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Planning

RFI for IFF701(TI) Procurement of Calibration Services

Defence Equipment and Support

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Scope

Reference

715620467

Description

This is a Request for Information (RFI) for the procurement of a Calibration & Repair solution for the IFF701(TI) Transponder/Interrogator.

The Ministry of Defence (MOD) has a requirement to calibrate an estimated qty 133 IFF701(TI) Test Sets for a period of 4 years - with a potential requirement to repair IFF701(TI) Test Sets that fail calibration - on behalf of the Operational Infrastructure Delivery Team (OIDT), part of Defence Equipment and Support (DE&S).

Total value (estimated)

- £620,000 excluding VAT

- £744,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2030
- Possible extension to 31 March 2032
- 6 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 50660000 - Repair and maintenance services of military electronic systems

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Engagement

Engagement deadline

17 October 2025

Engagement process description

Please review the content within the RFI and provide a response to DES-Deca-MST-Procurement@mod.gov.uk by no later than 23:59 on 17/10/25.

NOTE; This RFI is to gain information with no guarantee to become a tender / procurement.

All costs incurred completing this RFI are to be borne by the suppliers.

Opportunity link to DSP;

<https://contracts.mod.uk/esop/guest/go/opportunity/detail?opportunityId=60273>

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Contracting authority

Defence Equipment and Support

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVRL-5831-GLMM

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government