

## STRATEGIC CONTEXT CASES - INDUSTRY CONSULTATION PORTAL

## - CALL FOR CONTRIBUTIONS -

## PHASE 2 - FOLLOW-UP: 7 January - 15 February 2019

## 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?