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SUPPLEMENTAL/BID BULLETIN NO. 1

Supply and Delivery of Thirteen (13) units Farm Implements Bid Reference No. 2024-SIDA-08

With reference to the Bidding Documents for the Supply and Delivery of Thirteen (13) units Farm Implements, posted at the PhilGEPS and SRA websites, this Supplemental/Bid Bulletin is being issued after having conferred with the Technical Working Group and the Provisional Member/End-user Representative, to clarify, amend, and modify some items in the provisions of the Bidding Documents, in response to the recommendations raised by prospective bidders, as follows:

	Section III. E	Bid Data Sheet	
	From		To
ITB Clause 5.3	For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be: a. Agricultural Tractor-Drawn Implements	ITB Clause 5.3	For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project, as preferred by the end-user, shall be: a. Agricultural Tractor-drawn implements or Agricultural Tractor with Implements is allowed, provided however, that the contract price for the implements is identifiable/separable from that of the agricultural tractor, and provided further that the threshold amount indicated in the SLCC remains.
ITB Clause 20.2	Certificate of Conformity of the unit/model from BAFE	ITB Clause 20.2	Certificate of Conformity of the unit/model from BAFE

	Section VII. Technical Specifications					
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A.4	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy, fully welded joints, Category II, adaptable for 90 Hp tractor or higher, 9-10 discs (24"x 6mm thick) per gang attached to a rigid and durable frame, with standard spools, heavy duty bearings, gangs in offset orientation, notched front discs, plain rear discs complete with scraper (scraper frame 1 Ã, Â1/2 in. or its equivalent), hydraulic cylinder, hydraulic hose, pneumatic tires, hitch pins and locks. Imported discs must be made of carbon steel materials and mild steel for frames, gang axle, scraper and cast iron for spools. Gear boxes shall be equipped with grease fittings. Complete with its accessories	A.4	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy, fully welded joints, Category II, adaptable for 90 Hp tractor or higher, 9-10 discs (24"x 6mm thick) per gang attached to a rigid and durable frame, with standard spools, heavy duty bearings, gangs in offset orientation, notched front discs, plain rear discs complete with scraper (scraper frame 1 Ã, Â1/2 in. or its equivalent), hydraulic cylinder, hydraulic hose, pneumatic tires, hitch pins and locks. Imported discs must be made of carbon steel materials and mild steel for frames, gang axle, scraper and cast iron for spools. Gear boxes shall be equipped with grease fittings. Complete with its accessories Or Plain or notched type of discs in front and rear gangs are allowed.			
A.6	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated	A.6	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated			
	with good workmanship and metallurgy,		with good workmanship and metallurgy,			
A SOLID	fully welded joints, Category II, three-point		fully welded joints, Category II, three-point			











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A.7	Other Requirements:	A.7	Other Requirements during Post- qualification:
A.11	Certificate of Conformity of the unit/model from BAFE	A.11	Certificate of Conformity of the unit/model from BAFE
A.18	Warranty Period/ Coverage of Warranty: Three (3) years on parts and services	A.18	Warranty Period/ Coverage of Warranty: Three (3) years on services and parts (coverage on frame and gang only)

Responses to Prospective Bidder's Queries:

Bidder	Item	SRA Requirement/ Specification	Recommendations	Comments
FORD TRACTOR PHILIPPINES	Section III. Bid Data Sheet	ITB Clause 5.3 For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be: a. Agricultural Tractor-Drawn Implements	a. SLCC: Agricultural Tractor with Implements. Rationale: Most of the procurements of the Department of Agriculture and other Government Agencies always included implements in their tractor purchase.	a. SLCC: Agricultural Tractor-Drawn Implements or Agricultural Tractor with Implements is allowed, provided however, that the contract price for the agricultural tractor is identifiable/separable from that of the implements, and provided further that the threshold amount indicated in the SLCC remains.
	Section III. Bid Data Sheet / Section VII. Technical Specifications	ITB Clause 20.2 / Item A.11 Certificate of Conformity from BAFE	ITB Clause 20.2 / Item A.11 Requesting to omit this requirement and attach AMTEC only.	ACCEPTED. To omit from the list of requirements the Certificate of Conformity from BAFE.
FILHOLAND CORPORATION	Section VII. Technical Specifications	Items A.1-A.2 Moldboard Plough, 13 units Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy, fully welded joints, rigid and durable frame, Category II, adaptable for 90 Hp tractor or higher, three bottoms, three-point hitching system, adjustable and detachable shanks using appropriate clamps, bolts and nuts, minimum	Items A.1-A.2 Requesting to retain heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy.	ACCEPTED.

