



## **Invitation to Tender**

## **Destination Earth Initiative**

DE\_313\_bis Communication services

## **Amended Volume IA: Timetable for ITT**

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## **VOLUME IA - TIMETABLE FOR PROCUREMENT**

The timetable for this procurement exercise is hereby amended as follows (all times are CEST unless otherwise stated):

Contract Notice sent to OJEU and ITT publication date	Friday, 2 August 2024
Interested parties register their interest on the	Friday, 20 September 2024, 16:00 (CEST)
eProcurement Portal by	Monday, 30 September 2024, 16:00 (CEST)
Last date for clarification questions	Thursday, 5 September 2024 23:59:59 (CEST)
	Sunday, 15 September 2024, 23:59:59 (CEST)
Last date for publishing clarifications	Thursday, 12 September 2024
	Friday, 20 September 2024
Closing Date	Friday, 20 September 2024, 16:00 (CEST)
	Monday, 30 September 2024, 16:00 (CEST)
Evaluation	End September – October 2024
	October 2024
Negotiation of service details with preferred bidder(s) <sup>i</sup>	End October – December 2024
Sign Contract by	End December 2024

The Tenderer's response shall remain valid for a period of not less than 9 months after the Closing Date.

ECMWF reserves the right to postpone the dates from those published in this ITT.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Invitations to attend the negotiation meeting will be sent to preferred bidder(s) during October 2024