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Contract

IRM16/1297 - Repair of the Challenger 2 Commanders Sighting System

Ministry of Defence

F18: Contract award notice for contracts in the field of defence and security

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s)

Ministry of Defence

Babcock Land Defence Limited, Building B15, MOD Donnington

Telford

TF2 8JT

For the attention of

IRM Procurement Repair Team

Email(s)

IRMProcurementRepairTeam@babcockinternational.com

Country

United Kingdom

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1) Description

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract

IRM16/1297 - Repair of the Challenger 2 Commanders Sighting System

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

Services

Service category No 1: Maintenance and repair services

NUTS code

- UKG21 - Telford and Wrekin

II.1.3) Information on framework agreement

The notice involves the establishment of a framework agreement

II.1.4) Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

The Ministry of Defence (the Authority), has awarded a single source contract with Rheinmetall BAE Systems Land (RBSL) for the provision of Repair of the Challenger 2 Commanders Sighting System for a period of 3 (three) years.

Please note, this notice announces a Contract Award for the purposes of transparency only and is not a request for expressions of interest.

Please note, Babcock Land Defence Limited is acting as agent on behalf of the Ministry of Defence, in the first instance interested parties may contact Babcock with queries relating to this procurement.

II.1.5) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)

- 50630000 - Repair and maintenance services of military vehicles

II.2) Total final value of contract(s)

II.2.1) Total final value of contract(s)

Value: £3,470,848

Excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

Type of procedure

Negotiated without publication of a contract notice

Justification for the award of the contract without prior publication of a contract notice

1) Justification for the choice of the negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice

The works/goods/services can be provided only by a particular tenderer for reasons that are:

technical

Babcock Land Defence Limited, acting as Agent to the UK Ministry of Defence, has negotiated a single source contract with Rheinmetall BAE Systems Land (RBSL) for the Repair of the Challenger 2 Commanders Sighting System.

Justification For Non-Competitive Decision: It is considered this requirement can be placed using the negotiated procedure without prior publication pursuant to Article 25(1)(a) of Directive 2009/81/EC (Regulation 16(1)(a)(i) of the Defence and Security Public Contracts Regulations 2011) due to the absence of suitable tenders in response to the previous restricted procedure reference 2017/S 225-469815. The UK Ministry of Defence received a single tender response and that tender was evaluated as being technically compliant.

IV.2) Award criteria

IV.2.1) Award criteria

Lowest price

IV.2.2) Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction has been used: no

IV.3) Administrative information

IV.3.1) File reference number attributed by the contracting authority

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IV.3.2) Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract

Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

Notice number: [2018/S 049-109589](#) of 9 March 2019

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No

IRM16/1297

Title

IRM16/1297 - Repair of the Challenger 2 Commanders Sighting System

V.1) Date of contract award decision

18 June 2024

V.2) Information about offers

Number of offers received

1

Number of offers received by electronic means

1

V.3) Name and address of economic operator in favour of whom the contract award decision has been taken

Rheinmetall BAE Systems Land (RBSL)

Hadley Castle Works, PO Box 106, Telford, Shropshire

Telford

TF1 6QW

Email(s)

karl.oliver@rbsl.com

Country

United Kingdom

V.4) Information on value of contract

Total final value of the contract

Value: £3,470,848

Excluding VAT

If annual or monthly value

Number of years: 3

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) Information about European Union funds

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

VI.3) Procedures for appeal

VI.3.1) Body responsible for appeal procedures

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