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**Poland-Warsaw: Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems (RPAS) for
Medium Altitude Long Endurance Maritime Aerial Surveillance
2022/S 242-696738**

Contract award notice

Results of the procurement procedure

Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Official name: European Border and Coast Guard Agency (FRONTEX)

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Main address: www.frontex.europa.eu

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title:

Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems (RPAS) for Medium Altitude Long Endurance Maritime Aerial Surveillance

Reference number: Frontex/OP/888/2019/JL/CG

II.1.2) Main CPV code

60440000 Aerial and related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description:

Aerial surveillance services by the means of Medium Altitude Long Endurance Remotely Piloted Aircraft System (MALE RPAS) for maritime purposes. The service will be delivered in Greece and/or in Italy and/or in Malta within the framework contract signed between Frontex and the two cascade contractors.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7) **Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: 75 000 000.00 EUR

II.2) **Description**

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: EL Ελλάδα / Elláda

NUTS code: IT Italia

NUTS code: MT Malta

Main site or place of performance:

GREECE and/or ITALY and/or MALTA.

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The subject of the contract was to establish multiple framework contract for maritime aerial surveillance services with Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems for long endurance, providing of information via remote mission portal and sharing of compiled operational picture and/or raw data. Frontex awards the framework contract to two (2) contractors, rating them in 'cascade' (first and second) order.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

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**

This contract award notice refers to the 50 % increase of the previously concluded framework contract Frontex/ OP/888/2019/JL/CG value from EUR 50 000 000 to EUR 75 000 000 by means of the exceptional negotiated procedure.

Section IV: Procedure

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

- New works/services, constituting a repetition of existing works/services and ordered in accordance with the strict conditions stated in the directive

Explanation:

Award of the contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union. Services or works consisting in the repetition of similar services or works provided these are in conformity with a basic project as per Point 11.1) (e) Annex 1 FR (can be used only within three years of the contract and only if the possibility to use this negotiated procedure was announced from the outset of the initial procedure) — this legal basis is used to increase the ceiling of this framework contract.

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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.2.1) **Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2020/S 196-473315](#)

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

Contract No: Frontex/OP/888-1/2019/JL/CG

Title:

Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems (RPAS) for Medium Altitude Long Endurance Maritime Aerial Surveillance

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) **Award of contract**

V.2.1) **Date of conclusion of the contract:**

07/12/2022

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: Airbus DS Airborne Solutions GmbH

Postal address: Richard-Dunkel-Strasse 121

Town: Bremen

NUTS code: DE501 Bremen, Kreisfreie Stadt

Postal code: 28199

Country: Germany

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4) **Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 50 000 000.00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 75 000 000.00 EUR

V.2.5) **Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Proportion: 60 %

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted:

Provision of RPAS including SATCOM services, provision of RPAS manuals, provision of training and training certification of Airbus DS personnel, delivery of spares to deployment base, depot maintenance, continued airworthiness.

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: Frontex/OP/888-2/2019/JL/CG

Title:

Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems (RPAS) for Medium Altitude Long Endurance Maritime Aerial Surveillance

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) **Award of contract**

V.2.1) **Date of conclusion of the contract:**

07/12/2022

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: Elbit Systems Ltd, Advanced Technology Center

Postal address: P.O. Box 539

Town: Haifa

NUTS code: IL Israel

Postal code: 31053

Country: Israel

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4) **Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 50 000 000.00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 75 000 000.00 EUR

V.2.5) **Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Proportion: 40 %

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted:

Subcontractor will provide manpower for on-site services, operations, support, maintenance, logistics, training and other on-site services as may be required by the Contractor; it will also provide portion of the equipment designated for this contract.

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3) **Additional information:**

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**

Official name: General Court

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VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

Within two months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge.

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

08/12/2022