

Option
Supply and installation of CSI Cabin (Norfolk site)
Maintenance of CSI Cabin (Norfolk site)
         Estimated value excluding VAT:
         Range between: 348,000 and 870,000
         Currency: GBP

      II.2.2)Options: Yes
         If yes, description of these options: Option
Supply and installation of CSI Cabin (Norfolk site)
Maintenance of CSI Cabin (Norfolk site)
      If known, Provisional timetable for recourse to these options:

         Duration in months: 24 (from the award of the contract)

         II.2.3)Renewals: No
   II.3)Duration Of The Contract Or Time-Limit For Completion

Section III: Legal, Economic, Financial And Technical Information
   III.1)Conditions relating to the contract
      III.1.1)Deposits and guarantees required:
      Not Provided

      III.1.2)Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them:
      Not Provided

      III.1.3)Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded:
      Not Provided

      III.1.4) Other particular conditions to which the performance of the contract is subject, in particular with regard to security of supply and security of information: Not Provided
   III.1.5) Information about security clearance
      Candidates which do not yet hold security clearance may obtain such clearance until: Not Provided

   III.2)Conditions For Participation
      III.2.1)Economic and financial capacity:
         Criteria regarding the personal situation of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion) including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers.
         The Authority will apply all the offences listed in Article 39(1) of Directive 2009/81/EC (implemented as Regulation 23(1) of the Defence and Security Public Contract Regulations (DSPCR) 2011 in the UK) and all of the professional misconducts listed at Article 39(2) of Directive 2009/81/EC (see also Regulation 23(2) in the DSPCR 2011) to the decision of whether a Candidate is eligible to be invited to tender.

         A full list of these criteria are at http://www.dcocontracts.mod.uk/delta/project/reasonsForExclusion.html#dspr

         Candidates will be required to sign a declaration confirming whether they do or do not have any of the listed criteria as part of the pre-qualification process.

         Candidates who have been convicted of any of the offences under Article 39(1) are ineligible and will not be selected to bid, unless there are overriding requirements in the general interest (including defence and security factors) for doing so.

         Candidates who are guilty of any of the offences, circumstances or misconduct under Article 39(2) may be excluded from being selected to bid at the discretion of the Authority.

      III.2.2) Economic and financial standing:
         Criteria regarding the economic and financial standing of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)
         (b) The presentation of balance-sheets or extracts from the balance-sheets, where publication of the balance-sheet is required under the law of the country in which the economic operator is established;
         (c) where appropriate, a statement, covering the three previous financial years of the economic operator, of:(i) the overall turnover of the business of the economic operator; and (ii) where appropriate, the turnover in respect of the work, works, goods or services which are of a similar type to the subject matter of the contract.

      III.2.3) Technical and/or professional capacity:
         Criteria regarding the technical and/or professional ability of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)

         (a) in the case of a supply contract requiring the siting or installation of goods, a services contract or a works contract, the economic operator's technical ability, taking into account in particular that economic operator's skills, efficiency, experience and reliability;
         (b) a list of works carried out over the past five years together with (unless the contracting authority specifies that the following certificate should be submitted direct to the contracting authority by the person certifying) certificates of satisfactory completion for the most important of those works indicating in each case: (i)the value of the consideration received; (ii)when and where the work or works were carried out; and (iii)specifying whether they were carried out according to the rules of the trade or profession and properly completed;
         (c) a statement of the principal goods sold or services provided by the supplier or the services provider in the past five years, or during a shorter period if necessary, and: (i) the dates on which the goods were sold or the services provided; (ii) the consideration received; (iii) the identity of the person to whom the goods were sold or the service were provided; (iv) any certificate issued or countersigned by that person confirming the details of the contract for those goods sold or services provided; and (v) where - (a)that person was not a contracting authority, and (b)the certificate referred to in sub-paragraph (c)(iv) is not available, any declaration by the economic operator attesting the details of the goods sold or services provided;
         (d) a statement of the technicians or technical services available to the economic operator to: (i) carry out the work under the contract, or (ii) be involved in the production of goods or the provision of services under the contract, particularly those responsible for quality control, whether or not they are independent of the economic operator;
         (e) a statement of the economic operator's: (i) technical facilities; (ii) measures for ensuring quality; (iii) study and research facilities; and (iv) internal rules regarding intellectual property;
         (g) in the case of works contracts, services contracts or supply contracts also covering siting and installation operations or services, the economic operator's educational and professional qualifications where the economic operator is an individual and: (i) if any, those of the economic operator's managerial staff; and (ii) those of one or more persons who would be responsible for providing the services or carrying out the work or works under the contract;
         (h) the environmental management measures, that the economic operator is able to apply when performing the contract, but only where it is necessary for the performance of that contract;
         (i) a statement of the services provider's or contractor's average annual number of staff and managerial staff over the previous three years;
         (m) in the case of contracts involving, entailing or containing classified information, evidence of the ability to process, store and transmit such information at the level of protection required by the contracting authority;
         (n) a certificate: (i) attesting conformity to quality management systems standards based on the relevant European standard; and (ii) from an independent accredited body established in any member State conforming to the European standards concerning accreditation and certification;

      III.2.4) Information about reserved contracts: Not Provided
Section IV: Procedure
   IV.1)Type Of Procedure
      IV.1.1)Type of procedure: Restricted

      IV.1.2)Limitations on the number of operators who will be invited to tender or to participate:
                        Envisaged minimum number: 3
         Objective Criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:
         The Authority is seeking compliant responses to this DPQQ. To be proceed to the tender stage, Potential Providers are required to meet the following conditions:
1. Pass all questions within the Commercial DPQQ.
2. Pass all compliance questions (PASS/FAIL).
3. Pall all Confidence questions
4. Achieve a cumulative minimum score of 15 or greater for the demonstration and Confidence questions
   IV.2)Award Criteria
      IV.2.1)Award criteria:
         The most economically advantageous tender in terms of
            The criteria stated in the specifications, in the invitation to tender or to negotiate or in the descriptive document

      IV.2.2)An electronic auction will be used: No

   IV.3)Administrative Information
      IV.3.1)File reference number attributed by the contracting authority: 701046376
      IV.3.2)Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract: No

      IV.3.3)Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document:

         Not Provided

      IV.3.4)Time-limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate
         Date: 16/11/2020
         Time: 10:00
      IV.3.5)Date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates: 11/12/2020
      IV.3.6)Language(s) in which tenders or requests to participate may be drawn up:         English

Section VI: Complementary Information

   VI.1)This Is A Recurrent Procurement: No
   VI.2)The contract is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No
   VI.3)Additional Information: The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.The Authority reserves the right to amend any condition related to security of information to reflect any changes in national law or government policy. If any contract documents are accompanied by instructions on safeguarding classified information (e.g. a Security Aspects Letter), the Authority reserves the right to amend the terms of these instructions to reflect any changes in national law or government policy, whether in respect of the applicable protective marking scheme, specific protective markings given, the aspects to which any protective marking applies, or otherwise. The link below to the Gov.uk website provides information on the Government Security Classification.

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/government-security-classifications

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Suppliers must log in, go to your Response Manager and add the following Access Code: F3B8EUEV84.

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   VI.4)Procedures For Appeal
      VI.4.1)Body responsible for appeal procedures:
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      VI.4.2)Procedures for appeal: Not Provided

      VI.4.3)Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained:
             MOD
       MOD Abbey Wood, #1113, Spruce 1C, Bristol, BS34 8JH, United Kingdom
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   VI.5) Date Of Dispatch Of This Notice: 16/10/2020

ANNEX A