# EMSA OP/13/2015 Aerial Dispersant Application Services

**Information Meeting** 



# Purpose of the meeting

Provision of information regarding the Open Procedure EMSA/OP/13/2014:

- > Service requirements
- Draft Service Contract
- > How to submit an offer
- Questions and Answers

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# Agenda of the meeting

09:30 – 10:00	Registration		
10:00 – 10:20	Welcome address and introduction		
	<ul> <li>Background and purpose of the meeting</li> <li>Meeting objectives</li> </ul>		
	EMSA's role and capabilities in the field of pollution response		
10:20 – 11:00	Description of the Aerial Dispersant Application Service		
	<ul> <li>Basis for implementation</li> <li>Specific requirements for the provision of the service</li> </ul>		
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee break		
11:30 – 12:10	Description of the Service Contract and Guidelines for submitting an offer		
	<ul> <li>Introduction to the Airplane Availability Contract (AAC) and to the Incident Response Contract – Airplane (IRC-A)</li> <li>Preparation of the bid</li> </ul>		
12:10 – 13:10	Questions and Answers		
13:10 – 13:30	Closure and follow-up actions		



# **Background**

- New task for EMSA
- Need for additional pollution response tools
- Previous Competitive Dialogue Procedure (CDI/01/2014)
- Open procedure for aerial dispersant application services



# **European Maritime Safety Agency**

- Regulatory Agency of the European Community
- Own legal identity
- Technical and operational support
- Approx. 250 staff
- Annual budget approx. 54 MEURO (20 MEURO for anti-pollution measures)







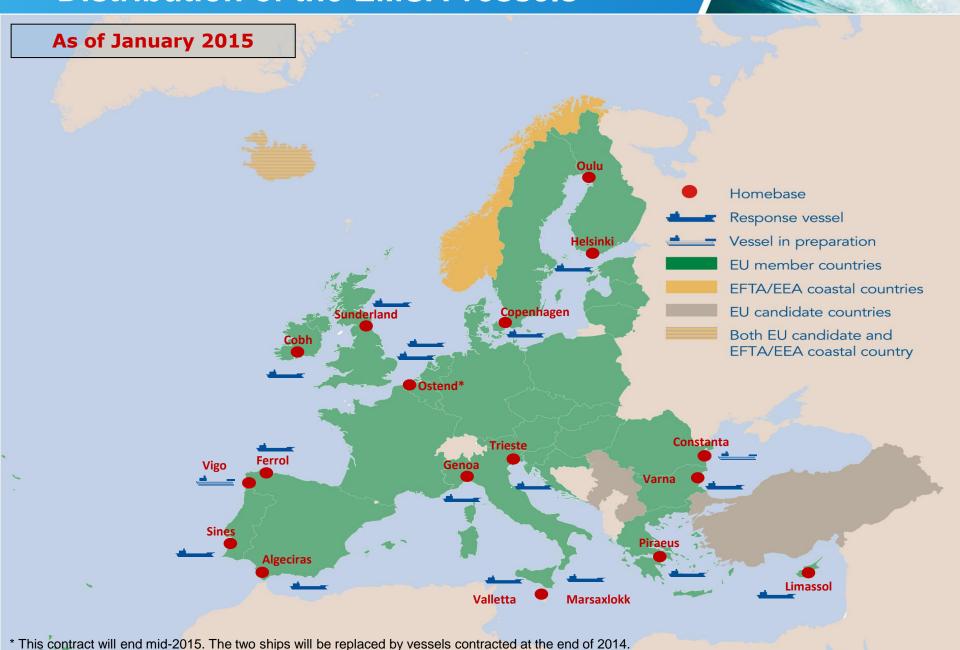
# **EMSA's current anti-pollution services**

- Network of Stand-by Oil Spill Response Vessels
- CleanSeaNet (CSN) Oil spill detection system
- Experts and Information





## **Distribution of the EMSA vessels**



# Description of the Aerial Dispersant Application Service Project

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# **Basis for implementation**

# Action Plan for Response to Marine Pollution from Oil & Gas Installations (approved Nov 2013)

- Framework for implementing response to pollution from oil & gas installations:
  - Identification of current capabilities
  - > Future developments
- Provide Member States with an enlarged set of tools for pollution response:
  - Adaptation of the monitoring & evaluation tools (e.g. CleanSeaNet)
  - Vessel dispersant application services
  - > Aerial dispersant application services
  - Limited quantities of dispersant



# **Aerial Dispersant Application Project**

#### Overall objective

Top-up the capabilities of coastal EU/EFTA Member States

#### **Service specific objectives**

- Provision of one or multiple airplanes for aerial dispersant application
- European coverage (coastal EU/EFTA Member States)
- Fixed service duration (2 years), renewable twice (for 1 year each)

