

Lisbon, 28 January 2014

Competitive Dialogue procedure No. EMSA CDI /01/2014
For Service Contract for Aerial Application of Dispersant Service

Minutes of the Information Meeting

Place: EMSA, Lisbon
Date: 21 January 2014
Purpose/topic: Procurement procedure No. EMSA CDI/01/2014 for Service Contract for Aerial Application of Dispersant Service

1. EMSA pointed out that the main purpose of the meeting was to clarify the relevant technical and financial elements of the procurement procedure due to its complexity.
2. Participants were informed that:
 - a. EMSA presentation along with the minutes of the information meeting would be published on the Agency's website by 28 January 2014.
 - b. potential candidates should submit their questions to the dedicated e-mail address CDI012014@emsa.europa.eu.
3. EMSA delivered the following presentations as announced in the Agenda and published on the 22 January on the EMSA website:
 - a. Introduction to EMSA's at sea oil recovery services

This presentation provided an introduction on the anti-pollution services that are currently offered by the Agency. The role and the history of EMSA in the field of pollution response were briefly described. A picture of the Network of response vessels contracted by the Agency was also given by showing the type of vessels and the equipment used to perform oil recovery services.
 - b. EMSA's new task: Response to marine pollution from oil and gas installations

This presentation focussed on the new mandate of the Agency in the field of marine pollution response caused by oil and gas installations. The revision of the EMSA's Founding Regulation 1406/2002 was presented as well as the new Action Plan approved in November 2013.
 - c. EMSA/CDI/01/2014 Procurement procedure

This presentation provided general information on the competitive dialogue procedure. The aim of this presentation was to indicate and clarify all the requirements to be fulfilled in order to submit an admissible request: exclusion and selection criteria. In addition, information was provided on the procurement timetable and on the way in which the request should be presented.

d. EMSA/CDI/01/2014 Aerial Application dispersant service

The last presentation provided a description of the aerial dispersant application service. This presentation explained the requirements necessary for the performance of the service required under the Tender procedure in subject (both for the airplane and for the airplane provider) as well as the relevant phases related to the implementation of the service contract.

4. Questions raised during the meeting were answered as reported in the attached document.

Attachment:

- Questions and answers