## PHILIPPINE BIDDING DOCUMENTS

## SUPPLY OF JANITORIAL SERVICES FOR THREE (3) YEARS

2023-COB-01

for

Sugar Regulatory Administration

### **Preface**

These Philippine Bidding Documents (PBDs) for the procurement of Goods through Competitive Bidding have been prepared by the Government of the Philippines for use by any branch, constitutional commission or office, agency, department, bureau, office, or instrumentality of the Government of the Philippines, National Government Agencies, including Government-Owned and/or Controlled Corporations, Government Financing Institutions, State Universities and Colleges, and Local Government Unit. The procedures and practices presented in this document have been developed through broad experience, and are for mandatory use in projects that are financed in whole or in part by the Government of the Philippines or any foreign government/foreign or international financing institution in accordance with the provisions of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184.

The Bidding Documents shall clearly and adequately define, among others: (i) the objectives, scope, and expected outputs and/or results of the proposed contract or Framework Agreement, as the case may be; (ii) the eligibility requirements of Bidders; (iii) the expected contract or Framework Agreement duration, the estimated quantity in the case of procurement of goods, delivery schedule and/or time frame; and (iv) the obligations, duties, and/or functions of the winning bidder.

Care should be taken to check the relevance of the provisions of the PBDs against the requirements of the specific Goods to be procured. If duplication of a subject is inevitable in other sections of the document prepared by the Procuring Entity, care must be exercised to avoid contradictions between clauses dealing with the same matter.

Moreover, each section is prepared with notes intended only as information for the Procuring Entity or the person drafting the Bidding Documents. They shall not be included in the final documents. The following general directions should be observed when using the documents:

- a. All the documents listed in the Table of Contents are normally required for the procurement of Goods. However, they should be adapted as necessary to the circumstances of the particular Procurement Project.
- b. Specific details, such as the "name of the Procuring Entity" and "address for bid submission," should be furnished in the Instructions to Bidders, Bid Data Sheet, and Special Conditions of Contract. The final documents should contain neither blank spaces nor options.
- c. This Preface and the footnotes or notes in italics included in the Invitation to Bid, Bid Data Sheet, General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions of Contract, Schedule of Requirements, and Specifications are not part of the text of the final document, although they contain instructions that the Procuring Entity should strictly follow.

- d. The cover should be modified as required to identify the Bidding Documents as to the Procurement Project, Project Identification Number, and Procuring Entity, in addition to the date of issue.
- e. Modifications for specific Procurement Project details should be provided in the Special Conditions of Contract as amendments to the Conditions of Contract. For easy completion, whenever reference has to be made to specific clauses in the Bid Data Sheet or Special Conditions of Contract, these terms shall be printed in bold typeface on Sections I (Instructions to Bidders) and III (General Conditions of Contract), respectively.
- f. For guidelines on the use of Bidding Forms and the procurement of Foreign-Assisted Projects, these will be covered by a separate issuance of the Government Procurement Policy Board.

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# Glossary of Acronyms, Terms, and Abbreviations

ABC - Approved Budget for the Contract.

**BAC** – Bids and Awards Committee.

**Bid** – A signed offer or proposal to undertake a contract submitted by a bidder in response to and in consonance with the requirements of the bidding documents. Also referred to as *Proposal* and *Tender*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[c])

**Bidder** – Refers to a contractor, manufacturer, supplier, distributor and/or consultant who submits a bid in response to the requirements of the Bidding Documents. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[d])

**Bidding Documents** – The documents issued by the Procuring Entity as the bases for bids, furnishing all information necessary for a prospective bidder to prepare a bid for the Goods, Infrastructure Projects, and/or Consulting Services required by the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[e])

BIR - Bureau of Internal Revenue

BSP - Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas.

Consulting Services – Refer to services for Infrastructure Projects and other types of projects or activities of the GOP requiring adequate external technical and professional expertise that are beyond the capability and/or capacity of the GOP to undertake such as, but not limited to: (i) advisory and review services; (ii) pre-investment or feasibility studies; (iii) design; (iv) construction supervision; (v) management and related services; and (vi) other technical services or special studies. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[i])

**CDA** - Cooperative Development Authority.

Contract – Refers to the agreement entered into between the Procuring Entity and the Supplier or Manufacturer or Distributor or Service Provider for procurement of Goods and Services; Contractor for Procurement of Infrastructure Projects; or Consultant or Consulting Firm for Procurement of Consulting Services; as the case may be, as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.

CIF - Cost Insurance and Freight.

CIP - Carriage and Insurance Paid.

**CPI** – Consumer Price Index.

**DDP** – Refers to the quoted price of the Goods, which means "delivered duty paid."

DTI – Department of Trade and Industry.

