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Planning

Industry Partner for Data Analytics Platform - Market Interest Day

Ministry of Defence - De&s

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Industry Partner for Data Analytics Platform - Market Interest Day

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72222300 - Information technology services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Authority will be holding a Market Interest event on Thursday 9th December 2021 at 13:30 GMT to socialise a potential future requirement for an Industry Partnership to work with UK MoD to develop, deliver and manage a range of IT and information services on for a Cross-Classification general purpose Data Analytics Platform to support a specific strategic military community.

The Authority is looking for a dynamic and collaborative Industry Partner to lead a collaboration that will include Small and Medium sized Enterprises, to work with DE&S and its customer to enhance and manage through-life a Data Analytics Platform that is currently in delivery. The purpose of this event will be to outline our high-level requirement, and roles and responsibilities expected of the lead, and smaller partners, such as innovation, expertise and experience, platform design and implementation development.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 72222300 - Information technology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Authority welcomes any interested parties, including SMEs, that believe they have the commitment for excellence, and experience and expertise in; rapid life cycle DataOps deployments, cutting edge and complex multi-mode data transformations and analytics, or support and maintenance of data analytics platforms. All parties must have the teamship and spirit to join this innovative and collaborative community approach that sits at the cutting edge of defence information exploitation. We are explicitly not just looking those with extensive experience in Defence or military IT.

The presentation will take no longer than 1.5hrs with an opportunity for open questions at the end. The whole session will run for no longer than 2hrs.

The presentation will cover the following:

Programme overview

Overview of Operational Model

Architecture Overview of the Data Analytics Platform

Expectations of Industry Partners, small and large

Vision of the platform over the next 8 years.

Commercial considerations

Next Steps for the project, and industry partners

Questions

II.2.14) Additional information

This event will be broadcast on Microsoft Teams across the internet, a link to which will be sent separately to interested parties who have provided valid security clearance details.

Suppliers wishing to attend must complete the form linked below. Failure to do so will result in suppliers not being able to take part in this event.

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/G88P35Z

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

30 November 2021

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

There is no obligation for the Authority to continue with the requirement following the Market Interest Day, and if potential suppliers choose to act on any answers and/or information they receive from the event, it is entirely at their own risk. Any resulting procurement procedure will be conducted competitively.

Any further quires please contact desspisn-comrcl@mod.gov.uk