	working depth of 16 inches (40.64 cm),		
	complete with parking		
	stand, set of hitch pins,		
	locks, other accessories		
	and set of tools		
Section VII. Technical	Items A.3-A.4	Items A.3-A.4	ACCEPTED.
Specifications	Trailing Disc Harrow, 13 units	Requesting to retain heavy duty, locally	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with
Specifications	Brand new, heavy duty,	fabricated with good	good workmanship and
	locally fabricated with	workmanship and	metallurgy, Category II,
	good workmanship and	metallurgy.	fully welded joints,
	metallurgy, fully welded	Requesting further to	adaptable for 90 Hp tractor
	joints, Category II, adaptable for 90 Hp	allow plain or notched type of discs in front and	or higher, 9-10 discs (24"x 6mm thick) per gang
	tractor or higher, 9-10	rear gangs (not only	attached to a rigid and
	discs (24"x 6mm thick)	notched front discs).	durable frame, with
	per gang attached to a	Rationale: This request	standard spools, heavy
	rigid and durable frame,	was granted in last year's	duty bearings, gangs in
	with standard spools, heavy duty bearings,	Supplemental Bid Bulletin No.1 (Bid Ref#: 2023-	offset orientation, notched front discs, plain rear discs
	gangs in offset	SIDA-13) under A.11	complete with scraper
	orientation, notched	amendment.	(scraper frame 1 Å, Å1/2
	front discs, plain rear		in. or its equivalent),
	discs complete with		hydraulic cylinder,
	scraper (scraper frame 1 \tilde{A} , \hat{A} 1/2 in. or its		hydraulic hose, pneumatic tires, hitch pins and locks.
	equivalent), hydraulic		Imported discs must be
	cylinder, hydraulic hose,		made of carbon steel
	pneumatic tires, hitch		materials and mild steel
	pins and locks. Imported		for frames, gang axle,
	discs must be made of carbon steel materials		scraper and cast iron for spools. Gear boxes shall
	and mild steel for		be equipped with grease
	frames, gang axle,		fittings. Complete with its
	scraper and cast iron for		accessories
	spools. Gear boxes shall		Or
	be equipped with grease fittings. Complete with		Plain or notched type of discs in front and rear
	its accessories		gangs are allowed.
Section VII.	Items A.5-A.6	Items A.5-A.6	ACCEPTED.
Technical	Furrower, 13 units	Requesting to retain	
Specifications	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with	heavy duty, locally	
	good workmanship and	fabricated with good workmanship and	
	metallurgy, fully welded	metallurgy.	
	joints, Category II,	5.	
	three-point hitching		
	system, adaptable for 90 Hp tractor or higher,		
	three detachable and		
	adjustable shanks (1 ½"		
	thick) using appropriate		
	clamps attached to a		
	rigid and durable frame, complete with bolts and		
	nuts, minimum furrow		
	depth of 12 inches		
	(30cm), complete with		
	parking stand, hitch		
	pins, locks and its set of tools. Cast iron and/or		
	mild steel should be		
	used in the manufacture		
	of the moldboard,		
	standard, frame,		
	landside and frog. Carbon steel for the		
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		share. Designed for		
	Section III. Bid Data Sheet / Section VII. Technical Specifications	ITB Clause 20.2 / Item A.11 Certificate of Conformity from BAFE	Requesting to consider AMTEC Test Result as replacement to Certificate of Conformity (CC). Rationale: This request was granted in last year's Supplemental Bid Bulletin No.1 (Bid Ref#: 2023-SIDA-13) under A.23 amendment.	ACCEPTED. To omit from the list of requirements the Certificate of Conformity from BAFE.
	Section VII. Technical Specifications	Item A.18 Warranty Period/ Coverage of Warranty: Three (3) years on parts and services	Requesting for the warranty coverage on frame and gang only.	ACCEPTED. Warranty Period/ Coverage of Warranty: Three (3) years on services and parts (coverage on frame and gang only).
	Section III. Bid Data Sheet	ITB Clause 5.3 For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be: a. Agricultural Tractor-Drawn Implements b. completed within five (5) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids	a. SLCC: Requesting to maintain the Agricultural Tractor-drawn Implements only, NOT Tractor with Implements. SLCC shall be completed within three (3) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.	a. SLCC: Agricultural Tractor-Drawn Implements or Agricultural Tractor with Implements is allowed, provided however, that the contract price for the agricultural tractor is identifiable/separable from that of the implements, and provided further that the threshold amount indicated in the SLCC remains. DENIED. Contracts similar to the Project shall be completed within five (5) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
ALL CERTIFIED EQUIPMENT TRADING CORPORATION	Section VII. Technical Specifications	Items A.5-A.6 Furrower, 13 units Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy, fully welded joints, Category II, three-point hitching system, adaptable for 90 Hp tractor or higher, three detachable and adjustable shanks (1 ½" thick) using appropriate clamps attached to a rigid and durable frame, complete with bolts and nuts, minimum furrow depth of 12 inches (30cm), complete with parking stand, hitch pins, locks and its set of tools. Cast iron and/or mild steel should be	To confirm if the furrow distance for sugarcane application is between 1.2m – 1.5m. Rationale: To confirm the specific furrow distance desired by the end-user for sugarcane production.	Must be designed for 1.5m furrow distance.