**EXW** – Ex works.

FCA - "Free Carrier" shipping point.

FOB - "Free on Board" shipping point.

**Foreign-funded Procurement or Foreign-Assisted Project**—Refers to procurement whose funding source is from a foreign government, foreign or international financing institution as specified in the Treaty or International or Executive Agreement. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[b]).

Framework Agreement – Refers to a written agreement between a procuring entity and a supplier or service provider that identifies the terms and conditions, under which specific purchases, otherwise known as "Call-Offs," are made for the duration of the agreement. It is in the nature of an option contract between the procuring entity and the bidder(s) granting the procuring entity the option to either place an order for any of the goods or services identified in the Framework Agreement List or not buy at all, within a minimum period of one (1) year to a maximum period of three (3) years. (GPPB Resolution No. 27-2019)

**GFI** – Government Financial Institution.

GOCC - Government-owned and/or -controlled corporation.

Goods – Refer to all items, supplies, materials and general support services, except Consulting Services and Infrastructure Projects, which may be needed in the transaction of public businesses or in the pursuit of any government undertaking, project or activity, whether in the nature of equipment, furniture, stationery, materials for construction, or personal property of any kind, including non-personal or contractual services such as the repair and maintenance of equipment and furniture, as well as trucking, hauling, janitorial, security, and related or analogous services, as well as procurement of materials and supplies provided by the Procuring Entity for such services. The term "related" or "analogous services" shall include, but is not limited to, lease or purchase of office space, media advertisements, health maintenance services, and other services essential to the operation of the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[r])

GOP – Government of the Philippines.

**GPPB** – Government Procurement Policy Board.

INCOTERMS - International Commercial Terms

ITB - Instruction to Bidders

Infrastructure Projects – Include the construction, improvement, rehabilitation, demolition, repair, restoration or maintenance of roads and bridges, railways, airports, seaports, communication facilities, civil works components of information technology projects, irrigation, flood control and drainage, water supply, sanitation, sewerage and solid waste

management systems, shore protection, energy/power and electrification facilities, national buildings, school buildings, hospital buildings, and other related construction projects of the government. Also referred to as *civil works or works*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[u])

LGUs - Local Government Units.

NFCC - Net Financial Contracting Capacity.

NGA - National Government Agency.

PhilGEPS - Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System.

**Procurement Project** – refers to a specific or identified procurement covering goods, infrastructure project or consulting services. A Procurement Project shall be described, detailed, and scheduled in the Project Procurement Management Plan prepared by the agency which shall be consolidated in the procuring entity's Annual Procurement Plan. (GPPB Circular No. 06-2019 dated 17 July 2019)

**PSA** – Philippine Statistics Authority.

**SEC** – Securities and Exchange Commission.

**SLCC** – Single Largest Completed Contract.

**Supplier** – refers to a citizen, or any corporate body or commercial company duly organized and registered under the laws where it is established, habitually established in business and engaged in the manufacture or sale of the merchandise or performance of the general services covered by his bid. (Item 3.8 of GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019, dated 23 May 2019). Supplier as used in these Bidding Documents may likewise refer to a distributor, manufacturer, contractor, or consultant.

UN - United Nations.

## Section I. Invitation to Bid

#### Notes on the Invitation to Bid

The Invitation to Bid (IB) provides information that enables potential Bidders to decide whether to participate in the procurement at hand. The IB shall be posted in accordance with Section 21.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

Apart from the essential items listed in the Bidding Documents, the IB should also indicate the following:

- a. The date of availability of the Bidding Documents, which shall be from the time the IB is first advertised/posted until the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids;
- b. The place where the Bidding Documents may be acquired or the website where it may be downloaded;
- c. The deadline for the submission and receipt of bids; and
- d. Any important bid evaluation criteria (e.g., the application of a margin of preference in bid evaluation).

The IB should be incorporated in the Bidding Documents. The information contained in the IB must conform to the Bidding Documents and in particular to the relevant information in the Bid Data Sheet.



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## INVITATION TO BID FOR SUPPLY OF JANITORIAL SERVICES FOR THREE (3) YEARS 2023-COB-01

1. The SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION, through the Corporate Operating Budget 2023 intends to apply the sum of One Million Eight Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Two Pesos and Forty-Nine Centavos (\$\mathbb{P}\$1,822,462.49) for the first year only being the ABC for payments under one Multi-Year contract for Supply of Janitorial Services for Three (3) Years / 2023-COB-01. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

Janitorial Services shall mean cleaning, landscape maintenance, and other assistance connected to the operations of SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION offices and grounds in the Visayas.

