

i- CALL FOR TENDERS

Call for Tenders No.: 21-110542-A

Title: Expert in Airspace Design and Organisation

General: EUROCONTROL* is an intergovernmental organisation with 41 Member and 2 Comprehensive Agreement States. We are committed to building, together with our partners, a Single European Sky that will deliver the air traffic management (ATM) performance required for the twenty-first century and beyond.

Technical subject matter: This CFT is related to a task, essential for the execution of the Network Management Route Network Design Function. The task will also involve detailed expert understanding of the development of airspace design projects and operational performance evaluations included in the European Route Network Improvement Plan, including Free Route Airspace Projects, FAB integration and consistency with the European airspace structure.

The candidate contractor is expected to have a thorough knowledge of the airspace structure in Europe, of new ATM concepts and, in particular of the free route airspace concept and application. At the same time, the contractor must have a good understanding of the airspace utilisation and availability rules.

Since the basis for the assessments is the macroscopic analysis of the traffic within airspace structures, the high level of mastering the SAAM/NEST tools utilisation is a prerequisite.

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Main selection, assessment and award criteria:

TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT CRITERIA
Comprehensive detailed operational expert knowledge and experience airspace design
Comprehensive expert knowledge and experience in the utilisation of modelling tools
Experience in long term planning of airspace design, development and implementation activities and in existing operational concepts related to airspace design
A good knowledge of Network Management and FABs
Creation, update and maintenance of airspace design and utilisation databases in support of the execution of airspace design projects
Good knowledge of the future evolutions of the European airspace structures and the link to Free Route Airspace
Good knowledge of medium/long term evolutions with respect to new airspace design concepts related to FRA, cross-border airspace structures and ATS delegations
Good English speaking and writing skills
Good capacity to prepare concise operational and technical notes
Ability to present complex operational and technical issues in clear and comprehensive fashion

The economically most advantageous offer will be established in accordance with the following:

For the Technical tender, a weighting of 60% is applied, for the Financial tender, a weighting of 40%.

Tender closing date: **20-01-2022** at 15:00 CET

Point of Contact: If you wish to receive the Call for Tenders please see the “Important Notice” below and if you have any other related questions, please contact:

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