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Ministry of Defence

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03c1d8

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Ministry of Defence

Bristol

Email

DESIBOC-OVB2-MANETRADIOS@mod.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://contracts.mod.uk/web/login.html>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://contracts.mod.uk/web/login.html>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://contracts.mod.uk/web/login.html>

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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

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II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 32344200 - Radio receivers

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Supply of MANET RADIOS

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

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR THE SUPPLY AND SUPPORT OF HIGH CAPACITY MANET RADIO EQUIPMENT

Expressions of interest (Eoi) are requested from interested parties for the supply and support of battery powered high-capacity MANET radio equipment. The equipment shall provide a means of reliably transmitting and sharing real time video and telemetry data over encrypted links between a number of nodes, one of which will be soldier mounted, in a camera system. The camera system may contain up to 3 HD cameras which are used to identify targets at range and a number of Remote Ground Sensing (RGS) nodes which feedback to an Android based command and control platform.

Note: Identification of an individual is considered to require 350 pixels over a 1.7m target.

The equipment shall be able to be easily updated with programmable waveforms as required by the operational scenario.

The equipment shall be light weight, compact, rugged, and able to operate in environments from desert and jungle through to temperate and arctic and capable of being transported using a combination of foot and road, sea, or air platforms as defined in Def Stan 00-035.

Product details, Technical Data Sheets and other supporting material considered necessary by interested parties to clarify the Technical Readiness Level of what is available will be acceptable and shall be treated in the strictest confidence.

As part of the assessment of bids the Authority shall involve its scientific and technical research facility, DSTL, to provide a technical assessment of the suitability of the equipment.

Please respond through both of the following not later than Friday 19 May 2023

- The Defence Sourcing Portal (DSP)

- MULTIUSER Account Reference : DESIBOC-OVB2-MANETRADIOS@mod.gov.uk

In the case of businesses not registered with the Defence Sourcing Portal responses should be to the MULTIUSER account only.

In the event this requirement extends to a formal procurement all interested parties shall be contacted further with pre-qualification documentation, details of the strategy proposed and supporting timescales.

Only companies having attained or willing to attain the Authority's security requirements for this type of work shall be accepted for participation in any future activity which remains subject to approvals and funding.

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

Duration in months

36

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

Restricted 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

19 May 2023

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

English

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

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