- 2. The SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Work shall commence on June 8, 2023 which shall be the start of the Contract. Bidders should have completed, within five (5) years from the date of submission and receipt of bids, a contract similar to the Project plus it must adhere to the description of an eligible bidder as contained in the Bidding Documents, particularly, in Section II (Instructions to Bidders).
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
  - 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 No. 5183.
- Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on May 4, 2023 until May 29, 2023 from the given address and website(s) below and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of ₱1,800.00. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees in person or through electronic means.





- 6. The SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on May 15, 2023; 9:30 A.M. at the Conference Room, SRA, Araneta St., Singcang, Bacolod City. This shall be open to prospective bidders who shall have the option to attend either physically or through video conferencing via Zoom or Google Meets platforms. A Link will be given to those interested in bidding for the Procurement Project.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the office address indicated below, on or before May 29, 2023; 9:00 A.M. Late bids shall not be accepted.
- 8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 14.
- 9. Bid opening shall be on May 29, 2023; 9:30 A.M. at the given address below and will be made available via Zoom or Google Meet platform for those who choose to attend virtually. A Link will be given to those interested in bidding for the Procurement Project. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
- 10. The SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION reserves the right to reject any and all bids, declare a failure of bidding, or not award the contract at any time prior to contract award in accordance with Sections 35.6 and 41 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
- 11. For further information, please refer to:

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12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: www.sra.gov.ph

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May 3, 2023

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Chairperson

Regional Bids and Awards Committee

## Section II. Instructions to Bidders

#### Notes on the Instructions to Bidders

This Section on the Instruction to Bidders (ITB) provides the information necessary for bidders to prepare responsive bids, in accordance with the requirements of the Procuring Entity. It also provides information on bid submission, eligibility check, opening and evaluation of bids, post-qualification, and on the award of contract.

#### 1. Scope of Bid

The Procuring Entity, SUGAR REGULATORY ADMINISTRATION wishes to receive Bids for the Supply of **Janitorial Services for Three (3) Years**, with identification number 2023-COB-01.

Janitorial Services shall include provision of professional and adequate janitorial services in SRA-Bacolod premises and SRA-Cebu office as provided for in its Bid offer and other bid documents. In addition, the daily cleaning activities of sanitary crews shall consist of, but shall not limited to, the following:

- a) Sweeping, mopping, polishing off all floor areas;
- b) Cleaning, wiping glass panels, including windows and doors;
- c) Cleaning/sanitizing of comfort rooms/urinals and all offices;
- d) Comfort and washrooms cleaned, sanitized and disinfected using sanitizing and disinfecting agents before office hours;
- e) Clean all kinds of grime, dirt, dust stains, slots and cobwebs;
- f) Maintain sheen and gloss of all kinds of surface, including furniture and fixtures;
- g) Clean all sorts of litter, garbage or trash with strategically situated trashcans and bins;
- h) Keep alleys and car parks free from all sorts of trash, garbage and litter;
- i) Trim and properly clean lawns at least once a week; and
- j) Perform messengerial and other related services as the need arises.

The Procurement Project (referred to herein as "Project") is composed of one (1) lot, the details of which are described in Section VII (Technical Specifications).

### 2. Funding Information

- 2.1. The GOP through the source of funding as indicated below for 2023 in the amount of One Million Eight Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Two Pesos and Forty-Nine Centavos (₱1,822,462.49) for the first year only although the duration is 3 years. The provisions on Multi-Year Contract under Appendix 23 of 2016 rev. IRR of RA 9184.
- 2.2. The source of funding is: Corporate Operating Budget.

#### 3. Bidding Requirements

The Bidding for the Project shall be governed by all the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including its Generic Procurement Manuals and associated policies, rules and regulations as the primary source thereof, while the herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source thereof.

Any amendments made to the IRR and other GPPB issuances shall be applicable only to the ongoing posting, advertisement, or **IB** by the BAC through the issuance of a supplemental or bid bulletin.

The Bidder, by the act of submitting its Bid, shall be deemed to have verified and accepted the general requirements of this Project, including other factors that may affect the cost, duration and execution or implementation of the contract, project, or work and examine all instructions, forms, terms, and project requirements in the Bidding Documents.

#### 4. Corrupt, Fraudulent, Collusive, and Coercive Practices

The Procuring Entity, as well as the Bidders and Suppliers, shall observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of the contract. They or through an agent shall not engage in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, and obstructive practices defined under Annex "I" of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 or other integrity violations in competing for the Project.

#### 5. Eligible Bidders

- 5.1. Only Bids of Bidders found to be legally, technically, and financially capable will be evaluated.
- 5.2. Foreign ownership limited to those allowed under the rules may participate in this Project.
- 5.3. Pursuant to Section 23.4.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No.9184, the Bidder shall have an SLCC that is at least one (1) contract similar to the Project the value of which, adjusted to current prices using the PSA's CPI, must be at least equivalent to:

For the procurement of Non-expendable Supplies and Services: The Bidder must have completed a single contract that is similar to this Project, equivalent to at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC.

