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Tender

Containerised Remotely Operated Towed Vehicle (ROTV) system

Ministry of Defence

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Ministry of Defence

Portsmouth

Email

eleni.bekele100@mod.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://contracts.mod.uk>

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://contracts.mod.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://contracts.mod.uk>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Defence

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Containerised Remotely Operated Towed Vehicle (ROTV) system

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 43135100 - Subsea control systems

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Navy Command have a requirement for a Containerised Remotely Operated Towed Vehicle (ROTV) system capability. The vehicle will provide an accurate, steerable, open and flexible multi sensor platform to be deployed for a wide variety of underwater data acquisition and inspection applications. The ROTV will operate in a Seabed Warfare system of systems and must be able to operate a number of acoustic survey sensors and instruments simultaneously, ensuring maximum usage of ship time. The body and sensors need to operate effectively down to a sea depth of 1000m. The intent is for this vehicle to be operated from but not limited to the Multi Role Ocean Surveillance (MROS) Seabed Warfare Platform. The solution should be able to perform the following functions:

- Pipeline inspection.
- Large area searches and MCM.
- Site surveys and seafloor mapping.
- Cable route surveys.
- High resolution object detection.
- Oceanographic data collection through the water column.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £3,610,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Start date

3 April 2023

End date

30 March 2025

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

3 March 2023

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

3 March 2023

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Ministry of Defence

Portsmouth

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United Kingdom