

NEWS OF THE NEWS



Four new Project Arrangements (PA) were signed by participating EDA Member States in the margins of the EDA Steering Board meeting which took place on 23 March at the Agency: **Multimodal Transport Hub**; **ECMAN** (European Centre for Manual Neutralisation Capabilities); **PRCPC** (Personnel Recovery Controller and Planner Course) and **M3U** (Multinational Modular Medical Unit).



EDA consultation on impact of **3D-printing Additive Manufacturing** technologies on Defence. [Study report](#) will be available by December 2017. [Consultation is accessible online](#) up to Thursday, 30 April 2017. If you have any technical difficulty or if you need any further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the EDA contractor via dsg@prodintec.com.

PLACES TO BE



The European Network of National Safety Authorities on Ammunition (ENNSA) organises an Endorsement of Test Houses Workshop at FMV Karlsborg (Sweden) on 9-10 May 2017. It is open to industry experts and will include amongst others the demonstration of test assets for environment and precision qualification procedures. You can register still by sending an e-mail to: DTEB@eda.europa.eu



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Dual-Use Conference 2017 – Drones & Space will be organised by CenSec (Center for Defence, Space & Security) in DK and the European Commission in Aarhus (Denmark) on 4-5 May 2017. [Registration](#) is still open.



If you want to become a member of the Advisory Group for the Preparatory Action on Defence Research, European Commission just published the [Call for Applications](#) for the selection of members (deadline 21 April 2017). It is accessible under "Additional Information" from the Advisory Group page in the Register of Commission Expert Groups.

EDA PROCUREMENT



On-going [EDA procedure related to the Study \(17.CAT.OP.027\)](#) on technical and safety requirements for unmanned ground vehicles (UGVs). The deadline for submission is 03/05/2017 17:00.



On going [EDA procedure related to the study \(17.CPS.JP.022\)](#) on EU Satcom market — provision of communication and information system (CIS) services for headquarters and deployed forces. The deadline for submission is 15/05/2017 17:00.

HOT SPOT



The [new EDA project](#) aiming at **the development of a media and technology monitoring system for EDA** was launched with the Joint Research Centre (JRC) on March 23rd, 2017. This initiative represents a continuation of previous EDA Technology Watch activities and projects and has the purpose to increase access to high quality defence technology information for the Agency and its stakeholders



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