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Planning

Supply of Portable Appliance Testers

DE&S Deca

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Scope

Reference

714933450

Description

This is a Request for Information (RFI) for the procurement Portable Appliance Testers for Tri-Service use.

The Ministry of Defence (MOD) has a requirement to procure an estimated qty 2000 Portable Appliance Testers over a period of up to 4 years on behalf of the Operational Infrastructure Delivery Team (OIDT), part of Defence Equipment and Support (DE&S).

Total value (estimated)

- £2,087,335.18 excluding VAT

- £2,505,802.22 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 20 December 2026 to 19 December 2030
- Possible extension to 19 December 2031
- 5 years

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 31212200 - Circuit testers

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Engagement

Engagement deadline

31 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 31/10/25.

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=60283>

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

27 May 2026

Contracting authority

DE&S Deca

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVRL-5831-GLMM

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government