

United Kingdom-Bristol: Weapons, ammunition and associated parts
OJ S 15/2014 22/01/2014
Contract award notice
Supplies

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Defence General Munitions Project Team, DE&S
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I.2. Type of the contracting authority

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

I.3. Main activity

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

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

Illuminating Projectile for UK MOD 105mm Artillery Platform.

II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery

Supplies
Purchase
NUTS code UKD1 Cumbria

II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)

II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

Weapons, ammunition and associated parts. Weapons, ammunition and associated parts.
Ammunition. Statement of requirement for illuminating projectile for UK MoD 105mm Artillery Platform.

1. Defence General Munitions has a possible future requirement for the supply of a "white-light" illuminating projectile in support of the 105mm UK MoD Artillery Platform. There may also be a requirement in the longer term for an "infra-red" illuminating projectile. Requirements are likely to be circa 3000 units per year with delivery commencing 2014 for a 3 year contract with 2 option years. years
2. Suppliers should submit a detailed document listing experience and knowledge of the

specific subject matter together with your ISO accreditation certificate. 3. Typical competencies required will be: UK MoD Artillery Projectile Design and Qualification. UK MoD Artillery Projectile, Charge, Fuze and Platform integration. Artillery Ballistics. System Safety. UK MoD Policy.

4. Suppliers should note that the Authority will only consider a nationally qualified projectile which is entirely compatible with the current 105mm ammunition suite and the L118 Artillery Field Gun. Suppliers will need to demonstrate compliance with the AOP15 for this nature and relevant UK and NATO standards. IM compliance in accordance with STANAG 4439 is desirable.

5. Basic performance criteria are:

Can be fired with both L35 and L35 UK charges.

Can utilise the L163 Medium Infusion Fuze. (NATO Fuze Profiles as specified in STANAG 2916)

Parachute rate of descent to be no greater than 5 ms⁻¹.

Illumination time not less than 35 seconds.

6. Suppliers expressing interest in the possible future purchase may be down-selected based upon technical suitability of the product in the form of a PQQ

7. A copy of the AOP 15 mentioned in 4 above is available from: Mr D Hathway, Indirect Fire, Defence General Munitions Project Team, Platform 2, Fir 1 c #4115, MoD Abbey Wood, Bristol, BS34 8JH. Tel: Mil: 9679 83992. Civ: 030 679 83392. Fax: 030 679 9949.

Email: DESWpnsDGM-Platform2@mod.uk

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

35300000 Weapons, ammunition and associated parts

II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

II.2. Total value of the contract/lot

II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot

Value: 13 500 000 GBP

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Restricted

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Technical. Weighting 70
2. Commercial. Weighting 20
3. Price. Weighting 10

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction has been used: yes

IV.3. Administrative information

IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority

DGM/1711

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice on a buyer profile

Notice number in the OJ S: [2012/S 88-144550](#) of 8.5.2012

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: DGM/1711

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

17.1.2014

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: BAE Systems Bofors AB

Town: Karlskoga

Postal code: SE-SE-691 80

Country: Sweden

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V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 13 500 000 GBP

excluding VAT

V.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: yes

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties:

Value excluding VAT 6 400 000,0 GBP

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:

no

VI.2. Additional information

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement, and the contract will be awarded on the basis of the most economically advantageous tender. Suppliers interested in working with the Ministry of Defence should register on the MOD Supplier Information Database (SID) Register, available at www.contracts.mod.uk. The MOD SID is a database of active and potential suppliers available to all MOD and UK Defence procurement personnel, and is the main supplier database of MOD Procurement organisations. Please note: the registration and publication of a company profile on the MOD SID does not mean or imply that the supplier has in any way been vetted or approved by the MOD. Suppliers wishing to compete for advertised MOD contracts must respond to

any specific call for competition by submitting a separate expression of interest in accordance with the instructions of the purchasing organisation.

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VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

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Body responsible for mediation procedures

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VI.3.2. Review procedure

VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

20.1.2014