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# **Project Highlight - Development of a Laser Warning Device**

Ministry of Defence

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# Section I: Contracting authority/entity

#### I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s)

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**United Kingdom** 

#### **Further information**

Further information can be obtained from the above mentioned contact point(s)

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from

The above-mentioned contact point(s)

Tenders or requests to participate must be sent to

The above-mentioned contact point(s)

### I.4) Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities/entities

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities:

No

### Section II: Object of the contract

#### II.1) Description

#### II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority

Project Highlight - Development of a Laser Warning Device

#### 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

#### **NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

#### II.1.5) Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

The Authority is seeking to evaluate the capability of suppliers to develop a prototype Laser Warning Device (LWD) for dismounted users. The LWD must be low size, weight and power (e.g. could be body-worn) to support dismounted users in the detection of a wide range of battlefield laser threats.

The intention will be to obtain a completed final prototype within 12 months

#### II.1.6) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)

75221000 - Military defence services

## Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.2) Conditions for participation

#### III.2.1) Personal situation

Criteria regarding the personal situation of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion) including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met: Suppliers Instructions How to Express Interest in this Tender:

- 1. Register your company on the eSourcing portal (this is only required once)
- Browse to the eSourcing Portal
- Click the "Click here to register" link
- Accept the terms and conditions and click "continue"
- Enter your correct business and user details
- Note the username you chose and click "Save" when complete
- You will shortly receive an email with your unique password (please keep this secure)
- 2. Express an Interest in the tender
- Login to the portal with the username/password
- Click the "PQQs Open to All Suppliers" link. (These are Pre-Qualification Questionnaires open to any registered supplier)
- Click on the relevant PQQ to access the content.
- Click the "Express Interest" button in the "Actions" box on the left-hand side of the page.
- This will move the PQQ into your "My PQQs" page. (This is a secure area reserved for your projects only)
- Click on the PQQ code, you can now access any attachments by clicking the "Settings and Buyer Attachments" in the "Actions" box
- 3. Responding to the tender
- You can now choose to "Reply" or "Reject" (please give a reason if rejecting)
- You can now use the 'Messages' function to communicate with the buyer and seek any clarification
- Note the deadline for completion, then follow the onscreen instructions to complete the PQQ
- There may be a mixture of online & offline actions for you to perform (there is detailed online help available)

If you require any further assistance please consult the online help, or contact the eTendering help desk.

# Criteria regarding the personal situation of subcontractors (that may lead to their rejection) including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met: Suppliers Instructions How to Express Interest in this Tender:

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#### III.2.2) Economic and financial ability

Criteria regarding the economic and financial standing of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: Refer to DPQQ evaluation criteria

Criteria regarding the economic and financial standing of subcontractors (that may lead to their exclusion)

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met: Refer to DPQQ evaluation criteria

#### III.2.3) Technical and/or professional capacity

Criteria regarding the technical and/or professional ability of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met: Refer to DPQQ evaluation criteria

Criteria regarding the technical and/or professional ability of subcontractors (that may lead to their rejection)

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if the requirements are met: Refer to DPQQ evaluation criteria

#### **Section IV: Procedure**

#### IV.1) Type of procedure

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Restricted

# IV.1.2) Limitations on the number of operators who will be invited to tender or to participate

Envisaged minimum number 3 and maximum number 4

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: Refer to DPQQ evaluation criteria

#### IV.3) Administrative information

# IV.3.3) Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 17 December 2021 - 12:00pm

#### IV.3.4) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

6 January 2022 - 12:00pm

#### IV.3.6) Language(s) in which tenders or requests to participate may be drawn up

**English** 

Other: Suppliers that wish to participate and be considered for a Tender must submit their DPQQ response by 10 January @09:00. DPQQ's will then be evaluated to reduce the number of tenderers to a maximum of four.

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

The Contracting Authority intends to use an e-Tendering system in this procurement exercise, please visit <a href="www.contracts.mod.uk">www.contracts.mod.uk</a> for full details and to register your interest in this procurement.