e-CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

No.10-111028-A

AIRBORNE DATALINK EQUIPAGE

EUROCONTROL wishes to encourage airspace users to equip a number of aircraft with Datalink in conformance with the Datalink Service Implementing Rule published in the Official Journal of the European Community i.e. COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 29/2009 of 16 January 2009 laying down requirements on Datalink Services for the Single European Sky.

EUROCONTROL will act as an intermediary between the TEN-T Executive Agency (European Commission) and the Airspace Users and will manage funds made available by the European Commission under its European Economic Recovery Plan to accelerate Airborne Datalink Equipage.

EUROCONTROL shall let contracts with Airspace Users for the equipage of a defined number of aircraft.

The funding **shall** be for a maximum of 20% of the actual cost of the equipage.

Who should submit: **Airspace Users registered in Member States of the European Union and for aircraft predominantly flying in the airspace of the European Union.**

Closing date: **20 September 2010 15h00 (Brussels time)**

NOTE: After 10 September 2010 the call for applications documentation will in principle no longer be despatched**.**

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