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Contract

## **Collaborative Mission Manager**

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

Defence Academy of the United Kingdom

Swindon

#### **For the attention of**

Hall Andrew

#### **Email(s)**

[andrew.hall453@mod.gov.uk](mailto:andrew.hall453@mod.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **I.2) Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

### **I.3) Main activity**

Defence

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## **Section II: Object of the contract**

### **II.1) Description**

#### **II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract**

Collaborative Mission Manager

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

Services

Service category No 3: Defence services, military defence services and civil defence services

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

Joint Warfare is required to explore the full integrated capability of the Collaborative Mission Manager (CMM) suite, as a Multi Domain C2 Toolset. CMM is a product by currently in use with the US Department of Defence (DoD) under the name of Command and Control in the Information Environment (C2IE). It will also be able to support the requirement to communicate and transfer data with our main Bi-lateral partner and FVEYs community, a specified task under the Fully Networked Command, Control and Communication (FNC3) work strand.

#### **II.1.5) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)**

- 72266000 - Software consultancy services

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

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

Value: 2,215,770 USD

Excluding VAT

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## **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

UK Strategic Command (UKStratCom), part of the Ministry of Defence, "The Authority" intends to award a 12-month contract to the total value of \$2,215,770 (USD) Ex VAT to Research Innovations Inc. to provide a Collaborative Mission Manager (CMM) tool in order to trial a Partnered Network Environment with the United States Department of Defence (US DoD). It is considered that this contract can be placed using the negotiated procedure without prior publication pursuant to Regulation 32(2)(b)(ii), Section 3 of Chapter 2 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 for Technical reasons.

Research Innovations Inc. CMM tool is currently the only solution on the market able to fulfil the Authority's interoperability requirements with US Department of Defence (DoD) systems in order to enable the collection, collation and sharing of operational data between the US DoD and the Authority.

### **IV.3) Administrative information**

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

##### **Voluntary ex ante transparency notice**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-006386](#) of 8 March 2022

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## **Section V: Award of contract**

### **V.1) Date of contract award decision**

23 March 2022

### **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**

Research Innovations Incorporated (RII)

6363 Walker Lane, Suite #500

Alexandria, VA 22310

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

### **V.4) Information on value of contract**

#### **Total final value of the contract**

Value: 2,215,770 USD

Excluding VAT

### **V.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be sub-contracted: No

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## **Section VI: Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Procedures for appeal**

#### **VI.3.1) Body responsible for appeal procedures**

Ministry of Defence

Bristol

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Ministry of Defence

Bristol

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **VI.3.3) Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained**

Ministry of Defence

Bristol

#### **Country**

United Kingdom