#### **Optional:**

- Storage of dispersant (up to 50 tonnes)
- Provision of a spotter airplane with trained aerial observer



# **Key service requirements**

#### Service provider

- Experience in medium to large size airplane operations
- Control of the airplane(s) at the time of the contract signature
- Dispersant application equipment dedicated to EMSA (not used by others)
- Maintenance program ensuring continued airworthiness of the airplane
- Provision of certified/authorised dispersant application equipment
- Provision of aircrew with adequate professional qualifications/experience
- Provision of adequate storage for the equipment and dispersant (if included in the offer)



#### Main definitions for the service

## **Equipment base:**

where the equipment is stored, loaded at the beginning of the operations and unloaded at the end of the operations

### **Operational base:**

the airport where the dispersant will be loaded on the airplane indicated by the Requesting Party



# **Key service requirements**

#### **Airplane**

- Able to operate in Europe in accordance with the relevant regulations
- Minimum dispersant payload of 4 tonnes
- Minimum cruising speed of 245 KCAS (Knots Calibrated Air Speed)
- Minimum flight range of 350 nm at maximum payload
- 'Ready to fly' in maximum 12 hours



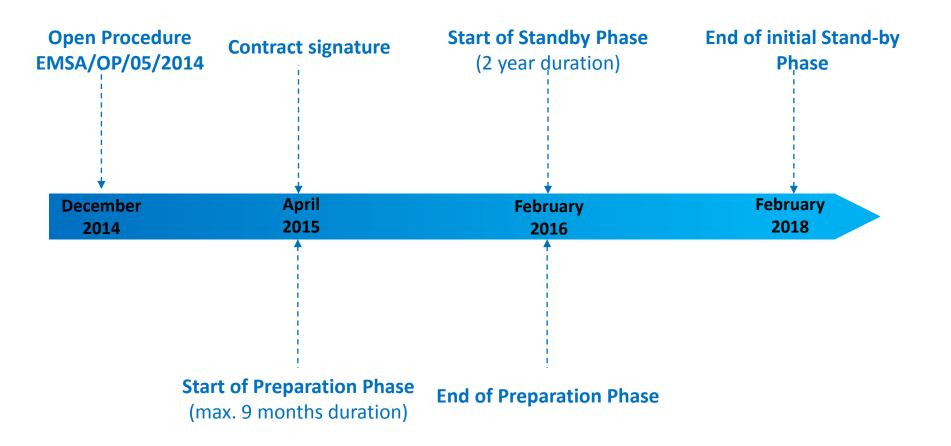
# **Additional requirements**

#### Preferred options by EMSA

- Airplane with a cruising speed higher than the minimum required
- Airplane with an operational range of 1000 nautical miles and above
- Airplane able to spray from an altitude of 50 metres or less
- Spraying equipment with flow rate higher than 500 litres/minute
- Spraying equipment with an effective swath width of 8 metres or above
- No airplane downtime due to maintenance
- Airplane ready to commence spraying operations in 12 hours
- Shorter preparation phase



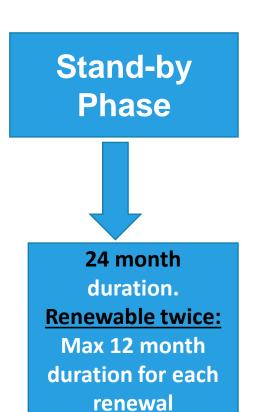
### **Timetable**

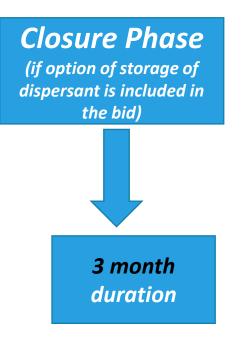




### **Implementation Phases**









# **Preparation Phase**

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- Pre-fitting works
- Training of aircrew
- Certificates
- Monthly Report
- Completion Report



# **Stand-by Phase**

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- > Availability 24h/7
- 2 Drills per year
- > 1 or 2 Exercises per year
- > Storage
- > Maintenance
- > Training



#### **Closure Phase**

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(If option of storage of dispersant is included in the bid)

Storage and Transportation of remaining stock of dispersant

(3 months after expiration of the contract)



# **Incident Response**

# Requesting State (any EU Member State, EFTA Member State, EU Commission)



- ➤ Nominate an Oil Spill Coordinator
- > Provide information on the oil spill location
- Arrange all logistics + licences + taxes
- Coordinate transport of dispersant
- > Facilitate activities for demobilisation



