

**INVITATION TO BID  
LABORATORY EQUIPMENT  
(ITB 2014-04-05)**

The SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION, through the SRA Corporate Operating Budget 2013 intends to apply the sum of Eight Million Seventy Thousand Pesos (Php8,070,000.00) being the total Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for SRA Purchase Request Nos. 14-2-071/14-3-088/LG14-03-132/14-2-085/14-3-120/14-3-118/LG14-03-133/ 14-3-087/LG14-03-111/LG14-03-134. Bids received in excess of the ABCs shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

The SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION now invites bids for:

LOT	ITEM	NO. OF UNITS	ABC
A	Saccharimeter	1	1,900,000.00
B	Spectrophotometer	2	1,600,000.00
C	Moisture Tester	1	1,500,000.00
D	Kjeldahl Nitrogen Digestion and Distillation Units	1	1,500,000.00
E	Water Distilling Apparatus	1	750,000.00
F	Drying Oven	1	600,000.00
G	Top-Loading Balance	1	100,000.00
H	Top-Loading Balance	1	60,000.00
I	Stirring Hot Plate	1	60,000.00

Delivery of the Goods is required 45 calendar days after receipt of Purchase Order. Bidders should have completed, within five (5) years from the date of submission and receipt of bids, a contract similar to the Project. The description of an eligible bidder is contained in the Bidding Documents, particularly, in Section II. Instructions to Bidders.

Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act".

Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships, partnerships, or organizations with at least sixty percent (60%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines, and to citizens or organizations of a country the laws or regulations of which grant similar rights or privileges to Filipino citizens, pursuant to RA 5183 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.

Interested bidders may obtain further information from SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during office hours, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested Bidders starting on **April 8, 2014** from the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents in the amount of **Php8,000.00**.

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

The Sugar Regulatory Administration will hold a **Pre-Bid Conference** on **April 22, 2014, 9:00 a.m.**, at the SRA Conference Room, Sugar Regulatory Administration, Bacolod City, which shall be open only to all interested parties who have purchased the Bidding Documents.

Bids must be delivered to the address below during the bid opening. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms stated in **ITB** Clause 18.

**Bid opening** shall be on **May 6, 2014, 9:00 a.m.** at the Conference Room of the Sugar Regulatory Administration. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late bids shall not be accepted.

The SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

For further information, please refer to:

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