5.4. The Bidders shall comply with the eligibility criteria under Section 23.4.1 of the 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.

### 6. Origin of Goods

There is no restriction on the origin of goods other than those prohibited by a decision of the UN Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the UN, subject to Domestic Preference requirements under ITB Clause 18.

#### 7. Subcontracts

7.1. The Procuring Entity has prescribed that Subcontracting is not allowed.

#### 8. Pre-Bid Conference

The Procuring Entity will hold a pre-bid conference for this Project on the specified date and time and either at its physical address at the Conference Room, SRA, Araneta St., Singcang, Bacolod City and/or through videoconferencing/webcasting as indicated in paragraph 6 of the **IB**.

#### 9. Clarification and Amendment of Bidding Documents

Prospective bidders may request for clarification on and/or interpretation of any part of the Bidding Documents. Such requests must be in writing and received by the Procuring Entity, either at its given address or through electronic mail indicated in the **IB**, at least ten (10) calendar days before the deadline set for the submission and receipt of Bids.

#### 10. Documents comprising the Bid: Eligibility and Technical Components

- 10.1. The first envelope shall contain the eligibility and technical documents of the Bid as specified in Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents).
- 10.2. The Bidder's SLCC as indicated in **ITB** Clause 5.3 should have been completed within five (5) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
- 10.3. If the eligibility requirements or statements, the bids, and all other documents for submission to the BAC are in foreign language other than English, it must be accompanied by a translation in English, which shall be authenticated by the appropriate Philippine foreign service establishment, post, or the equivalent office having jurisdiction over the foreign bidder's affairs in the Philippines. Similar to the required authentication above, for Contracting Parties to the Apostille Convention, only the translated documents shall be authenticated through an apostille pursuant to GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019 dated 23 May 2019. The English translation shall govern, for purposes of interpretation of the bid.

### 11. Documents comprising the Bid: Financial Component

- 11.1. The second bid envelope shall contain the financial documents for the Bid as specified in Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents).
- 11.2. If the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity, a certification issued by DTI shall be provided by the Bidder in accordance with Section 43.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 11.3. Any bid exceeding the ABC indicated in paragraph 1 of the **IB** shall not be accepted.
- 11.4. For Foreign-funded Procurement, a ceiling may be applied to bid prices provided the conditions are met under Section 31.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

#### 12. Bid Prices

- 12.1. Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall be entered separately in the following manner:
  - a. For Goods offered from within the Procuring Entity's country:
    - i. The price of the Goods quoted EXW (ex-works, ex-factory, exwarehouse, ex-showroom, or off-the-shelf, as applicable);
    - ii. The cost of all customs duties and sales and other taxes already paid or payable;
    - iii. The cost of transportation, insurance, and other costs incidental to delivery of the Goods to their final destination; and
    - iv. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, listed in the **BDS**.
  - b. For Goods offered from abroad:
    - i. Unless otherwise stated in the **BDS**, the price of the Goods shall be quoted delivered duty paid (DDP) with the place of destination in the Philippines as specified in the **BDS**. In quoting the price, the Bidder shall be free to use transportation through carriers registered in any eligible country. Similarly, the Bidder may obtain insurance services from any eligible source country.
    - ii. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, as listed in the **BDS**.

#### 13. Bid and Payment Currencies

- 13.1. For Goods that the Bidder will supply from outside the Philippines, the bid prices may be quoted in the local currency or tradeable currency accepted by the BSP at the discretion of the Bidder. However, for purposes of bid evaluation, Bids denominated in foreign currencies, shall be converted to Philippine currency based on the exchange rate as published in the BSP reference rate bulletin on the day of the bid opening.
- 13.2. Payment of the contract price shall be made in: Philippine Pesos.

### 14. Bid Security

14.1. The Bidder shall submit a Bid Securing Declaration<sup>1</sup> or any form of Bid Security in the amount indicated in the **BDS**, which shall be not less than the percentage of the ABC in accordance with the schedule in the **BDS**.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In the case of Framework Agreement, the undertaking shall refer to entering into contract with the Procuring Entity and furnishing of the performance security or the performance securing declaration within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of Notice to Execute Framework Agreement.

14.2. The Bid and bid security shall be valid until September 26, 2023. Any Bid not accompanied by an acceptable bid security shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.

#### 15. Sealing and Marking of Bids

Each Bidder shall submit one copy of the first and second components of its Bid.

The Procuring Entity may request additional hard copies and/or electronic copies of the Bid. However, failure of the Bidders to comply with the said request shall not be a ground for disqualification.

