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**NOTIFICATION OF INTENT  
Splunk Licenses**

**RFQ-CO-15084-ANWI**

**Estimated Value: € 1,300,000.00 (excluding options)**

**Period of performance: Base period until 31 Dec 2020 + 2 one year option.**

The NCI Agency is the provider of NATO-wide IT services and state-of-the-art C4ISR capabilities including cyber and missile defence. In strengthening the Alliance, the Agency applies industry best practices and provides a full life-cycle approach: from analysis and concept development, through experimentation and capability development, to operations and maintenance for both missions and exercises.

The Agency has a requirement for procurement of Splunk licences. The formal Request for Quotation is envisaged to be issued in August 2019 with a Bid Closing Date mid-September 2019 and Contract Award end of September 2019.

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**Subject: NOTIFICATION OF INTENT (NOI) TO REQUEST QUOTES  
"PROCUREMENT OF SPLUNK LICENCES"  
RFQ-CO-15084-ANWI**

1. Notice is hereby given of the intent of the NATO Communication and Information Agency (NCI Agency), to issue a Request For Quotation (RFQ) in relation to the provision of Splunk licences for the New NATO Headquarter.
2. A summary of the requirements of this Request For Quotation is set forth in Annex A, attached to this letter.
3. The reference for the Request for Quotation is RFQ-CO-15084-ANWI, and all correspondence concerning this Request for Quotation should reference this number.
4. The estimated cost for the services and deliverables included within the basic scope of the intended contract is EUR 1,300,000.00 (excluding options).
5. NCI Agency will request quotations for this procurement with a source selection process of lowest price technically compliant governed by NATO Financial Rules and Procedures.
6. It is planned to place a single contract for the entire scope of work. No partial bidding will be allowed.
7. The formal RFQ is planned to be issued in August 2019 with an anticipated Bid Closing Date in September 2019 and expected Contract Award (subject to further authorization) end of September 2019.
8. Bidders will be required to declare a bid validity of 45 days from the closing date for receipt of quotes. If the selection and award procedure exceed the bid closing date by more than 45 days, firms may be requested to voluntarily extend the validity of their bids accordingly. Bidders may decline to do so, withdraw their bid and excuse themselves from the bidding process without penalty.
9. National responsible authorities are kindly requested that the NCI Agency be provided with Declarations of Eligibility, **not later than 20 of August 2019** of qualified and certified firms which may be interested in receiving a Request For Quotation for this project. In addition to the certifications of the firm's security clearance required under this NOI, the Declarations of Eligibility shall include the following information for each of the nominated firms: name of the firm, telephone number, e-mail address and point of contact. This information is critical to enable prompt and accurate communication with prospective Bidders and should be sent via email to the following address: [IFB-CO-15084-ANWI@ncia.nato.int](mailto:IFB-CO-15084-ANWI@ncia.nato.int)



10. It is requested that all firms interested in participating in this procurement be introduced by their National Authorities with the required "Declaration of Eligibility". Requests for participation in this competition received directly from commercial firms cannot be considered.
11. Any inquiries with regards to this notification should be made to the email [IFB-CO-15084-ANWI@ncia.nato.int](mailto:IFB-CO-15084-ANWI@ncia.nato.int)
12. Your assistance in this procurement is greatly appreciated.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF ACQUISITION a.i.:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alain Courtois', written over a horizontal line.

Alain Courtois  
Principal Contracting Officer

**Attachment:**

Annex A- Summary of the Requirements

**ANNEX A – SUMMARY OF REQUIREMENTS**

<b>Part Number</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
SE-P-LIC	Splunk Enterprise - Perpetual License - GB/Day	1000
SE-P-ST	Splunk Enterprise - Standard Support Year 1 - GB/Day	1000
ES-P-LIC	Splunk Enterprise Security - Perpetual License - GB/Day	1000
ES-P-ST	Splunk Enterprise Security - Standard Support Year 1 - GB/Day	1000
	Splunk User Behavior Analytics	1
	Splunk User Behavior Analytics - Standard Support Year 1	1
<b>OPTIONS</b>		
SE-P-ST	Splunk Enterprise - Standard Support Year 2 - GB/Day	1000
ES-P-ST	Splunk Enterprise Security - Standard Support Year 2 - GB/Day	1000
	Splunk User Behavior Analytics - Standard Support Year 2	1
SE-P-ST	Splunk Enterprise - Standard Support Year 3 - GB/Day	1000
ES-P-ST	Splunk Enterprise Security - Standard Support Year 3 - GB/Day	1000
	Splunk User Behavior Analytics - Standard Support Year 3	1