

**United Kingdom-Bristol: Detection apparatus for mines**  
**OJ S 107/2016 04/06/2016**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**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, Protected Mobility Vehicle Programme

Postal address: Protected Mobility Vehicle Programme (PMVP), Spruce 2a, #1309, MOD

Abbey Wood

Town: Bristol

NUTS code: UKK1 Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Bristol/Bath area

Postal code: BS34 8JH

Country: United Kingdom

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Telephone: +44 3067987020

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://www.gov.uk>

**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**

TALON Post Design Services.

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

31642200 Detection apparatus for mines

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

12 month contract for the TALON Post Design Services.

**II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

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

Value excluding VAT: 850 000,00 GBP

## **II.2. Description**

### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

31642200 Detection apparatus for mines

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

NUTS code: UKJ33 Hampshire CC

Main site or place of performance: Hampshire CC.

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

10 month contract for the TALON Post Design Services.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Criteria stated in the specification, in the invitation to tender /  
Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Criteria stated in the specification, in the invitation to tender / Weighting:  
100

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

Options: yes

Description of options:

5 year options to be taken up in 1 year increments.

### **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**

## **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 Contract was placed using the No-Competitive Negotiated Procedure without prior publication pursuant to Article 28(1)(e) of Directive 2009/81/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (Regulation 16 (1)(a)(ii) of UK Defence and Security Public contracts Regulations 2001) for Technical and Safety reasons. QinetiQ are the Design Authority for the equipment and if not placed with them the lack of safety integrity would lead to QinetiQ Ltd ceasing to underwrite the safety of the vehicles. Without access to the IPR, technical data and knowledge the equipment capability would be severely disrupted and could not be used. A different supplier would mean new testing, new verification and validation to ensure that the safety and suitability for the service of the systems and their interoperability with both the systems and the platforms is not compromised.

#### **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:** PMVP/00010

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

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

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

01/06/2016

##### **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: QinetiQ Ltd

Postal address: Cody Technology Park, Ively Road, Hampshire

Town: Farnborough

NUTS code: UKJ33 Hampshire CC

Postal code: GU14 0LX

Country: United Kingdom

Telephone: +44 1252393892

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 100 000,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 100 000,00 GBP

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

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

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#### **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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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.

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

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

Official name: Ministry of Defence, Land Equipment, Protected Mobility Vehicle Programme  
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##### **VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures**

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##### **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**

03/06/2016