

**United Kingdom-Bristol: Parts of military vehicles**  
**OJ S 3/2020 06/01/2020**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Supplies**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Ministry of Defence, Land Equipment, Armoured Vehicles Programmes —  
Artillery Systems Programme

Postal address: MOD Abbey Wood, #3157 NH3 Cedar 1A

Town: Bristol

NUTS code: UKK11 Bristol, City of

Postal code: BS34 8JH

Country: United Kingdom

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**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ministry-of-defence>

**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

**I.5. Main activity**

Defence

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1. Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1. Title**

AS90 Cooling Group Re-Design

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

35420000 Parts of military vehicles

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4. Short description**

Re-design of the AS90 Cooling Group.

**II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

**II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 300 000,00 GBP

## **II.2. Description**

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

NUTS code: UKF25 North Northamptonshire

Main site or place of performance: North Northamptonshire.

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

AS90 Cooling Group re-design.

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

Price

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

Options: no

### **II.2.13. Information about European Union funds**

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

### **II.2.14. Additional information**

The contract has been awarded in accordance with Article 28 of Directive 2009/81/EC — DSPCR 2011.

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Description**

#### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union in the cases listed below

- 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:

The Vehicle Support Team — Armoured Tracks Portfolio ('VST-ATP'), part of the UK Ministry of Defence ('MOD'), intends to let a new contract with Cummins for the Redesign of the AS90 Cooling Group.

It is considered that this contract will be let using the negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice in accordance with Article 28(1)(e) of Directive 2009/81/EC (Regulation 16(1)(a)(ii) of the UK Defence and Security Public Contracts Regulations 2011) for technical reasons.

The AS90 is an armoured self-propelled artillery platform. Cummins are the design authority for the power pack and the original equipment manufacturer for the engine. As such, they have access to the background technical information and in-depth knowledge of the whole power pack system, the cooling group requirements and interfaces. This enables Cummins to redesign the cooling group without introducing disproportionate risks to the safe functioning and operation of the MOD's vehicles.

The contract has been awarded in accordance with Article 28 of Directive 2009/81/EC — DSPCR 2011

#### **IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

#### **IV.2. Administrative information**

##### **IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system**

##### **IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

### **Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No:** 700008223

**Title:**

AS90 Cooling Group Re-Design

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

#### **V.2. Award of contract**

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

22/10/2019

##### **V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

##### **V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Cummins UK

Postal address: 40-44 Rutherford Drive, Park Farm Industrial Estate, Wellingborough

Town: Wellingborough

NUTS code: UKF25 North Northamptonshire

Postal code: NN8 6AN

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [cduksales@cummins.com](mailto:cduksales@cummins.com)

Telephone: +44 3067934113

The contractor is an SME: no

##### **V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 300 000,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 300 000,00 GBP

##### **V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

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#### **VI.3. Additional information**

The authority reserves the right to amend any condition related to security of information to reflect any changes in national law or government policy. If any contract documents are accompanied by instructions on safeguarding classified information (e.g. a Security Aspects Letter), the authority reserves the right to amend the terms of these instructions to reflect any changes in national law or government policy, whether in respect of the applicable protective marking scheme, specific protective markings given, the aspects to which any protective

marking applies, or otherwise. The link below to the Gov.uk website provides information on the Government Security Classification.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/government-security-classifications>

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Go reference: GO-202012-DCB-15764766

#### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Ministry of Defence, Land Equipment, Armoured Vehicles Programmes — Artillery Systems Programme

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##### **VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Official name: Ministry of Defence, Land Equipment, Armoured Vehicles Programmes — Artillery Systems Programme

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Country: United Kingdom

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##### **VI.4.3. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

Not provided.

##### **VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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#### **VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

02/01/2020