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Contract

**50000.00**

Ministry of Defence

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-009424

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04ed43

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Ministry of Defence

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ministry-of-defence>

#### **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

#### **I.5) Main activity**

Defence

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### **Section II: Object**

#### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

##### **II.1.1) Title**

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##### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

##### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

##### **II.1.4) Short description**

THE PROVISION OF EXTERNAL TECHNICAL SUPPORT FOR DAOS AND MAOS

##### **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: £50,000

#### **II.2) Description**

##### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

THE PROVISION OF EXTERNAL TECHNICAL SUPPORT FOR DAOS AND MAOS

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional two one year extension.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

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

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- No tenders or no suitable tenders/requests to participate in response to restricted procedure

Explanation:

The Military Aviation Authority (“MAA”) is part of the Defence Safety Authority, which is part of the

Ministry of Defence (“the Authority”), intends to award a contract to the Civil Aviation

International (CAAi) for the provision of assessment and assurance of the competence of organisations

undertaking activities for the UK Defence Air Environment for a period of 3 years with additional 2 × 1

option years. The estimated contract value is £1.26M excluding VAT . The contract will be based on a Nil

Volume Commitment basis with throughput value estimated at up to £420K per annum but potentially at

nil cost to the MAA as costs should largely rest with the MoD industry partners being assessed and

audited.

In accordance with the provisions of The Public Procurement (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

SI No. 2020/1319, this procurement falls to be regulated under the provisions of the Public Contracts

Regulations 2015 as amended (in particular by SI 2020/1319). Prior publication of a contract notice in the

Official Journal of the European Union is no longer appropriate. It is considered that the award of the

contract without prior publication of a contract notice in the UK e-notification service (as required by the

relevant legislation) is lawful in accordance with regulation 32(b)(ii) of the PCR 2015 because competition

is absent for technical reasons.

The MAA has an ongoing requirement for external technical support to be provided in order to undertake

the assessment of organisations already included in the Design and Maintenance Approved Organisation

Schemes (DAOS and MAOS). The requirement can only be delivered by CAAi because the CAAi is the

technical cooperation arm of the UK Civil Aviation Authority and is the only organisation that has the

required expertise and technical knowledge to deliver for the requirement. The MAA view is that only the

CAAi can viably deliver this technical support with the credibility and integrity required.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

713800451

### **Title**

External Technical Support for DAOS & MAOS

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## **V.2) Award of contract**

### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

13 March 2025

### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

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

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Civil Aviation Authority International

Aviation House Beehive Ring Rd Crawley United Kingdom

Gatwick

RH6 0YR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £50,000

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

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