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## **1. GENERAL**

a. This document is the official announcement of the National Competitive Bidding (NCB+) for the project: "OBSOLETE WATCHMAN RADAR TRANSMITTER (Tx) REPLACEMENT AT NAMFI SITES VASILIKON & DRAPANON" (K-493N) (serial number 2021/5SA06099-00) hereinafter called the project that will be implemented in Greece Crete at the NAMFI sites of DRAPANON and VASILIKON.

b. The authorization for the project has been granted by the Investment Committee decision referenced into the International Staff document AC/4(PP)D/28271 dated 16 Oct 2021 and decision AC/4-DS(2022)/0004 dated 22 Mar 2022.

c. The 30 NATO participating countries sharing the cost of the subject project are the following: Albania, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, the United Kingdom, the United States of America and Greece (Host Nation).

d. This document is being distributed to the Diplomatic Representatives of the NATO participating countries in Athens, Greece (Embassies), to the Permanent Delegations of the 29 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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ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION AGENCY (YPEPA)  
MESOGION 227-231, CHOLARGOS 156 69, ATHENS – GREECE, POST CODE 1010  
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**Not later than the date defined in para. 8.a. below.**

e. 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*».

f. The National competitive bidding (NCB+) will be carried out according to Law 4412/2016 and under the procedure of NATO AC/4-D/2261-(1996 Edition) and "NATO Security Investment Programme (NSIP) Manual". The contract will be awarded to the lowest compliant bidder according to Greek law compliant to the terms of the NCB+ and according

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the prevailing applicable regulations of Greek legislation for public works contracts ((Art. 95.2.b Law 4412/2016).

## **2. BIDDERS PARTICIPATION**

a. Firms eligible to participate in the bidding process, in compliance with the provisions of para.5 of NATO AC/4-D/2261 (1996 Edition) and the Greek legislation for public works contracts, are as follows:

(1) Firms from and within the NATO participating countries sharing the cost of the subject project with Greece, as referred in par.1.c above, provided that they are nominated by the national authorities of the countries of origin as eligible to participate in the subject bid, according to para. 5 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 of AC/4-D/2261 – 1996 Edition).

(2) Firms according to Law 4412/2016.

## **3. SUMMARY DESCRIPTION**

The scope of the project is the procurement, design, manufacturing, installation, integration and implementation on a Turn Key Basis of the new Transmitter (Tx) replacing the legacy WATCHMAN Radar Transmitter with a new one of SOLID-STATE technology, at the sites of VASILIKON and DRAPANON, as described in detail in the tender documents. The delivery of a fully operational and maintainable safety radar at each NAMFI's WATCHMAN site is expected.

The project includes all the required support equipment, full installation, activation, acceptance testing, training of personnel to operate and maintain the system, and all required spares and documentation.

## **4. PROJECT BUDGET**

The project budget is estimated up to the amount of **seven million eight hundred and ninty-two thousand and five hundred and seventy seven (7.892.577,00) 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 seven hundred and thirty (730) 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(2002)49.

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 for the firms to formally express their desire to be invited to bid and for the submission of the appropriate by the countries of origin to the host nation: **01-11-2022**.

b. Estimated dates for the distribution of "*Cahier des Charges*": from **05-12-2022** to **16-12-2022**.

c. Estimated bid closing date: **31-01-2023**.

d. The above estimated 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.

**Αθήνα, 16-09-2022**

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