	Section III. Bid Data Sheet / Section VII. Technical Specifications	used in the manufacture of the moldboard, standard, frame, landside and frog. Carbon steel for the share. Designed for sugarcane production ITB Clause 20.2 / Item A.11 Certificate of Conformity from BAFE	Requesting to consider AMTEC Test Result as equivalent to Certificate of Conformity. Rationale: AMTEC Test Result can suffice for the technical data for each implement.	ACCEPTED. To omit from the list of requirements the Certificate of Conformity from BAFE.
	Section VII. Technical Specifications	Item A.18 Warranty Period/ Coverage of Warranty: Three (3) years on parts and services	Requesting to limit only on major parts of the implement such as frame and gang frame. Rationale: Implements such as mould board, trailing disc harrow, and furrower are all soil engaging and it is susceptible for wear and tear on its consumable parts (bearing disc and blade). In addition, consumable parts may also be damaged due to improper usage and soil condition and terrain of end-users will also vary.	ACCEPTED. Warranty Period/ Coverage of Warranty: Three (3) years on services and parts (coverage on frame and gang only).
	Section VI. Schedule of Requirements	Delivery Period: sixty (60) calendar days upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed	Requesting to consider to extend the delivery period to ninety (90) calendar days upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed Rationale: These implements will take time to manufacture.	DENIED. To retain the sixty (60) calendar days delivery period. These are common implements suppliers supplied to local farmers; thus, fabrication of such implements is not that difficult.
ABOMAR EQUIPMENT SALES CORPORATION	Section VII. Technical Specifications	Items A.1-A.2 Moldboard Plough, 13 units Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy, fully welded joints, rigid and durable frame, Category II, adaptable for 90 Hp tractor or higher, three bottoms, three-point hitching system, adjustable and detachable shanks using appropriate clamps, bolts and nuts, minimum working depth of 16 inches (40.64 cm), complete with parking stand, set of hitch pins, locks, other accessories and set of tools	Requesting to allow the supply of imported/overseas sourced farm implements. Rationale: To give equal opportunity to suppliers.	DENIED. Imported farm implements. The end user and its team shall stick with the locally fabricated implements. We have seen enough (by experience) that our local fabricators can provide quality farm implements for sugarcane production. Also, this is in support of our local fabricators.

