



## MOD Request for Information

### Section 1: Contract Title:

Title attributed to the Contract by the Contracting Authority

Country

Town

Title of notice

Section (DIO only)

### Section 2: Contracting Authority

Name of Institution

MOD Organisation

Integrated Project Team (IPT)

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### **Section 3: Object of the Request for Information:**

Contracting Authority's file Reference number: 707945453-A

Weblink to where further documentation can be obtained: <https://www.contracts.mod.uk/>

Short description of requirement: The UK Army is exploring potential opportunities within the Armed UAS capability. This will look to encompass:

- 1) A system that has a modular payload interface that allows the user to switch out payloads expediently as the tactical situation evolves
- 2) A system that is expendable or re-usable depending on the tactical situation and payload
- 3) An Armed UAS that has a maximum take-off weight (including payload) of 350g
- 4) A system capable of multiple launching options to suit the tactical situation
- 5) A system that has a minimum flight time of 20 minutes regardless of payload

To allow:

- 1) The Authority to understand the marketplace in regard to Armed UAS
- 2) Industry to introduce possible solutions to the Authority
- 3) The Authority to understand potential development opportunities

Time-limit:

**30/06/2023**

Information requested:

#### **Action**

Companies who wish to return information on an Armed UAS and have equipment/systems that provide a capability (in line with the 'Background' information above) should provide the following details to the Authority contact (provided in 'UK MoD Point of Contact').

- 1) Main Point Of Contact Details (Name, Address, Contact Telephone Number)
- 2) Name Of Company
- 3) Details of existing Armed UAS related equipment (e.g. Data Sheet)
- 4) Brief on developments for future Armed UAS related equipment
- 5) Details of any contracts to supply Armed UAS related equipment to other Governments
- 6) Is the company be able to present/demonstrate equipment to the Authority?

#### **Industry Event**

Responding Companies may be invited to present/demonstrate equipment to the Authority without prejudice based on the following Agenda:

- 1) Authority Presentation: Authority to provide an Armed UAS Requirement presentation to the Company;

- 2) Company Questions: Company to raise any related requirement questions to the Authority;
- 3) Company Presentation: Company to provide a presentation to the Authority on:
  - a. Current Armed UAS solutions
  - b. Developments leading to future Armed UAS solutions
- 4) Company Demonstration: Company to provide a demonstration to the Authority
- 5) Authority Questions: Authority to raise any questions with Company
- 6) AOB: Both parties to raise any other questions

Specific arrangements will be announced once the level of response has been gaged. It is anticipated the Industry Event will be held over several days with companies only requiring to attend on one day. Attendees will be responsible for all costs incurred in association with the Industry Event (e.g. travel, subsistence, etc.). The UK MoD will not reimburse costs.