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COMPETITIVE BIDDING**

REF. : AC/4-D/2261 (1996 EDITION)/NATO

1. GENERAL

a. This document is the official announcement of the NATO International Competitive Bidding for the project: «RESTORE INSTRUMENT LANDING SYSTEM (ILS) AT AKTION A/B» (PR-173N) (serial number 2014/5AF06433-00) hereinafter called the project that will be implemented in Greece (Aktion Air Base, Preveza).

b. The authorization for the project is granted by the Investment Committee decision AC/4-DS(2015)00014-REV1 and the report of the International Staff AC/4(PP)D27449.

c. This document is being distributed to the Diplomatic Representatives of the NATO participating countries in Athens, Greece (Embassies), to the Permanent Delegations of the 27 NATO participating countries at NATO HQ in Brussels, which share the cost of the subject project, as well as the NATO International Staff in Brussels. The above mentioned national authorities are kindly requested to timely inform the firms of their countries and submit the appropriate Declaration of Eligibility of the interested firms (cf. para. 5.(ii).(a) and Annex V of NATO AC/4-D/2261 - 1996 Edition) to the following address:

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Not later than the date defined in para. 8.a. below.

d. The eligible firms according to para. 2.a below, shall receive an invitation to bid; the detailed information on the bidding process and the required supporting documents and documentary evidence for the firms' competence will be provided through the «*Cahier des Charges*».

e. The international competitive bidding will be carried out under the procedure of «ONE STEP METHOD», according to para. 1.b of NATO AC/4-D/2261-(1996 Edition). The contract will be awarded to the lowest compliant bidder according to para. 13.i of NATO AC/4-D/2261 (1996 Edition) and the applicable regulations of Greek legislation for public works contracts (Art. 86, Law 4412/2016).

2. BIDDERS PARTICIPATION

a. Firms eligible to participate in the bidding are as follows:

(1) Firms of the 27 NATO participating countries sharing the cost of the subject project, (in alphabetical order): Albania, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, United Kingdom and United States of America, on the following provisions:

(a) They are nominated by the national authorities of the countries of origin as eligible to participate in the subject bid, according to para. 5.(ii).(a) of NATO AC/4-

D/2261 (1996 Edition) by submitting a "DECLARATION OF ELIGIBILITY" with the clear indication for the required security level to "NATO RESTRICTED" (as referred in ANNEX V).

(b) They are specialized in the implementation of projects similar to the scope of the subject project (Navigation Aids) and they have already implemented or they are presently implementing similar projects in one of the aforementioned NATO countries. Specialization shall be certified by the appropriate government authority and the certificates with the other bidding documents should be submitted until the bid closing date, with penalty clause (rejection of the offer).

(2) Hellenic technical contracting firms registered in the Contracting Firms Register as follows:

- In the category of civil works with a contracting certificate level A2 or higher

and - In the category of electromechanical works with a contracting certificate level 2nd or higher

and also registered in the special catalogue for NATO projects kept at the Ministry of Defence, Athens (indicating the validity period of the registration in the documentary evidence submitted by the firms) corresponding to "DECLARATION OF ELIGIBILITY", which:

either (a) Joint venture with at least one of the firms of the para. 2.a.(1) above and 2.a.(3) below.

or (b) Participate individually in the present bidding with the provision that they shall prove the competence in implementing projects similar to the scope of the subject project (Navigation Aids), as defined in subpara 2.a.(1)(b) above.

(3) Hellenic firms registered in the official catalogues (Register) of the Hellenic Chamber of Commerce and Industry and certified with the certificate of Hellenic Regulation of Industrial Security provided by the Ministry of Defence / General Directorate of Defence / Equipment (corresponding to "DECLARATION OF ELIGIBILITY"), specialized in the implementation of projects similar to the scope of the subject project (Navigation Aids), as defined in subpara 2.a.(1)(b) above can participate in the present bidding only in joint venture with at least one of the firms of the above para. 2.a.(1) and 2.a.(2).

(4) Consortia between firms eligible to participate in the present bidding, as defined above.

b. Firms not approved and nominated by the competent authorities of the respective countries of origin are not eligible to participate neither individually nor in a consortium.

c. Firms from other than NATO participating countries are excluded from acting as contractors, subcontractors or manufacturers of any part of the subject project. None of the work including project design, labour and services, shall be performed by firms other than from and within NATO participating countries. No materials or items of equipment down to and including identifiable sub-assemblies consisting of two or more parts that can be provisioned and replaced as an entity shall be manufactured or assembled by a firm other than from and within a NATO participating country (cf. para. 5 of NATO AC/4-D/2261-1996 Edition).

d. Firms are allowed to bid individually or as members of one and unique consortium according to the principle of non-discrimination (cf. para. 4 of NATO AC/4-D/2261 -1996 Edition).

e. Firms that do not meet even one of the above criteria, are not allowed to participate to the bidding neither individually nor a consortium.

f. Potential bidders consisting of two or more firms in Consortium are obliged to present by notarial deeds the constituent companies of the Consortium and declare their

legal representatives and the deputies of them. Should these notarial deeds not be submitted with the bidders tender until the bid closing date, the tender shall not be considered compliant (rejection of the offer). The legal representative of the Consortium or its deputy shall be representing all the members of Consortium before HAFGS and YPEPA.

3. SUMMARY DESCRIPTION

The scope of this project is the supply of a Prime Instrument Landing System / Distance Measuring Equipment (ILS / DME) CAT II with its support equipment, including full installation, alignment, commissioning, flight check assistance, training for operational use and maintenance, as well as site spares. The present project also includes all necessary civil works to ensure reliable operation of the system.

4. PROJECT BUDGET

A rough cost estimate of the project budget is **one million two hundred and seventy thousand (1.270.000,00) EUROS** and it is **not** going to be divided into different contracts and lots.

5. ANTICIPATED TIME OF WORKS COMPLETION

The interested firms shall take into account that the anticipated time to complete the Contract is **four hundred and fifty five (455) calendar days** beginning from the date of the Contract signing.

6. SECURITY CLEARANCE

a. The security clearance of the project is «NATO RESTRICTED» and all NATO and national security regulations shall be applied, mainly the C-M (55)15-FINAL.

b. The bidders will protect the present document as well as all any relevant document and classified information according to NATO and national security regulations.

7. BID VALIDITY

The bidders' tenders shall be valid for **thirteen (13) months** dating from the bid closing date.

8. DATES

a. Final date by which firms must have formally expressed their desire to be invited to bid and the appropriate documents must have been submitted the by the countries of origin to the host nation: **09-02-2018**.

b. Date by which the host nation intends to distribute "*Cahier des Charges*": from **05-03-2018** to **16-03-2018**.

c. Intended bid closing date: **27-04-2018**.

d. The above dates are subject to review with respect to the process development, according to the provisions of para. 6 and 10 of NATO AC/4-D/2261-1996 Edition and the currently undergoing adaptation of the "*Cahier des Charges*" documents to the newly applied Greek public works legislation.

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Colonel Panagiotis Rokas
YPEPA Commander