#### **Incident Response**

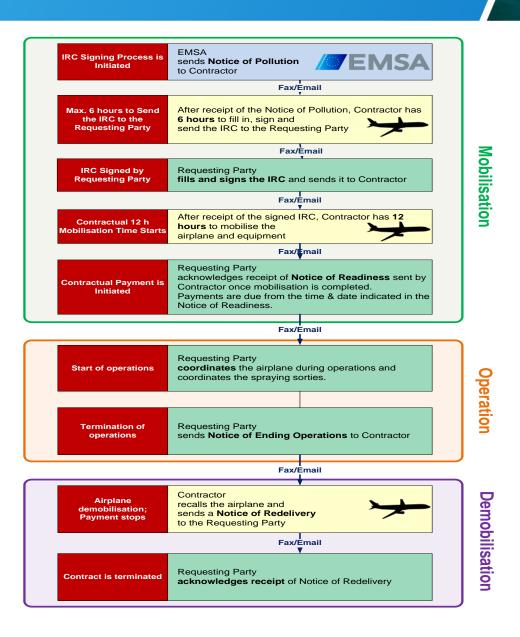
#### **Service Provider**



- > 6 hours to sign and send the Contract Form to Requesting State
- > 12 hours maximum mobilisation time
- ➤ Aerial dispersant spraying activities under direction of Requesting Party
- ➤ Availability of the service for continued operations for 21 days, or longer if mutually agreed (daylight hours)
- Spotter Airplane (if option included)



# Incident response flowchart





#### **International/National Exercise**

International/
National Airplane
Exercise
Participation
Agreement

3 contract parties

**EMSA** 

Service Provider

Requesting State



# Description of the Service Contract

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# **Service Contract for Aerial Dispersant Application Service**



- a) Airplane Availability Contract (AAC):

  MAXIMUM TOTAL BUDGET EUR 2,300,000 excluding VAT
- b) Airplane Incident Response Contract (IRC-A)
- c) International/National Airplane Exercise Participation Agreement

## a) Airplane Availability Contract (AAC)



Airplane Availability Contract (AAC) Contract Parties **EMSA** 

and

Service Provider

# a) Airplane Availability Contract



### **Preparation Phase**

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#### **Compensation:**

- Pre-financing of 50%
  - Payment of the balance at the end

Maximum ceiling EUR 50,000 excluding VAT

# a) Airplane Availability Contract



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# a) Airplane Availability Contract (AAC)



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# b) Incident Response Contract for the Airplane (IRC-A)



**IRC-A** 

**Pre-set conditions & tariffs** 



Service Provider

and

Requesting Party

# b) Incident Response Contract for the Airplane (IRC-A): Payment scheme



### Compensation in case of mobilisation

- Daily Operational Rate
- Hourly Flight Rate
- Fuel cost
- Airport charges
- Customs duties, flight permits, clearance expenses
- Consular charges
- Accommodation and meals for the aircrew
- Any other cost directly related to the operational activities
- Annual Availability fee

# c) International/National Airplane Exercise Participation Agreement



International/
National Airplane
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3 contract parties

**EMSA** 

Service Provider

Requesting State

# c) International/National Airplane Exercise Participation Agreement: Payment Scheme



### Compensation for the Service provider

- 75% Daily Operational Rate
- 100% Hourly Flight Rate
- Fuel cost
- Airport charges
- Customs duties, flight permits, clearance expenses
- Consular charges
- Accommodation and meals for the aircrew

# Guidelines for submitting an offer



#### **Invitation to Tender enclosures**

- 1. Tender Specifications
- 2. Draft Service Contract + 3 Annexes (IRC-A, Prefinancing guarantee template, International/National Airplane Exercise Participation Agreement)
- 3. Bid Template
- 4. Statement of Subcontracting/Joint Offer
- 5. Tenderer's Checklist

## Tender criteria



#### **Tender Criteria**

- a) Exclusion Criteria Satisfactory / Non-satisfactory
- b) Selection Criteria Satisfactory / Non-satisfactory

# NON-COMPLIANCE WITH 1 EXCLUSION OR SELECTION CRITERION – GROUND FOR NON - ADMISSION

c) Award Criteria – Competition ("preferred" evaluated higher)

# a) Exclusion criteria (points 13, 14.2 - 14.3 of Tender Specifications)



- > Declaration on Honour duly filled and signed
- > Additional evidences to be provided if the contract is awarded

# b) Selection criteria (point 14.5 of Tender Specifications)



**Economic and Financial Capacity** 



- Financial statements for the last 3 years
- FOR PRIVATE ENTITY:
   Statement of overall
   turnover and turnover of
   relevant services for the last
   3 financial years
- FOR PUBLIC ENTITY: annual budget of the last year