If the Procuring Entity allows the submission of bids through online submission or any other electronic means, the Bidder shall submit an electronic copy of its Bid, which must be digitally signed. An electronic copy that cannot be opened or is corrupted shall be considered non-responsive and, thus, automatically disqualified.

#### 16. Deadline for Submission of Bids

16.1. The Bidders shall submit on the specified date and time and either at its physical address or through online submission as indicated in paragraph 7 of the **IB**.

#### 17. Opening and Preliminary Examination of Bids

17.1. The BAC shall open the Bids in public at the time, on the date, and at the place specified in paragraph 9 of the IB. The Bidders' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance. In case videoconferencing, webcasting or other similar technologies will be used, attendance of participants shall likewise be recorded by the BAC Secretariat.

In case the Bids cannot be opened as scheduled due to justifiable reasons, the rescheduling requirements under Section 29 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 shall prevail.

17.2. The preliminary examination of bids shall be governed by Section 30 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

#### 18. Domestic Preference

18.1. The Procuring Entity will grant a margin of preference for the purpose of comparison of Bids in accordance with Section 43.1.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

#### 19. Detailed Evaluation and Comparison of Bids

19.1. The Procuring Entity's BAC shall immediately conduct a detailed evaluation of all Bids rated "passed," using non-discretionary pass/fail criteria. The BAC shall consider the conditions in the evaluation of Bids under Section 32.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

- 19.2. If the Project allows partial bids, bidders may submit a proposal on any of the lots or items, and evaluation will be undertaken on a per lot or item basis, as the case maybe. In this case, the Bid Security as required by **ITB** Clause 14 shall be submitted for each lot or item separately.
- 19.3. The descriptions of the lots or items shall be indicated in **Section VII (Technical Specifications)**, although the ABCs of these lots or items are indicated in the **BDS** for purposes of the NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.2.6 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184. The NFCC must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.
- 19.4. The Project shall be awarded as follows:

#### One Project having several items that shall be awarded as one contract.

19.5. Except for bidders submitting a committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation, all Bids must include the NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.1.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, which must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder. For bidders submitting the committed Line of Credit, it must be at least equal to ten percent (10%) of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.

#### 20. Post-Qualification

20.1. Within a non-extendible period of five (5) calendar days from receipt by the Bidder of the notice from the BAC that it submitted the Lowest Calculated Bid, the Bidder shall submit its latest income and business tax returns filed and paid through the BIR Electronic Filing and Payment System (eFPS) and other appropriate licenses and permits required by law and stated in the **BDS**.

#### 21. Signing of the Contract

21.1. The documents required in Section 37.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 shall form part of the Contract. Additional Contract documents are indicated in the **BDS**.

## Section III. Bid Data Sheet

#### Notes on the Bid Data Sheet

The Bid Data Sheet (BDS) consists of provisions that supplement, amend, or specify in detail, information, or requirements included in the ITB found in Section II, which are specific to each procurement.

This Section is intended to assist the Procuring Entity in providing the specific information in relation to corresponding clauses in the ITB and has to be prepared for each specific procurement.

The Procuring Entity should specify in the BDS information and requirements specific to the circumstances of the Procuring Entity, the processing of the procurement, and the bid evaluation criteria that will apply to the Bids. In preparing the BDS, the following aspects should be checked:

- a. Information that specifies and complements provisions of the ITB must be incorporated.
- b. Amendments and/or supplements, if any, to provisions of the ITB as necessitated by the circumstances of the specific procurement, must also be incorporated.

## **Bid Data Sheet**

ITB Clause	
5.3	For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be:
	<ul> <li>a. Janitorial Services and Messengerial Services</li> <li>b. completed within five (5) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.</li> </ul>
12	The price of the Goods shall be quoted DDP SRA, Araneta St., Singcang, Bacolod City or the applicable International Commercial Terms (INCOTERMS) for this Project.
14.1	The bid security shall be in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration, or any of the following forms and amounts:
	<ul> <li>a. The amount of not less than ₱36,449.25, if bid security is in cash, cashier's/manager's check, bank draft/guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit; or</li> </ul>
	b. The amount of not less than ₱91,123.12, if bid security is in Surety Bond.
19.3	Not applicable.
20.2	[List here any licenses and permits relevant to the Project and the corresponding law requiring it.]
	<ol> <li>Social Security System (SSS) Clearance &gt; R.A. 11199</li> <li>Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE)         Certificate of no pending case (Regional) &gt; Labor Code of the Philippines     </li> <li>National Labor Relations Commission (NLRC)         Certification of no pending case (Regional) &gt; Labor Code of the Philippines     </li> <li>DOLE Certificate of Registration per Department Order 174</li> <li>Certificate of Good Standing from Pag-IBIG &gt; R.A. 9679</li> <li>Certificate of Good Standing from PhilHealth (with dry seal) &gt; R.A. 11228</li> </ol>
21.2	[List here any additional contract documents relevant to the Project that may be required by existing laws and/or the Procuring Entity.]
	The bidder shall submit during the bid opening the following:
	A. Documents proving the Company's Stability
	<ul> <li>a) Years of experience: minimum of 5 years continuous operation</li> <li>b) Liquidity of Contractor: minimum of 2:1</li> <li>c) Organizational Set-up:</li> </ul>

