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IRM19/7216 - Repair and Provision of Output Specifications for Heavy Platform Gas Charging Equipment

Ministry of Defence, DSG, Defence Support Group (DSG)

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.contracts.mod.uk>

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

IRM19/7216 - Repair and Provision of Output Specifications for Heavy Platform Gas Charging Equipment

Reference number

IRM19/7216

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 50630000 - Repair and maintenance services of military vehicles

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Repair and Provision of Output Specifications for Heavy Platform Gas Charging Equipment

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £2,100,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKG21 - Telford and Wrekin

Main site or place of performance

Telford and Wrekin

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Repair and Provision of Output Specifications for Heavy Platform Gas Charging Equipment

Scope:

9AHY 4940998318118 Portable Universal Nitrogen Charging Kit (PUNCK)

9MBT5 4940995493961 Gas Charging Kit

Duration: 5 years plus 2x1 option years

Estimated Quantities (5 years excluding option years):

PUNCK - Qty 70

Gas Charging Kit - Qty 10

Estimated Quantities (5 years including 2x1 option years(7)):

PUNCK - Qty 98

Gas Charging Kit - Qty 14

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

2 x 1 option years

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

Negotiated procedure without publication of a contract notice

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

Babcock Land Defence Limited, acting as agent for the UK Ministry of Defence, intends to negotiate a single source contract with Horstman Defence Systems Limited for Repair and Provision of Output Specifications for Heavy Platform Gas Charging Equipment.

Babcock intends to place a five (5) year contract which will include two (2) one (1) year extension options; making a maximum potential contract duration of seven (7) years.

It is considered that this Contract can be placed using the Negotiated procedure without prior publication pursuant to Regulation 16(1)(a)(ii) of the Defence and Security Public Contract Regulations 2011 (Article 28(1)(e) of the Directive 2009/81/EC) for technical reasons.

Horstman are the original equipment manufacturer ('OEM') for spares, components and testing necessary to effect repairs of the Gas Charging Kit and the Portable Universal Nitrogen Charging Kit (PUNCK).

As the Original Equipment Designer and Manufacturer of these Gas Charging Kits only Horstman have the technical information and data necessary to perform the requirement without introducing an unacceptable level of risk to operational safety in accordance with the PSSR 2000 Regulations and MOD operational requirements.

This notice is not for expressions of interest, therefore please do not apply to be invited to tender. The notice advises that the Authority has decided to negotiate a contract directly with Horstman Defence Systems Limited on a single source basis and is published for reasons of transparency only.

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

IRM19/7216

Title

Repair and Provision of Output Specifications for Heavy Platform Gas Charging Equipment

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

2 February 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

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NUTS code

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

Internet address

<https://horstmangroup.com>

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £2,100,000

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £2,100,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The Authority reserves the right to amend any condition related to security of information to reflect any changes in national law or government policy. If any contract documents are accompanied by instructions on safeguarding classified information (e.g. a Security Aspects Letter), the Authority reserves the right to amend the terms of these instructions to reflect any changes in national law or government policy, whether in respect of the applicable protective marking scheme, specific protective markings given, the aspects to which any protective marking applies, or otherwise. The link below to the [Gov.uk](https://www.gov.uk) website provides information on the Government Security Classification.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/government-security-classifications>

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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