

United Kingdom-Bristol: Technical services

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Contract notice

Supplies

Directive 2009/81/EC

## Section I: Contracting authority/entity

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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/entities

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

Provision of Post Design and Technical Services, Spares & Repairs for the LPD & ASTUTE Class Platform Management System.

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

Supplies

Purchase

#### II.1.3. Information about framework agreement

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

**Duration of the framework agreement**

Duration in years: 4

## **Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement**

Estimated value excluding VAT: 5 000 000 GBP

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

Technical services. Military electronic systems. The Maritime Equipment Systems, Electrical Systems Group (MES ESG) has a future requirement for a four year Enabling Contract for Supply, Manufacture, Repair, and Provision of Technical Assistance Services, for In Service Support of ASTUTE and LPD Platform Management Systems through one or more Enabling Contracts. The requirement will include the following:

- Project Management;
- Provision of Spares and Consumables;
- Repair of Spares and Components;
- Post Design Services.

Companies who are not already on the MoD X-list will be required to undertake a security clearance process in order to comply with the security measures of the contract.

Suppliers wishing to express an interest in this requirement are required to:

Submit a copy of their UKAS accredited/recognised 3rd Party (or Government Issued) Quality Management System (QMS) certification BS EN ISO 9001:2008; which includes an appropriate scope to meet the requirement. In the event that no certification is held, the company must be able to demonstrate that they operate and maintain a QMS acceptable to the Department for this requirement.

Confirm that they are willing or able to trade electronically using the Purchase to Payment (P2P) business process.

Companies who submit an Expression of Interest may be required to complete and submit a Pre-Qualification Questionnaire to confirm their suitability to be included in the tender panel for this requirement. The Authority's decision in this matter will be final.

Contracts with prime suppliers will only be considered if greater value for money can be derived other than contracting separately for each lot.

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

71356000 Technical services, 35700000 Military electronic systems

### **II.1.7. Information about subcontracting**

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

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for one or more lots

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

Variants will be accepted: no

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

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

LOT 1 – ASTUTE Project Management & Post Design Services (PDS)

Provision of Project Management and Post Design Services for ASTUTE Platform Management Systems

LOT 2 – LPD Project Management & Post Design Services (PDS)

Provision of Project Management and Post Design Services for LPD Platform Management Systems

LOT 3 – ASTUTE and LPD Spares and Repairs

Provision of Spares and Repairs for ASTUTE and LPD Platform Management Systems

## II.2.2. Information about options

Options: no

## II.2.3. Information about renewals

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

Duration in months: 48 (from the award of the contract)

Information about lots

Lot No: 1

Lot title: ASTUTE Project Management & Post Design Services (PDS)

#### 1) Short description

Provision of Project Management and Post Design Services for ASTUTE Platform Management Systems

#### 2) CPV code(s)

71356000 Technical services

#### 3) Quantity or scope

Estimated value excluding VAT: 2 850 000 GBP

#### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

Duration in months: 48 (from the award of the contract)

#### 5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 2

Lot title: LPD Project Management & Post Design Services (PDS)

#### 1) Short description

Provision of Project Management and Post Design Services for LPD Platform Management Systems

#### 2) CPV code(s)

71356000 Technical services

#### 3) Quantity or scope

Estimated value excluding VAT: 1 750 000 GBP

#### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

Duration in months: 48 (from the award of the contract)

#### 5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 3

Lot title: ASTUTE and LPD Spares and Repairs

#### 1) Short description

Provision of Spares and Repairs for ASTUTE and LPD Platform Management Systems

#### 2) CPV code(s)

35700000 Military electronic systems

#### 3) Quantity or scope

Estimated value excluding VAT: 400 000 GBP

#### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

Duration in months: 48 (from the award of the contract)

## **5) Additional information about lots**

### **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. Other particular conditions to which the performance of the contract is subject, in particular with regard to security of supply and security of information**

##### **III.1.5. Information about security clearance**

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

##### **III.2.1. Personal situation**

**Criteria regarding the personal situation of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion) 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 39(1) of Directive 2009/81/EC (implemented as Regulation 23(1) of the Defence and Security Public Contract Regulations (DSPCR) 2011 in the UK) and all of the professional misconducts listed at Article 39(2) of Directive 2009/81/EC (see also Regulation 23(2) in the DSPCR 2011) 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.contracts.mod.uk/delta/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.

Candidates who have been convicted of any of the offences under Article 39(1) are ineligible and will not be selected to bid, unless there are overriding requirements in the general interest (including defence and security factors) for doing so.

Candidates who are guilty of any of the offences, circumstances or misconduct under Article 39 (2) may be excluded from being selected to bid at the discretion of the Authority.

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

##### **III.2.3. Technical and/or professional capacity**

##### **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 number of candidates 5

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: A Pre Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) will be used to select companies to Invite to Tender. The specific criteria will be listed in the PQQ documents.

##### **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 has been used: yes

Additional information about electronic auction: Yes. A Reverse Auction, conducted using electronic means, may be used as part of the procurement process for this requirement.

Specific relevant information on Reverse Auction usage will be given in the Invitation to Tender.

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

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

MES/21013

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

###### **Notice on a buyer profile**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2011/S 155-258136](#) of 13.8.2011

###### **Other previous publications**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2011/S 155-258136](#) of 13.8.2011

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

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

27.8.2013 - 10:00

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

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

English.

#### **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**

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](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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#### **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

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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**

9.7.2013