- Corporation
- Paid-up capital of Php3,000,000.00
- B. Documents showing the Company's Resources
  - a) No. and Kind of equipment minimum of:
    - 5 units floor polisher
    - 5 units vacuum cleaner
    - 3 units grasscutter
  - b) No. of Janitors minimum of 50
- C. Housekeeping Plan
- D. Recruitment and Selection Criteria
- F. Type of Uniform and Paraphernalia to be used by the Crew.
- G. Cost Distribution per Month based on the DOLE Standard Computation in compliance with DOLE Department Order 174 Series of 2017 for the Standard Computation of Administrative Cost which should not be less than 10%
- H. Submission of a Minimum of five (5) Janitorial Provider Evaluation Forms from existing clients employing a minimum of five (5) janitors

TIE-BREAKING METHOD (Appendix 11 2016 rev. IRR of RA 9184 -- GPPB Circular 06-2005)

In the event where two or more of the Bidders have been post-qualified as Lowest Calculated Responsive Bid (LCRB), the BAC Chairperson shall toss coin if there are two (2) tied Contractors or draw lots if there are three (3) or more tied Contractors, which shall be done in the presence of the Bidders' representative and an observer. The absence of the bidder's representative or observer shall not nullify the proceeding.

## Section IV. General Conditions of Contract

#### **Notes on the General Conditions of Contract**

The General Conditions of Contract (GCC) in this Section, read in conjunction with the Special Conditions of Contract in Section V and other documents listed therein, should be a complete document expressing all the rights and obligations of the parties.

Matters governing performance of the Supplier, payments under the contract, or matters affecting the risks, rights, and obligations of the parties under the contract are included in the GCC and Special Conditions of Contract.

Any complementary information, which may be needed, shall be introduced only through the Special Conditions of Contract.

#### 1. Scope of Contract

This Contract shall include all such items, although not specifically mentioned, that can be reasonably inferred as being required for its completion as if such items were expressly mentioned herein. All the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including the Generic Procurement Manual, and associated issuances, constitute the primary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract, and thus, applicable in contract implementation. Herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract.

This is without prejudice to Sections 74.1 and 74.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 allowing the GPPB to amend the IRR, which shall be applied to all procurement activities, the advertisement, posting, or invitation of which were issued after the effectivity of the said amendment.

Additional requirements for the completion of this Contract shall be provided in the **Special Conditions of Contract (SCC).** 

#### 2. Advance Payment and Terms of Payment

- 2.1. Advance payment of the contract amount is provided under Annex "D" of the revised 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 2.2. The Procuring Entity is allowed to determine the terms of payment on the partial or staggered delivery of the Goods procured, provided such partial payment shall correspond to the value of the goods delivered and accepted in accordance with prevailing accounting and auditing rules and regulations. The terms of payment are indicated in the SCC.

#### 3. Performance Security

Within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of the Notice of Award by the Bidder from the Procuring Entity but in no case later than the signing of the Contract by both parties, the successful Bidder shall furnish the performance security in any of the forms prescribed in Section 39 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

### 4. Inspection and Tests

The Procuring Entity or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the Goods to confirm their conformity to the Project specifications at no extra cost to the Procuring Entity in accordance with the Generic Procurement Manual. In addition to tests in the SCC, Section VII (Technical Specifications) shall specify what inspections and/or tests the Procuring Entity requires, and where they are to be conducted. The Procuring Entity shall notify the Supplier in writing, in a timely manner, of the identity of any representatives retained for these purposes.

All reasonable facilities and assistance for the inspection and testing of Goods, including access to drawings and production data, shall be provided by the Supplier to the authorized inspectors at no charge to the Procuring Entity.

#### 5. Warranty

- 5.1 In order to assure that manufacturing defects shall be corrected by the Supplier, a warranty shall be required from the Supplier as provided under Section 62.1 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 5.2 The Procuring Entity shall promptly notify the Supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty. Upon receipt of such notice, the Supplier shall, repair or replace the defective Goods or parts thereof without cost to the Procuring Entity, pursuant to the Generic Procurement Manual.

