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Date:	15 December 2023	Email:	info@iamd-coe.org

SUBJECT: IAMD COE CONTRACT AWARD No FINCON 23-10

REFERENCES: A. IAMD COE Operational MOU, signed on the 8th April 2020, as Hellenic Law 4833/2021

- B. IAMD COE Financial Administrative Procedures (FAPs), dated 04 October 2022
- C. Circular of the Hellenic Independent Authority for Public Revenue (IAPR) - E.2210/12-11-2021 (diavgeia.gov.gr No ΨAΓI46MΠ3Z-KTI)
- D. NR. 1/22 November 2023/IAMD COE Commitment of Appropriations
- E. NR. 08/29 November 2023/IAMD COE Call For Competition (CFC) No FINCON 23-09
- F. NU. 944/14 December 2023/IAMD COE Contract Award Committee (CAC) Minutes
- 1. After taking into account:

1.1 The provisions of the IAMD COE Operational MOU and Financial Administrative Procedures, as References A and B respectively;

1.2 The Circular of the Hellenic Independent Authority for Public Revenue, as Reference C, concerning the tax exemption of the IAMD COE supplies and services;

1.3 The Commitment of Appropriations, as Reference D, regarding the commitments of funds for the project required;

1.4 The Call For Competition (CFC) No FINCON 23-09, as Reference E, concerning the Research & Development (R&D) project of designing and creating "*Artificial Intelligence (AI) - Empowered Drone Detection Passive Radar using 5G signals*" for the benefit of the IAMD COE;

1.5 The "Institute of Computer Science (ICS), Foundation for Research and Technology - Hellas (FORTH)" hereafter referred to as "FORTH-ICS" (TAX ID Number: EL090101655, N. Plastira 100, Vassilika Vouton, GR-700 13 Heraklion, Greece) proposal, dated 12 December 2023 (16:27), as received through sourceONE internet application (Request for Quote with code: cfc-iamd-164268);

1.6 The following:

1.6.1 Evaluation strategy: The evaluation focused on information provided by the bidder, with an emphasis on identifying the most financially profitable, operationally effective and cost-efficient solution for the IAMD COE;

1.6.2 Compliance and eligibility: Confirmation has been received that the bidder and its bid fully comply with the bidding terms, general provisions (terms and conditions), and the special provisions - technical specifications outlined in the respective CFC. This compliance is a prerequisite for further evaluation;

1.6.3 Determination of Contractor responsibility: It has been certified that the prospective contractor possesses a satisfactory performance record adheres to ethical business practices, and complies with applicable tax and laboremployment laws, including compliance with applicable tax and labouremployment laws, as valid (tax and insurance - employer) clearance certificates;

1.6.4 Competition requirements: It is verified that a competitive bidding process has been implemented and any potential bidders received impartial, fair, and equitable treatment including the confidential handling of the Statement of Work of the project. The invitation for bidding was published through the IAMD COE website and on the sourceONE application (e-procurement/e-tender platform);

1.6.5 Cost-effective and efficient contracting: Assurance is provided that the prospective contractor fully complies with procurement terms and conditions, ensuring the achievement of the most cost-effective and efficient solution for all Centre requirements.

1.7 The fact that the bid submitted from "FORTH-ICS" (TAX ID Number: EL090101655) is deemed the most cost effective and efficient solution, taking also into consideration not only cost factors but also acknowledging the innovative research and development process required to deliver the project outcomes;

1.8 The assent of the FINCON - P&C Officer for the current contract award decision based on the minutes of evaluation and awarding proposal from the responsible Contract Award Committee, as Reference F;

the Integrated Air and Missile Defence Centre of Excellence (IAMD COE) Director

decides the award

for the requested project to the "FORTH-ICS" (TAX ID Number: EL090101655) institute (hereafter "Contractor") according to the terms and specifications of the CFC No FINCON 23-09, at the amount of 79.000,00 \in , as outlined - breakdown in Annex A.

2. The Contractor:

2.1 Shall undertake, immediately upon receipt of the current award decision, the legal obligation for the implementation of its responsibilities concern-

ing the delivery of the required equipment in full compliance with the terms of the respective CFC and its bid;

2.2 Is kindly requested to:

2.2.1 Proceed with the signing of the respective contract following this award decision, according to the Centre's FINCON - P&C Officer instructions (advertised on sourceONE application - "Communication" tab);

2.2.2 Perform in the best possible way the execution of its obligations in full cooperation with the competent staff of the Centre.

3. The current contract award decision is being partially advertised (excluding restricted details under limited release) through the IAMD COE website and is notified to the contractor through the sourceONE application.

4. Points of Contact (POC) are: CPT (OF-2) Evangelos BALTADOROS, IAMD COE Financial Controller, e-mail: fincon@iamd-coe.org, tel.: 2821440712 and 1st LT (OF-1) Pavlos BOURNAZOS P&C Officer, e-mail: procurement@iamdcoe.org, tel.: 2821440736.

FOR THE IAMD COE

B. GEŃ (OF-6) Nikolaos KOKKONIS GRC (AF) Director

ANNEXES:

A. Contract Award No FINCON 23-10

DISTRIBUTION:

External:

Action:

Institute of Computer Science (ICS), Foundation for Research and Technology -Hellas (FORTH), N. Plastira 100, Vassilika Vouton, Heraklion, 70013, Greece

Internal:

<u>Action:</u> FINCON P&C Officer

Information: DIRECTOR DEPUTY DIRECTOR COS CD&E BH FN SUPPORT BH

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ANNEX A TO IAMD COE NU.947/15 DEC 23

CONTRACT AWARD No FINCON 23-10

S/N	Contractor	Item Awarded	Delivery	Value Justification		
		Description ⁽¹⁾ Deadline		Total ⁽²⁾ Price (€ - without VAT)	Remarks	Evaluation strategy
	Institute of Computer Science, Foundation for Research and Technology - Hellas (FORTH-ICS) TAX ID Number: EL090101655 (N. Plastira 100, Vassilika Vouton, Heraklion, 70013, Greece)	Study report "System architecture, specifications and requirements" (as requirements - specifications of par. 3.1 of Part III of CFC)	31 Jul 24	12.000,00		The most cost-effective solution based on R&D project requirements and public data of international market competitors
		Study report <i>"Performance evaluation on simulated data and estimated performance in real environments"</i> (as requirements - specifications of par. 3.2 of Part III of CFC)	15 Dec 24	16.000,00		
		Study report <i>"Final prototype system architecture"</i> (as requirements - specifications of par. 3.3 of Part III of CFC)	31 Aug 25	16.000,00		
		Study report <i>"Performance evaluation on real data"</i> (as requirements - specifications of par. 3.4 of Part III of CFC)	30 Nov 25	17.000,00		
		Prototype system (as requirements - specifications of par. 3.5 of Part III of CFC)	15 Dec 25	18.000,00		
	Total Value for Contractor "FORTH-ICS"					

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(1) Short description is depicted - full specifications and description of supplies requested are as the Contractor's respective bid which is in full compliance with the requirements set with the respective IFB.

(2) Purchases are exempt from Value Added Taxes (VAT), taking into account the status of the Centre under the Paris Protocol and the respective Supplementary Agreement.

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