

**Norway-Oslo: Subsea equipment**

OJ S 141/2021 23/07/2021

Contract notice

Supplies

Directive 2009/81/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Forsvarsmateriell (the Norwegian Defence Materiel Agency)

Postal address: Grev Wedels plass 1

Town: Oslo

Postal code: 0151

Country: Norway

For the attention of: Joseph H. Royce

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**Internet address(es):**General address of the contracting authority/entity: <https://forsvaret.no/forsvarsmateriell>Electronic access to information: <https://permalink.mercell.com/160545379.aspx>Electronic submission of tenders and requests to participate: <https://permalink.mercell.com/160545379.aspx>**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: yes

Official name: Justis og beredskapsdepartementet (The Ministry of Justice and Public Security)

Postal address: Gullhaug Torg 4A

Town: Oslo

Country: Norway

**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**

Body-Mounted Maritime Propulsion System — Pre-qualification 02

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

Supplies  
Purchase  
NUTS code NO0A2 Vestland

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

Framework agreement with a single operator

#### **Duration of the framework agreement**

Duration in months: 60

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

Estimated value excluding VAT: 40 000 000,00 NOK

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

The BoMoMaPS shall provide forward propulsion for the operator during maritime operations that require swimming or diving over some distance. The system will also be used during other maritime operations where assisted propulsion is necessary or beneficial. BoMoMaPS must be mounted on the operator's body rather than handheld, in order to allow the operator to use his hands freely for other purposes. Body-mounted maritime propulsion system must be designed as a complete system, including power source.

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

43135000 Subsea equipment, 34930000 Marine equipment, 35700000 Military electronic systems

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

### **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**

Estimated value excluding VAT: 40 000 000,00 NOK

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

Options: yes

Description of options: Extension of the framework agreement.

Provisional timetable for recourse to these options:  
in months: 24 (from the award of the contract)

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

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Number of possible renewals: 1

In the case of renewable supplies or service contracts, estimated timeframe for subsequent contracts:

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

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

Duration in months: 204 (from the award of the contract)

**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: Requirement: the candidate shall ensure that it properly fulfils its obligations regarding the payment of tax and VAT.

Documentation requirement: Tax certificate which is not older than 6 months calculated from the application deadline.

Tax certificate means: for Norwegian contractors: certificate issued by a tax collector or the Norwegian Tax Administration regarding:

- value added tax;
- tax;
- payroll tax for foreign contractors: foreign contractors must submit corresponding certificates from their countries, documenting proper fulfilment of their obligations regarding the payment of taxes and duties. If the authorities in the relevant country do not issue such certificates, the candidate must submit a declaration which confirms that all taxes and duties are paid. The declaration must be approved and signed by the contractor's CFO/financial manager.

Requirement: the candidate must be registered in the Central Coordinating Register of Legal Entities or the Chamber of Commerce in the state where the candidate is established.

Documentation requirement: Norwegian contractors:

— certificate of registration foreign contractors: confirmation that the candidate is registered in the Central Coordinating Register of Legal Entities or a Chamber of Commerce in the state where the candidate is established.

requirement: the candidate shall have ownership and conduct that is acceptable.

Documentation requirement: the candidate shall give an overview of the history of the company, the organisation and the owner structure, legal standing with respect to any parent company, and a description of the business today. The candidate shall provide a signed declaration on ethical standard, c.f. Annex C: Ethical statement for suppliers to the Royal Norwegian Ministry of Defence with underlying agencies. If any of the situations listed in the Annex' article 3 letters a) - g) applies to the candidate, please state this in the application.

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

**Criteria regarding the economic and financial standing of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)**

List and brief description of conditions: Requirement: the candidate must have sufficient economic and financial capacity to complete the delivery, including satisfactory operating margin, liquidity ratio and equity share.

Documentation requirement: the candidate's financial statements (including notes with director's report and auditor's statement) from the past 3 years. If the financial statements for the previous year are not completed upon expiry of this tender, the preliminary financial statements for the previous year shall also be enclosed.

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

#### **Criteria regarding the technical and/or professional ability of economic operators (that may lead to their exclusion)**

List and brief description of conditions:

Requirement: the candidate must have good experience from similar deliveries of technical underwater systems.

Documentation requirement: overview of the candidate's 3 most relevant assignments during the past 5 years. In order to secure sufficient competition, documentation for deliveries performed by the candidate more than 5 years ago may also be taken into consideration.

The overview must include a specification of: the value of the assignment time brief description of the delivery it is the candidate's responsibility to document relevance through the description.

Requirement the candidate shall have the sufficient capacity to execute the contract.

Documentation requirement: a description of technical personnel, tools, material and technical equipment at the candidate's disposal to execute the contract.

Requirement: the candidate shall have the sufficient competence to execute the contract.

Documentation requirement: description of education and experience of the personnel available to the candidate to execute the contract.

Requirement: the candidate shall have adequate capabilities and structures.

Documentation requirement: the candidate shall describe his capability to perform integrated logistic support. The candidate shall describe his capability to perform candidate's logistic support during the systems expected lifetime, e.g. corrective and preventive maintenance, delivery of spare parts and technical support.

Requirement: the candidate must have a good and efficient quality assurance system.

Documentation requirement: description of the candidate's quality assurance methods. If the candidate is certified pursuant to ISO 9001 or equivalent standards, it is sufficient to submit a copy of a valid certificate.

Requirement: the candidate must have a good environmental management system.

Documentation requirement: description of environmental management measures that are implemented in the business. If the candidate is certified pursuant to ISO 14001 or equivalent standards, it is sufficient to submit a copy of a valid certificate.

### **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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Negotiated

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

Envisaged minimum number 3 and Maximum number 6

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: Selection criteria weight

Experience, ref 4.6.1 40 %

Technical capacity, ref 4.6.2 20 %

Financial standing, ref 4.5.1 10 %

Competence, ref 4.6.3 30 %.

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

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated yes

### **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: 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**

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

24.8.2021 - 12:00

#### **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**

Other Norwegian.

## **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**

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

**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Oslo Tingrett (Oslo District Court)

Postal address: Postboks 2106

Town: Vika

Postal code: 0125

Country: Norway

**VI.4.2. Review procedure**

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

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

20.7.2021