### 6. Liability of the Supplier

The Supplier's liability under this Contract shall be as provided by the laws of the Republic of the Philippines.

If the Supplier is a joint venture, all partners to the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable to the Procuring Entity.

## Section V. Special Conditions of Contract

### **Notes on the Special Conditions of Contract**

Similar to the BDS, the clauses in this Section are intended to assist the Procuring Entity in providing contract-specific information in relation to corresponding clauses in the GCC found in Section IV.

The Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) complement the GCC, specifying contractual requirements linked to the special circumstances of the Procuring Entity, the Procuring Entity's country, the sector, and the Goods purchased. In preparing this Section, the following aspects should be checked:

- a. Information that complements provisions of the GCC must be incorporated.
- b. Amendments and/or supplements to provisions of the GCC as necessitated by the circumstances of the specific purchase, must also be incorporated.

However, no special condition which defeats or negates the general intent and purpose of the provisions of the GCC should be incorporated herein.

**Special Conditions of Contract** 

GCC	Special Conditions of Contract
Clause	
1	Delivery and Documents –
	For purposes of the Contract, "EXW," "FOB," "FCA," "CIF," "CIP," "DDP" and other trade terms used to describe the obligations of the parties shall have the meanings assigned to them by the current edition of INCOTERMS published by the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris. The Delivery terms of this Contract shall be as follows:
	The personnel applicable to this Contract shall be assigned to SRA, Araneta St., Singcang, Bacolod City and SRA Cebu Office.
	Personel shall be made made available by the Supplier in accordance with the terms specified in Section VI (Schedule of Requirements).
	For purposes of this Clause the Procuring Entity's Representative at the Project Site is Ms. Dorothy B. Rodrigo – Administrative Officer V, AFD Visayas.
	Incidental Services –
	The Supplier is required to provide all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in Section VI. Schedule of Requirements:
	The Contract price for the Services shall include the prices charged by the Supplier for incidental services and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the Supplier for similar services.
	Transportation –
	Where the Supplier is required under Contract to bring the Personnel to assigned offices, the cost thereof shall be included in the Contract Price.
	The Procuring Entity accepts no liability for any injury of the personnel during transit from their homes or headquarters to assigned SRA Offices.
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## Section VI. Schedule of Requirements

The delivery schedule expressed as weeks/months stipulates hereafter a delivery date which is the date of delivery to the project site.

Item Number	Description	Quantity	Total	Delivered, Weeks/Months
1	Janitorial Services, 1 lot  - Supply of Janitorial Services for Bacolod and Cebu Offices and compound for the period of Three (3) Years consisting of Seven (7) Sanitary Crews for Bacolod Office and One (1) for Cebu Office	. 1		Contract of Services required effective date: June 8, 2023

## Section VII. Technical Specifications

### **Notes for Preparing the Technical Specifications**

A set of precise and clear specifications is a prerequisite for Bidders to respond realistically and competitively to the requirements of the Procuring Entity without qualifying their Bids. In the context of Competitive Bidding, the specifications (e.g. production/delivery schedule, manpower requirements, and after-sales service/parts, descriptions of the lots or items) must be prepared to permit the widest possible competition and, at the same time, present a clear statement of the required standards of workmanship, materials, and performance of the goods and services to be procured. Only if this is done will the objectives of transparency, equity, efficiency, fairness, and economy in procurement be realized, responsiveness of bids be ensured, and the subsequent task of bid evaluation and post-qualification facilitated. The specifications should require that all items, materials and accessories to be included or incorporated in the goods be new, unused, and of the most recent or current models, and that they include or incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless otherwise provided in the Contract.

Samples of specifications from previous similar procurements are useful in this respect. The use of metric units is encouraged. Depending on the complexity of the goods and the repetitiveness of the type of procurement, it may be advantageous to standardize the General Technical Specifications and incorporate them in a separate subsection. The General Technical Specifications should cover all classes of workmanship, materials, and equipment commonly involved in manufacturing similar goods. Deletions or addenda should then adapt the General Technical Specifications to the particular procurement.

Care must be taken in drafting specifications to ensure that they are not restrictive. In the specification of standards for equipment, materials, and workmanship, recognized Philippine and international standards should be used as much as possible. Where other particular standards are used, whether national standards or other standards, the specifications should state that equipment, materials, and workmanship that meet other authoritative standards, and which ensure at least a substantially equal quality than the standards mentioned, will also be acceptable. The following clause may be inserted in the Special Conditions of Contract or the Technical Specifications.

