

## i- CALL FOR TENDERS

**Call for Tenders No.:** ECTL\_SRC\_220082

**Title:** ESCAPE Test & Support Activity

**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:**

Why do we need the support? EUROCONTROL is issuing this contract to ensure the provision of ESCAPE ATC simulator to internal or external users with high confidence of quality; in this sense, the software has to be integrated, verified and supported.

What will it be used for? Those releases will be used for internal projects (mainly Airspace Design simulations and Research Projects in scope of SESAR) and external ones (for Training purposes and Research Projects as well).

How the support links to EUROCONTROL's core priorities and what is critical to EUROCONTROL in relation to them? The provision of ESCAPE simulator is key in EUROCONTROL mandate vis-à-vis its member states; indeed Airspace Design and Research/Innovation are very important objectives wrt. EUROCONTROL Master Plan.

How will the contract assist EUROCONTROL in the performance of its functions? Providing adequate support in the provision of the ATC simulator will enable EUROCONTROL to support member states in improving the network and supporting research in Europe.

**Main selection, assessment and award criteria:**

TECHNICAL CAPACITY CRITERIA
Tenderers must have successfully dealt with previous projects that included Software Testing and Support to users.
Tenderers must have enough resources and eventually backup resources for all required skills

PASS/FAIL TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT CRITERIA
Tenderers must confirm they are fit for purpose for the CFT

### SUPPORTING EUROPEAN AVIATION

**Member States:** Albania, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Türkiye, Ukraine, United Kingdom.

**Comprehensive Agreement States:** Israel, Morocco.

<b>TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT CRITERIA</b>
Project Manager experience at least 3 years; ability to manage (the team and to interface with contractor organise tasks and follow up)
2 years of experience with Git and GitLab plus ability for quality matters (not necessarily ISO but profile)
2 years of experience in ATM for verification profile
A profile with 3 years expertise in scripts development to support profiles performing integration and support (perl or others)
English for support activity
Programming skills in C, Motif, PRO*C and Python/GTK for IPAS maintenance
3 years experience on ORACLE database and SQL language

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:** 12-04-2023 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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**If this Call for Tenders should interest you, please read the important information below:**

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1. If you are already registered in the EUROCONTROL Supplier Portal, you can search for this Call for Tenders, and its relevant documentation, in the “*View Active Negotiations*” section of the Supplier Portal.
2. If you are not yet registered as a EUROCONTROL supplier, please follow the process described on the following link: <https://www.Eurocontrol.int/portal/new-supplier-portal>
3. EUROCONTROL accepts no responsibility whatsoever for the completeness, accuracy and/or timeliness of the transmission of the electronic documents (nor for the electronic documents themselves).
4. Submission of tenders shall be made electronically and shall be exclusively made in strict accordance with the instructions given in the tendering documentation.
5. You may:
  - a) print out the documents;
  - b) forward the documents further on a strictly need to know basis (always fully acknowledging the source, i.e. EUROCONTROL), and
  - c) use print-outs of the electronic i-Call for Tenders documents for the submission of tenders (especially the Price Offer Form ref: I-TSF-E).
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  - a) modify, edit and/or change the electronic documents other than to submit the required info and to sign/stamp where required;
  - b) transmit such documents to any third person who has no need to know them;
  - c) post such documents on any private or public website;
  - d) alter the originating source (EUROCONTROL) and or copyright signs etc., and
  - e) transmit the documents without indication of the source.

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