Defence Contract Notice

Activity Centre Tender Manager

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Section I: Contracting Authority

I.1) Name, Addresses and Contact Point(s):

Ministry of Defence, DSG, Defence Support Group (DSG)

Babcock DSG Limited, Building B15, MoD Donnington, Telford, TF2 8JT, United Kingdom

Tel. +44 1952967360, Email: alan.jones2@babcockinternational.com

Contact: Alan Jones

Main Address: https://www.babcockinternational.com/

NUTS Code: UKG21

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:

IRM18/6132 The Supply of Thermal Camouflage Nets, Accessories and Associated Items

II.1.2)Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance: SUPPLIES

Purchase

Region Codes: UKG21 - Telford and Wrekin

II.1.3)Framework agreements: The establishment of a framework agreement

II.1.4)Information on framework agreement:

Framework agreement with a single operator

Duration of the framework agreement:

Duration in year(s): 7

Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement:

Estimated value excluding VAT: 9,042,000

Currency: GBP

II.1.5)Short description of the contract or purchase:

Camouflage covers. Babcock DSG Limited acting as the Authority's Agent is considering establishing a Framework Agreement The Supply of Thermal Camouflage Nets, Accessories and Associated Items for the British Army. The contract shall have a duration of 7 years. Babcock DSG Limited reserve the right to add further items of a similar nature to this contract post award. Any resulting contract shall have a set of Key Performance Indicators to measure performance in areas such as delivery and quality, and shall include remedies for poor performance. No business whatsoever is guaranteed under any resulting framework agreement/contract. There is no guarantee that any framework agreement/contract will be put in place in relation to this notice. No compensation will be paid if a tender/resulting framework agreement is withdrawn for any reason. Bidders should take part in this process only on the basis that they fully understand/accept this.

II.1.6)Common Procurement Vocabulary: 39522200 - Camouflage covers.

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.

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):

The Supply of Thermal Camouflage Nets, Accessories and Associated Items. All items in scope of the requirement are codified to NATO Stock Numbers. All items must be supplied compliant to drawings which will be issued with the tender documentation, or compliant to the MPN on CSIS where drawings do not exist. Babcock DSG LTD reserve the right to add further items of a similar nature to the contract post award.

Estimated value excluding VAT: 9,042,000

Currency: GBP

II.2.2)Options: No II.2.3)Renewals: No

II.3)Duration Of The Contract Or Time-Limit For Completion Duration in days: (from the award of the contract)

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.contracts.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)

Not Provided

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)

Not Provided

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: 5 and maximum number: 10

IV.2) Award Criteria

IV.2.1) Award criteria:

Lowest price

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: IRM18/6132

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: 05/06/2019 Time: 13:00

IV.3.5)Date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates: Not Provided

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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The Cyber Risk Profile for this requirement is 'Very Low'. If you are invited to Tender you will be required to complete the Supplier Assurance Questionnaire at https://supplier-cyber-protection.services.gov.uk/ to demonstrate your compliance with the required cyber risk level. The RAR code associated with this requirement is RAR-RX7E4FB2.

Suppliers must read through this set of instructions and follow the process to respond to this opportunity.

The information and/or documents for this opportunity are available on http://www.contracts.mod.uk.

You must register on this site to respond, if you are already registered you will not need to register again, simply use your existing username and password. Please note there is a password reminder link on the homepage.

Suppliers must log in, go to your Response Manager and add the following Access Code: 22B2BY68S7.

Please ensure you follow any instruction provided to you here.

The deadline for submitting your response(s) is detailed within this contract notice, you will also have visibility of the deadline date, once you have added the Access code via DCO as the opening and closing date is visible within the opportunity. Please ensure that you allow yourself plenty of time when responding to this opportunity prior to the closing date and time, especially if you have been asked to upload documents.

If you experience any difficulties please refer to the online Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ's) or the User Guides or contact the MOD DCO Helpdesk by emailing support@contracts.mod.uk or Telephone 0800 282 324.

VI.4)Procedures For Appeal

VI.4.1)Body responsible for appeal procedures:

Ministry of Defence, DSG, Defence Support Group (DSG)

Babcock DSG Ltd, Building B15, MoD Donnington, Telford, TF2 8JT, United Kingdom

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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:

Not Provided

VI.5) Date Of Dispatch Of This Notice: 05/02/2019

ANNEX A