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Contract

## **LOCATOR- In-Service Support (708706450)-CAN-FTS**

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

MOD Abbey Wood (South)

Bristol

BS34 8JH

**For the attention of**

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**Email(s)**

[DESLESTSP-SEEC-Commercial@mod.gov.uk](mailto:DESLESTSP-SEEC-Commercial@mod.gov.uk)

**Country**

United Kingdom

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

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

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

LOCATOR- In-Service Support (708706450)-CAN-FTS

#### **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

#### **Main site or location of works, place of delivery or of performance**

Bristol

#### **NUTS code**

- UK - United Kingdom

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

The Specialist EOD&S, Exploitation and Countermeasures Project Team, part of the United Kingdom Ministry of Defence (the Authority) awarded a contract to FOERSTER UK Ltd (FOERSTER) for the provision and In-Service Support of LOCATOR.

This Contract is for 5 years (with the opportunity to extend for a further two years) and has an estimated value of £4,087,485.20 (ex VAT). This Contract was placed as a Single Source Contract and was above the threshold of the DSPCR Regulations, meaning a VTN was issued on 16th February 2024 and the Contract was subsequently awarded on the 4th of April 2024. FOERSTER are the OEM of LOCATOR and have clearly established protocols for support and servicing, as well as staff with extensive knowledge of the detector. SEEC do not have a Manufacturers Data Pack to allow another company to repair the equipment correctly, meaning a Single Source Contract with FOERSTER was necessary as per Regulation 16(1)(a)(ii) (Technical Reasons).

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

- 50000000 - Repair and maintenance services

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

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

Lowest offer £4,087,485.20 and highest offer £4,087,485.20

Excluding VAT

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## **Section IV: Procedure**

### **Type of procedure**

Negotiated with publication of a contract notice

### **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**

708706450

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

no

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

### **Contract No**

708706450

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

4 April 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**

Foerster UK Limited

2 Bonehill Mews, Fazeley, Tamworth

Tamworth

B78 3QU

**Email(s)**

[Andrew.Ryan@Foerstergroup.com](mailto:Andrew.Ryan@Foerstergroup.com)

**Telephone**

+44 7989356856

**Country**

United Kingdom

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

**Total final value of the contract**

Value: £4,087,485.20

Excluding VAT

**If annual or monthly value**

Number of years: 7

**V.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be sub-contracted: No

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## **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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