FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS
INVITATION TO TENDER NO. MOVE/A4/FV-104-212

STUDY ON:

"The consequences of a deliberate attack on different types of liquefied gas tankers and oil and chemical tankers"

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Q1: In the tender specification it states that the results of the study may be published. It is our view that the results of studies of this nature are particularly sensitive. We have direct experience of this type of work and would expect national security caveats to apply.

We would be grateful if you could let us know how the EU is expecting to publish the results of this study. Will it be possible to limit the distribution of the full report as per national security classification guidelines?

If you could clarify how the results of this study will be controlled and disseminated we would be grateful since this may have implications the Scope of Work we propose.

A1: Indeed, the study may be published, however, taking into consideration the sensitivity of the subject, the distribution will be limited to national authorities; an abstract or a reviewed version may be published to a wider audience.

Q2: We are working on our proposal for the Study on the consequences of a deliberate attack on different types of liquefied gas tankers and oil and chemical tankers.

We have at least one important question regarding the limitation of the scope of work:

Is the scope limited to sea going ships at ports near the sea? Or does it include all inland shipping as well?

A2: The tender specifications do not limit the scope of the study to this extent. Therefore, the offer can include inland shipping if it is deemed to be useful.