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FTS/DE/SACC/16 - MARITIME MULTI-LINK (MML) PHASE 2 TRAINING NEEDS ANALYSIS (TNA) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

1.   On behalf of the Secretary of State for Defence, I hereby give you notice that any sketch, plan, model, article, note or document, or information connected with or arising out of the above-mentioned Invitation to Tender, is subject to the provisions of the Official Secrets Acts (OSA) 1911-1989.

2.   In the event of a contract being placed with you, the following aspects would constitute the [redacted] for the purpose of the DEFCON 659A Security Clause included in the contract and for DEFCON 660 other aspects that are classified as [redacted].

ASPECTS	CLASSIFICATION
Existence of the Maritime Multi-Link (MML) Programme	[redacted]
General description of the MML	[redacted]
Existence of the MML systems	[redacted]
Design documentation and performance targets of MML	[redacted]
Design and performance of commercial equipment built into the MML solutions without modification	[redacted]

Design and performance of COTS software applications used in MML	[redacted]
Computer programs, both source code, build scripts, and executable code used by the MML solution	[redacted]
MML User and System Requirements	[redacted]
MML CONEMP.	[redacted]
General purpose processing and protocols including physical interface definitions to NATO Tactical Data Link standards	[redacted]
MML project documentation.	[redacted]
System logs generated by the live MML systems	[redacted]
Hardware diagnostics data	[redacted]
Fault reports and resolution records relevant to the MML solution	[redacted]
Maintainer manuals that describe the MML systems and how they operate.	[redacted]
Project Milestones, schedules, in-service dates and progress of work	[redacted]
Operational deployment	[redacted]
Ship's recorded data	[redacted]
Sensitive operational information / data (i.e. Aircraft Availability, Military Missions and Friendly SIF Codes), used by the MML Tactical Data Link live environment.	[redacted]

Specific operational performance and scenario requirements	[redacted]
Achieved live operational performance data	[redacted]
Any information which discloses Electronic Protection Measures (EPM) techniques	[redacted]
MML Tempest performance	[redacted]
Other emissions	[redacted]
MML Reliability requirements, predictions and actual figures	[redacted]
Cryptographic equipment (Unkeyed)	[redacted]
Cryptographic equipment (keyed)	[redacted]
NATO specifications	[redacted]

3.   The   requirements, which outline the principal measures required to safeguard [redacted] information, is attached for your compliance.

4.   **The NATO Communications and Information Agency (NCIA) will require that a Non-Disclosure Agreement be in place for the duration of the contract and cover the prime contract holder and any affiliates or sub-contracts therein supporting these activities.**

5.   Will you please confirm that measures can and will be taken as necessary to safeguard the protective aspects referred to above.

Yours Faithfully

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MML PM

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