

**UK-High Wycombe: installation work of refrigeration equipment**

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Contract notice

Supplies

Directive 2004/18/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

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**Additional information can be obtained from:**

the abovementioned address

**Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:**

the abovementioned address

**Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted:** the abovementioned address**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**

Defence

**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**

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**II.1. Description****II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority**

Replacement of main chiller units at RAF Fylingdales.

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

Supplies

Purchase

NUTS code UKE2 North Yorkshire

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

The notice involves a public contract

**II.1.4. Information about framework agreement**

### **II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

Installation work of refrigeration equipment. Installation work of refrigeration equipment. Commands & centre commercial team are seeking expressions of interest from potential bidders for the requirement of replacing and installing three water cooled centrifugal chillers capable of producing up to 2 000 kW cooling capacity in the Solid State Phased Array Radar (SSPAR) located at RAF Fylingdales in North Yorkshire.

Potential bidders with experience of replacing and installing the aforementioned requirement should submit an expression of interest in writing, including evidence of relevant experience by 20.2.2012. The Authority is unable to consider late or incomplete expressions of interest.

The current chillers units that are in use within the main radar building currently use HCFC-R123, contrary to the Montreal Protocol, which limits use of these HCFCs after Dec. 2014. Any replacement units must meet with the latest EU legislation with regard to the use of ozone depleting substances. In addition to replacing the main chiller units the associated controls and switch gear will also require replacement as part of ongoing obsolescence management. In addition as part of this project there will be input/output points that are required for integration into the existing Building Management System.

During the system installation the building will remain occupied on a 24/7 basis and must be fully operational with sufficient redundancy and cooling capacity to sustain the mission.

The completed system is to be maintained for a minimum of 20 years therefore all system components are to have a low risk of obsolescence and must conform to an open standards format. All work must have risk assessments, method statements and must conform to the mandatory operational restraints.

Additionally the design is expected to give efficiency returns on the existing units and guaranteed compliance of any ozone depleting substances used for at least 20 years.

Disposal of existing materials and substances must be certified in accordance with current legislation for disposal of any hazardous or banned substances.

The installation contract will be financed over a period of 2 accounting years, which will, operational circumstances permitting, allow the work to be completed within 18 months, starting in Sep. 2012. Local project management will be provided on site to liaise between contractors and site operational staff to ensure that the radar availability is maintained.

RAF Fylingdales is a site which is subject to legislation contained in the Official Secrets Act. Therefore all bidders will have to demonstrate that they can obtain NATO Secret Clearance.

All expressions of interest (EOIs) must be accompanied by a copy of your company's latest audited accounts. Furthermore, all EOIs must provide evidence of projects, undertaken in the last 3 years that are of a similar size, nature or relevance to this requirement.

### **II.1.6. CPV code(s)**

45331231 Installation work of refrigeration equipment

### **II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

### **II.1.8. Lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.1.9. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

## **II.2. Scope of the procurement**

### **II.2.1. Total quantity or scope**

## **II.2.2. Information about options**

## **II.2.3. Information about renewals**

### **II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion**

Start 3.9.2012. Completion 31.3.2014

## **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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### **III.1. Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required**

#### **III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them**

Payment will be made via P2P ("Purchase to Payment" system).

#### **III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded**

#### **III.1.4. Contract performance conditions**

### **III.2. Conditions for participation**

#### **III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions: The Authority will apply all the offences listed in Article 45(1) of Directive 2004/18/EC (implemented as Regulation 23(1) of the Public Contract Regulations (PCR) 2006 in the UK) and all of the professional misconducts listed at Article 45 (2) of Directive 2004/18/EC (see also Regulation 23(2) in the PCR 2006) to the decision of whether a Candidate is eligible to be invited to tender.

A full list of the Regulation 23(1) and 23(2) criteria are at <http://project.contracts.mod.uk/businessExchange/project/reasonsForExclusion.html#dspr>.

Candidates will be required to sign a declaration confirming whether they do or do not have any of the listed criteria as part of the pre-qualification process. For candidates who are registered overseas, you will need to declare if you have any offences/misconduct under your own countries laws, where these laws are equivalent to the Regulation 23 lists.

Candidates who have been convicted of any of the offences under Article 45(1) are ineligible and will not be selected to bid, unless there are overriding requirements in the general interest for doing so.

Candidates who are guilty of any of the offences, circumstances or misconduct under Article 45 (2) may be excluded from being selected to bid at the discretion of the Authority.

#### **III.2.2. Economic and financial ability**

List and brief description of conditions: (b) The presentation of balance-sheets or extracts from the balance-sheets, where publication of the balance-sheet is required under the law of the country in which the economic operator is established;

(c) A statement of the undertaking's overall turnover and, where appropriate, of turnover in the area covered by the contract for a maximum of the last three financial years available, depending on the date on which the undertaking was set up or the economic operator started trading, as far as the information on these turnovers is available.

#### **III.2.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of conditions:

(b) a list of the principal deliveries effected or the main services provided in the past 3 years, with the sums, dates and recipients, whether public or private, involved. Evidence of delivery and services provided shall be given: - where the recipient was a contracting authority, in the form of certificates issued or countersigned by the competent authority, - where the recipient was a private purchaser, by the purchaser's certification or, failing this, simply by a declaration by the economic operator;

(f) The educational and professional qualifications of the service provider or contractor and/or those of the undertaking's managerial staff and, in particular, those of the person or persons responsible for providing the services or managing the work

#### **III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts**

#### **III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts**

##### **III.3.1. Information about a particular profession**

##### **III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

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Restricted

##### **IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

##### **IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

#### **IV.2. Award criteria**

##### **IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

##### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used: no

#### **IV.3. Administrative information**

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

ACT/04041

##### **IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

no

##### **IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document**

Payable documents: no

##### **IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

20.2.2012 - 10:00

##### **IV.3.5.**

**Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

30.3.2012

**IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**  
English.

**IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

**IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders**

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.2. Information about European Union funds**

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

**VI.3. Additional information**

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](http://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.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

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**VI.4.2. Review procedure**

**VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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

20.1.2012