Request for additional inputs on:

• Upgrade of current and development of next generation precision strike capabilities addressing:
  - Indirect Fire Support Capability (artillery, rockets), in particular from a cooperation perspective;

Q1. How does industry see the EU landscape? What are the current ongoing activities within the industry? Do you have already established roadmaps/work programmes?

Q2. What are the main challenges in the short, medium and long term?

Q3. Where do industry see the realization challenges?

Q4. What is the European add on?

• Improve Individual soldier equipment.

EU MS’ soldiers need to integrate CBRN protection and decontamination capabilities into personal equipment (CBRN protection, filters, self-healing materials), without compromising mobility or performance on the battlefield. Soldier's equipment will contribute to improved situational awareness, thanks the integration of embedded sensors, secure communications, processors and supporting decision-making aids into the equipment of individual soldiers. Energy management will become a new point of attention.
for the individual soldier. According to validated MS’ plans and programs, there are significant short, medium and long-term cooperation opportunities on infantry weaponry.

Q1. The first contribution by industry related mainly to R&T aspects. Besides this, what is the industry point of view of already existing products for individual soldier equipment to increase cooperation opportunities?

Q2. What are the main challenges in the short and medium term?

Q3. Where does industry see the realization challenges?

Q4. What is the European add on?