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**SUBJECT: EASO/2012/69 – DIRECT CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLIES OF IT EQUIPMENT  
EX ANTE PUBLICITY**

**I. Description of the supplies**

The European Asylum Support Office (EASO) is planning to purchase some IT equipments. More in detail, the requested supplies will include:

- Two middle range server;
- One manageable server switch with 10 and 1 GB ports and number of SFP + connectors;
- One 42U rack;
- Number of hard disk and USB memory sticks

As ancillary services, all equipment must include delivery to EASO premises and 3 years warranty.

**II. Description of the contract**

EASO envisages awarding a direct supply contract. The duration of the contract for the above mentioned ancillary services will be three years. The estimated maximum amount for this contract is € 60,000.

**III. Description of the procurement procedure**

This ex-ante publicity is the first stage of the negotiated procurement procedure with at least 5 economic operators through which EASO may award the above-mentioned contract.<sup>1</sup>

This publication has an indicative value and constitutes no obligation to award a contract for EASO nor to invite to tender for low value contracts procedures any economic operator having expressed its interest in participating.

Only the tenderers invited by the contracting authority to participate in a procedure for awarding low value contracts will be admissible.

Economic operators interested in being invited to participate in this procedure may express their interest by writing to [home-easo-tenders@ec.europa.eu](mailto:home-easo-tenders@ec.europa.eu) before 19/11/2012.<sup>2</sup>



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