# b) Selection criteria (points 14.6 and 14.7 of Tender Specifications)



Technical and professional capacity of the tenderer



- List of 3 contracts concluded in the last 3 years
- Certificate of professional or commercial registration

Technical and professional capacity applicable to the airplane



- > Technical characteristics and information on state of registry
- Agreement with the airplane owner
- Compliancy with the noise certification requirements
- Minimum dispersant payload of 4 tonnes

# c) Award criteria (point 15 of Tender Specifications): Quality Award criteria



Quality Award Criteria				
Q1	Dispersant payload (point 2.6)	25%		
Q2	Quality of the arrangement (point 2.7)	20%		
Q3	Quality of the logistics for mobilisation and flexibility of the proposed arrangement (point 2.8)	15%		
Q4	Estimated duration and risk associated to the Preparation Phase (point 2.9)	5%		
Q5	Spotter airplane option (point 2.10 )	5%		

# c) Award criteria (point 15 of Tender Specifications): Price Award criteria



Price Award Criteria				
P1	Price per tonne of payload for the preparation and the first term of the stand-by phase (points 12.1 and 12.2)	15%		
P2	Price per tonne of payload for contracting the service in order to provide assistance (point 12.3)	15%		

# Timetable of the procurement procedure

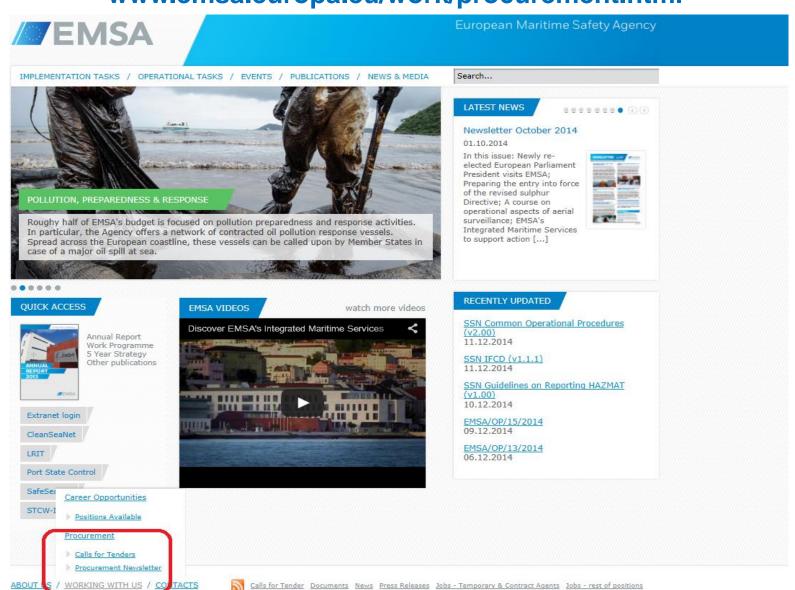


Event	Comment	Indicative date
Publication of the Contract Notice in the Official Journal	Procurement documentation available on EMSA website	6 December 2014
Final submission date	Submission of the <u>Bid</u> <u>Template + relevant</u> <u>documents</u>	23 February 2015
Evaluation Process	Awarding of contract	April/May 2015
Contract signature		May 2015

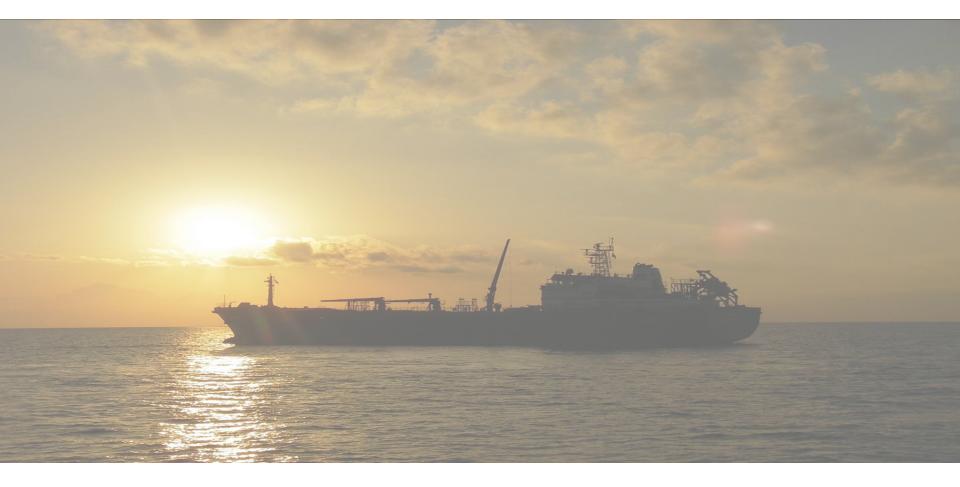
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