

**Thunderdome**  
**Request for Information (RFI) Number: DISA-OTA-R-21-SASE**  
**Amendment Five Questions and Answers**

1. Why does the primary focus seem to be on DevSecOps? Is the need for that specialty or for SASE? Section 3 seem to be more around a practice. We have an entire practice, and have provided the answers for how we perform that work with current customers and internally. I just want to confirm that is the focus.

**Answer: The primary focus is on the architecture and integration of SASE, virtual security containers, and SD-WAN. The Government is also interested in the company's DevSecOps practices.**

2. Is the ask for a full solution or is this just for the SASE solution (referenced in section 2 that only includes cloud access and users and device access), showing how it integrates with Zero Trust framework/ SD-WAN?

**Answer: The ask is for an architecture and integration of SASE, virtual security containers, and SD-WAN in order to realize zero trust concepts.**

3. If question 2 is obsolete, do they want a solution that includes SDWAN?

**Answer: The primary focus is on the architecture and integration of SASE, virtual security containers, and SD-WAN.**

4. Are there FedRamp requirements?

**Answer: The system will be accredited under the RMF process and must be able to get a full ATO for production.**

5. Would the government be interested in how we already have multiple SASE solutions installed in our Advanced technology center? With results from testing them in a white paper. We also are performing SASE Zero trust testing with the Zscaler, McAfee and Appgate Solutions for another DoD agency and have those labs available as well.

**Answer: Yes**

6. We can tie cloud environments into our Advanced technology center, as well as show how we currently operate in a DevSecOps manner when it comes to multi cloud. Would there be interest to see labs/POC we have currently running in our Advanced technology center?

**Answer: Yes**

7. How do we price out the Solution? Is it OTA costs or Production costs? Depending which you want, we will need accurate #s of users and devices to help build out aaaS offering as another acquisition offer.

**Answer: Please provide a rough order of magnitude to provide and integrate SASE, virtual security containers, and SD-WAN. Please be specific about how many users and devices this would cover in an**

***OTA, as well as the build out of the architecture and integration of SASE, virtual security containers and SD-WAN in order to satisfy zero trust concepts.***

8. Quick question, some of our team seem to think DISA will down select directly from the RFI. I do not think this is accurate. Can you confirm the RFI is for information only and any future down selects would come from another solicitation.

***Answer: DISA will down-select from RFI responses with invitations to Reverse Industry Day only. The RWP will be open for all to respond.***