



Provision of Temporary IT Resources

**Specific Contract Notification:
Analysis and Software development services
(dot NET, Informix 4GL and Powerbuilder)**

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This Specific Contract Notification is to announce that the Malta Information Technology Agency (MITA) will be publishing a specific contract under the Dynamic Purchasing System (DPS) for the provision of Temporary IT Resources in November 2019 for the procurement of Analysis and Software development services (dot NET, Informix 4GL and Powerbuilder) to maintain legacy applications.

Description of the procurement requirement

MITA will be issuing a specific contract for the procurement of software development services to assist MITA in the maintenance and support of current ICT Applications for one year, until a new Call for Tender (CFT) is issued to support both the Modernization initiative and maintenance of legacy applications for a period of three years. This may include alignments to the new architecture during the transitional periods. The services required will be as follows:

Three (3) resources on full time basis, with the option to provide an additional fourth one if requested by the Contracting Authority, for the duration of one (1) year to perform:

1. Requirements Analysis (includes also reviews of the current source code)
2. Software Development
3. Testing / Quality Assurance
4. Compilation of any technical documentation required throughout the Software Development Lifecycle
5. Assist in Incident Resolution (for example bug fixes, data patches)

Resources are to be provided as follows:

- **Resource 1** – INFORMIX 4GL, Stored Procedure Language (SPL) and ANSI SQL
- **Resource 2** – Powerbuilder and ANSI SQL
- **Resource 3** and **Resource 4** – Microsoft .NET (ASP.NET, MVC5 and Web API 2.0), Web Technologies (HTML 5, CSS3, JQuery and Bootstrap) and ANSI SQL

Resource 3 and **Resource 4** should be willing to learn Powerbuilder and Informix to assist the other resources if so requested by the Contracting Authority. The level of Powerbuilder and Informix knowledge expected is sufficient to be able to read, develop and amend source code if needed.

- Resources shall also possess good knowledge of UML standards to enable completion of modelling and visualizations during the compilation of Requirements Analysis and Design of software/system artefacts.
- Resources must also possess good communication skills with good command of the English language, both written and spoken.

As part of the Evaluation process, the resources proposed by the Participants shall undergo an interview.

Contractors are to provide the developer machines; any other development licences are to be included in the rate provided.

Unless otherwise mutually agreed with MITA, resources will be required to work from MITA premises for at least 80% of their time.

The mobilisation period for this engagement shall be of one (1) month and must be done entirely from MITA premises.

Budget

€270,000 exclusive of VAT

Estimated date of publication of Specific Contract

November 2019

Participation

MITA shall invite all those participants that are admitted to the DPS at the time of publication.

More information on the DPS, including on how to submit an application to be admitted to the DPS, and the relative selection process is available in the DPS documentation available to download from the Electronic Public Procurement System (EPPS) via the URL:

<https://www.etenders.gov.mt/epps/dps/prepareViewCfTDPSWS.do?resourceId=4592435>

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