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Ministry of Defence

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

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

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#### **Country**

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#### **Region code**

DE - Germany

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.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**

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**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 90523100 - Weapons and ammunition disposal services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

VTN Single Source - This VTN is for the announced procurement decision before contract award. The Authority has a contract requirement to procure a call off contractor delivered solution to manage the risk of unexploded ordnance (UXO) hazard, including Explosive Ordnance Clearance (EOC) and limited Conventional Munitions Disposal (CMD) on the Sennelager Live-Fire Training Area, Germany. Please note the VTN form has a mandatory field for contract award date however, this is a before contract award notice the date of the strategy has been entered into this field to allow the notice to be published.

**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: 846,000 EUR

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

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 90523100 - Weapons and ammunition disposal services

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

NUTS codes

- DE - Germany

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

Unexploded ordnance (UXO) hazard, including Explosive Ordnance Clearance (EOC) and limited Conventional Munitions Disposal (CMD) in Sennelager Germany.

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

Price

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

6 times 1 month option period

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## 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:

This contract has not been awarded yet. This is a Voluntary Transparency Notice Only. The DIO Commercial Overseas Team, part of the UK Ministry of Defence (MOD) intends to enter into a contract for 2 YEARS with Schollenberger Explosive Ordnance Disposal GmbH for explosive ordnance clearance services and Conventional Munitions Disposal and won't pose a security threat to disclose any more info at the Sennelager Training Centre and Training Area. In accordance with regulation 4 of The Defence and Security Public Contracts (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (SI 2019/697) this procurement falls to be regulated under the provisions of the Defence and Security Public Contracts Regulations 2011 as amended (in particular by SI 2019/697 and SI 2020/1450). 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 in accordance with the relevant legislation) is lawful in accordance with Regulation 16(1)(a)(ii) of the UK Defence and Security Public Contracts Regulations 2011, due to absence of competition for technical reasons. Schollenberger are the only company licenced in the Nordrhein Westfalen Region to clear Historic and NATO Unexploded Ordnance including Chemical Munitions therefore meeting the Reginal Regulatory requirements to legally perform these services within this area of Germany. It has become critical to have a contractor deliver explosive clearance to mitigate risk to life due to urgent operational requirements and the requirement to deliver a safe place to train.

#### 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**

### **Contract No**

705848451

### **Title**

The Provision of Explosive Ordnance Clearance and Conventional Munitions Disposal  
Sennelager Training Area, Germany

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

4 November 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**

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Country

Germany

NUTS code

- DE - Germany

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: 846,000 EUR

**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**

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