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Planning

ITQ58 European Requirement in Support of Project Phoenix II

Defence Equipment and Support

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Scope

Reference

ITQ58

Description

Babcock Land Defence Limited, acting in the Capacity as Agent for the UK Ministry of Defence under Project Phoenix II, are preparing to initiate a procurement process to fulfil the demand for the lease and service, maintenance, repair and inspection of vehicles across the European continent. These services will be required to support the Authority's White Fleet and their associated operations.

Total value (estimated)

- 80000000.00 EUR excluding VAT

- 96000000.00 EUR including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 December 2026 to 1 December 2032
- Possible extension to 1 December 2035
- 9 years, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 50110000 - Repair and maintenance services of motor vehicles and associated equipment

Engagement

Engagement deadline

6 February 2026

Engagement process description

Babcock Land Defence Limited, acting in the Capacity as Agent for the UK Ministry of Defence (MOD) under Project Phoenix, would like to invite you to participate in preliminary market engagement for our upcoming requirement; ITQ58 European Lease

Requirement. The requirement presents a significant opportunity for qualified suppliers to deliver a high value, multi-national, vehicle leasing service with approximately 550 assets across several European locations. Prospective bidders will be invited to propose optimum solutions for a range of standard and specialist vehicles in support of the MOD's White Fleet.

We would like to invite you to a Pre-Liminary Market Engagement Session on Wednesday 21st January at 2pm GMT. The purpose of the engagement is to provide an overview of the requirement, details surrounding rules of engagement in respect of the procurement process, and an overview of the associated technical specifications.

Furthermore, there will be an opportunity at the end of the meeting for a Question-And-Answer session.

Subsequently, prospective bidders will be required to complete a survey for which the deadline is the 6th February at 5pm GMT.

To receive joining instructions and further details of the survey and requirement, please contact meg.graham@babcockinternational.com at the earliest opportunity.

The deadline to sign up for the Preliminary Market Engagement Session is Tuesday 20th January at 5pm GMT.

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

3 April 2026

Procedure

Special regime

Defence and security

Contracting authority

Defence Equipment and Support

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Region: UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

Babcock Land Defence Limited

Summary of their role in this procurement: Babcock Land Defence Limited, Acting in Capacity as Procurement Agent for the UK MOD.

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Contact Babcock Land Defence Limited for any enquiries.