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Section VII.	Items A.3-A.4	Requesting to allow the	DENIED.
Technical	Trailing Disc Harrow,	supply of	Imported farm
Specifications	13 units	imported/overseas	implements.
	Brand new, heavy duty,	sourced farm	The end user and its team
	locally fabricated with	implements.	shall stick with the locally
	good workmanship and	Rationale: To give equal	fabricated implements.
	metallurgy, fully welded	opportunity to suppliers.	We have seen enough (by
	joints, Category II,		experience) that our local
	adaptable for 90 Hp		fabricators can provide
	tractor or higher, 9-10 discs (24"x 6mm thick)		quality farm implements
			for sugarcane production. Also, this is in support of
	per gang attached to a rigid and durable frame,		our local fabricators.
	with standard spools,		our local fabricators.
	heavy duty bearings,		
	gangs in offset		
	orientation, notched		
	front discs, plain rear		
	discs complete with		
	scraper (scraper frame 1		
	\tilde{A} , $\hat{A}1/2$ in. or its		
	equivalent), hydraulic		
	cylinder, hydraulic hose,		
	pneumatic tires, hitch		
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Specifications	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and	imported/overseas sourced farm implements.	implements.
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Specifications	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy, fully welded joints, Category II, three-point hitching	imported/overseas sourced farm implements. Rationale: To give equal	implements. The end user and its team shall stick with the locally fabricated implements.
Specifications	Brand new, heavy duty, locally fabricated with good workmanship and metallurgy, fully welded joints, Category II, three-point hitching system, adaptable for 90	imported/overseas sourced farm implements. Rationale: To give equal	implements. The end user and its team shall stick with the locally fabricated implements. We have seen enough (by experience) that our local fabricators can provide
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AGRICOM VISAYAS INC.	Section III. Bid Data Sheet / Section VII. Technical Specifications	ITB Clause 20.2 / Item A.11 Certificate of Conformity from BAFE	Requesting to consider Certificate of Conformity or AMTEC Test Report. Rationale: To require either one of the documents to be submitted during the bid opening since the issuance of the Certificate of Conformity depends on the compliance with the PAES/PABES which will be tested by the AMTEC. Additionally, all offered implements has passed the minimum requirements set for Philippine standard.	ACCEPTED. To omit from the list of requirements the Certificate of Conformity from BAFE.
	Section VII. Technical Specifications	Item A.7 Other Requirements:	To recommend keeping the AMTEC Test Result, Permit to Operate and NAMDAC Certificate of Accreditation as requirement during bid opening. Rationale: These documents are essential basis whether the bidder is eligible to participate in the procurement process.	DENIED. Additional documents shall be required during post-qualification. This is in adherence to NPM No. 91-2014.
	Section VI. Schedule of Requirements	Delivery Period: sixty (60) calendar days upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed	To consider to extend the delivery period to ninety (90) calendar days upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed Rationale: These implements will take time to be fabricated and assembled locally.	DENIED. To retain the sixty (60) calendar days delivery period. These are common implements suppliers supplied to local farmers; thus, fabrication of such implements is not that difficult.

The Supplemental/Bid Bulletin No. 1 shall form part of the Bidding Documents. Any provisions in the Bidding Documents inconsistent herewith is hereby amended, modified and superseded accordingly.

For the guidance and information of all concerned.

Issued this 8th day of July 2024.

ATTY. GUILLERMO C. TEJIDA III

Chairperson, Regional Bids and Awards Committee