

UK-Didcot: software programming and consultancy services

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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

## Section I: Contracting authority

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### I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: The JNT Association

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Town: Didcot

Postal code: OX11 0SG

Country: United Kingdom

For the attention of: Procurement Co-ordinator

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**Internet address(es):**

Address of the buyer profile: [www.ja.net](http://www.ja.net)

**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

Other: National education and research network provider

### I.3. Main activity

Education

### 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

Moonshot code development, maintenance and support.

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

Services

Service category No 7: Computer and related services

NUTS code

#### 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)**

Software programming and consultancy services. JANET (UK) is launching a procurement for a service to provide development, maintenance and advanced non-customer facing support (3rd line support) for Moonshot federated authentication. The successful bidder will also need to actively engage in the relevant Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) standardisation processes. Further information can be found in the pre-qualification questionnaire.

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

72200000 Software programming and consultancy services

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

#### **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**

Janet has a requirement for the following services to support the Moonshot activity:

Development of the following artefacts:

- A Moonshot Windows SSP,
- A Trust Router (<http://tools.ietf.org/html/draft-mrw-abfab-trust-router-01>) and customer management / monitoring system,
- Ongoing development, in terms of supporting new features and enhancing the user experience of the Moonshot Identity selector,
- Ongoing development, in terms of supporting new features, of the existing Moonshot GSS library,
- The capability to call off additional development days throughout the duration of the contract as required,
- Code maintenance for all of the above, including security patching and bug fixes for the duration of the contract,
- 3rd line support dealing with Janet and/or its nominees for the duration of the contract,
- Active contribution within the IETF Abfab working group to promote the standardisation of Moonshot technology,
- Full documentation of code developed as part of this contract.

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

Options: yes

Description of options: JANET (UK) wishes to award a contract providing an initial 2 years of service with the possibility of up to 2 years extension subject to performance review.

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

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

Duration in months: 24 (from the award of the contract)

### **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**

#### **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://www.delta-esourcing.com/delta/project/reasonsForExclusion.html#pcr>.

Candidates will be required to answer these questions as part of the 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: As per the pre-qualification questionnaire.

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

List and brief description of conditions:

As per the pre-qualification questionnaire.

#### **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**

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

Restricted

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

Envisaged minimum number 3: and Maximum number 5

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: As per the evaluation criteria given in Section 3 of the pre-qualification questionnaire document.

#### **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**

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

no

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

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 2.5.2012 - 12:00  
Payable documents: no

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

3.5.2012 - 12:00

##### **IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

25.5.2012

##### **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**

Each interested supplier is required to register its intention to submit a response to this PQQ via the JANET (UK) e-tendering portal at:

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

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

Official name: JANET(UK)

Country: United Kingdom

##### **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Official name: JANET (UK)

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##### **VI.4.2. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: JANET (UK) will incorporate a standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. That notification will provide full information on the award decision. The standstill period, which will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provides time for unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into.

The Public Contracts Regulations 2006 (SI 2006 No 5) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).

##### **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**

3.4.2012