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NATO INVESTMENT COMMITTEE
(Attn: Investment Committee Representatives)

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Notification of UK National Competitive Bidding Plus Procurement for Fountain Lake Jetty

References:

a) NATO Authorisation: AC/4(PP)N(2026)0074, AC/4-DS(2026)0028
b) NATO Reference Number: NHQD398397
c) Title: Large Ship Berth Regeneration
d) Location: Portsmouth, United Kingdom.

Dear Colleagues,

I am writing to provide you with notification of the UK's procurement opportunity for the Fountain Lake Jetty at His Majesty's Naval Base Portsmouth. Following the pre-financing statement noted by the Investment Committee on 10 July (Ref A), the UK has now published its preliminary market engagement notice for the Main Works Contract. The procurement is open to eligible suppliers from all NATO Allies under National Competitive Bidding (NCB) Plus procedures.

Market engagement will run through early 2027, including a questionnaire and an anticipated Industry Day in Q1 2027**.** Interested parties should confirm their intention to participate via the Find a Tender notice by **11 January 2027**, with the engagement period closing on **26 February 2027.** The formal tender notice is currently expected to be published on **30 June 2027**. Full details are available here: Fountain Lake Jetty - Main Works Contract - Find a Tender.

I would encourage colleagues to flag the opportunity to interested national industries now, so that they can follow and participate in the market engagement ahead of the formal competition.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or UK Defence Infrastructure Organisation (DIO) Senior Commercial Manager, Robyn Murphy (Robyn.Murphy200@mod.gov.uk), should you have any questions or require additional information.

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