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## **TMDP & FMDP Containers**

Ministry of Defence

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0372af

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

Ministry of Defence

Bristol

BS34 8JH

#### **Email**

[matthew.rowan101@mod.gov.uk](mailto:matthew.rowan101@mod.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

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

Main address

<https://des.mod.uk/>

#### **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**

TMDP & FMDP Containers

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

- 50000000 - Repair and maintenance services

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

Services

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

There is a requirement for associated support to maintain TMDP (Tactical Map Dissemination Point) and FMDP (Forward Map Dissemination Point) Containers.

##### **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: £265,814

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

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

There is a requirement for associated support to maintain TMDP (Tactical Map Dissemination Point) and FMDP (Forward Map Dissemination Point) Containers.

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

Price

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Three (3) years with two (2) options 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

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure without publication of a contract notice

- The products involved are manufactured purely for the purpose of research, experiment, study or development
- 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:

The Secretary of State for Defence intends to enter into a service contract with Marshall Aerospace and Defence (Marshalls) for the procurement of for associated support to maintain TMDP (Tactical Map Dissemination Point) and FMDP (Forward Map Dissemination Point) Containers. 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 for technical reasons:

- a. Marshalls are the OEM for these specialised containers. As the design authority for these, they have the technical knowledge, know-how and tools to carry out the requirement to the expected standards.
- b. To use any other supplier will create a risk that the expected standards will not be met as they will need time to become accustomed to the specialised nature of the containers (which are not standardised), which may lead to elements of the containers being reverse engineered.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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## Section V. Award of contract/concession

**Title**

TMDP In-Service\_Support

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

27 September 2022

### **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**

Marshall Land Systems Ltd

Airport House, The Airport,

Cambridge

CB5 8RY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £265,814

### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Ministry of Defence

Bristol

Country

United Kingdom