#### Sample Clause: Equivalency of Standards and Codes

Wherever reference is made in the Technical Specifications to specific standards and codes to be met by the goods and materials to be furnished or tested, the provisions of the latest edition or revision of the relevant standards and codes shall apply, unless otherwise expressly stated in the Contract. Where such standards and codes are national or relate to a particular country or region, other authoritative standards that ensure substantial equivalence to the standards and codes specified will be acceptable.

Reference to brand name and catalogue number should be avoided as far as possible; where unavoidable they should always be followed by the words "or at least equivalent." References to brand names cannot be used when the funding source is the GOP.

Where appropriate, drawings, including site plans as required, may be furnished by the Procuring Entity with the Bidding Documents. Similarly, the Supplier may be requested to provide drawings or samples either with its Bid or for prior review by the Procuring Entity during contract execution.

Bidders are also required, as part of the technical specifications, to complete their statement of compliance demonstrating how the items comply with the specification.

## **Technical Specifications**

Item	Specification	Statement of Compliance
	JANITORIAL AND OTHER SERVICES, 1 lot	[Bidders must state here
A	To also include: Gardening, messengerial and other	either "Comply" or "Not
	services	Comply" against each of
В	Stability	the individual parameters
B.1	a) Years of experience: minimum of 5 years	of each Specification
	continuous operation	stating the corresponding
B.2	b) Liquidity of Contractor: minimum of 2:1	performance parameter of
B.3	c) Organizational Set-up:	the equipment offered.
B.4	- Corporation	Statements of "Comply"
B.5	- Paid-up capital of Php3,000,000.00	or "Not Comply" must be
C	Resources	supported by evidence in a
C.1	(a) No. and Kind of equipment – minimum of:	Bidders Bid and cross-
C.2	- 5 units – floor polisher	referenced to that
C.3	- 5 units – vacuum cleaner	evidence. Evidence shall
C.4	- 3 units - grasscutter	be in the form of
C.5	(b) No. of Janitors – minimum of 50	manufacturer's un-
D	Submission of Housekeeping Plan	amended sales literature,
E	Submission of Recruitment and Selection Criteria	unconditional statements
F	Uniform and Paraphernalia to be used by the Crew	of specification and
G	Compliance with Government Regulations	compliance issued by the
G.1	a) Social Security System (SSS) Clearance	manufacturer, samples,
	> R.A. 11199	independent test data etc., as appropriate. A
G.2	b) Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE)	statement that is not
	Certificate of no pending case (Regional)	supported by evidence or
	> Labor Code of the Philippines	is subsequently found to be
G.3	c) National Labor Relations Commission (NLRC)	contradicted by the
	Certification of no pending case (Regional)	evidence presented will
	> Labor Code of the Philippines	render the Bid under
G.4	d) DOLE Certificate of Registration per	evaluation liable for
	Department Order 174	rejection. A statement
G.5	e) Certificate of Good Standing from Pag-IBIG	either in the Bidder's
	> R.A. 9679	statement of compliance or
G.6	f) Certificate of Good Standing from	the supporting evidence
	PhilHealth (with dry seal)	that is found to be false
	> R.A. 11228	either during Bid
H	Cost Distribution per Month based on the DOLE	evaluation, post-
	Standard Computation in compliance with DOLE	qualification or the
	Department Order 174 Series of 2017 for the	

	Standard Computation of Administrative Cost which should not be less than 10%	execution of the Contract may be regarded as
I	Submission of a Minimum of five (5) Janitorial Provider Evaluation Forms from existing clients	fraudulent and render the Bidder or supplier liable
	employing a minimum of five (5) janitors	for prosecution subject to
J	Additional Requirements:	the applicable laws and
J.1	Bidders are required to submit two (2) additional hard copies of the first and second components of their Bid/s.	issuances.]
J.2	Bidders are required to put tabs in all documents to be submitted with the same number as indicated in the Checklist of Technical and Financial Document, in order to facilitate efficiency in evaluating all the documents.	

# Section VIII. Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

#### Notes on the Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

The prescribed documents in the checklist are mandatory to be submitted in the Bid, but shall be subject to the following:

- a. GPPB Resolution No. 09-2020 on the efficient procurement measures during a State of Calamity or other similar issuances that shall allow the use of alternate documents in lieu of the mandated requirements; or
- b. Any subsequent GPPB issuances adjusting the documentary requirements after the effectivity of the adoption of the PBDs.

The BAC shall be checking the submitted documents of each Bidder against this checklist to ascertain if they are all present, using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion pursuant to Section 30 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

## **Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents**

### I. TECHNICAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE

II.

Class "A" Documents					
<u>Legal Documents</u>					
	(a)	Valid PhilGEPS Registration Certificate (Platinum Membership) (all pages) in accordance with Section 8.5.2 of the IRR;			
		in accordance with Section 6.3.2 of the TAIX,			
Tec	chnica	d Documents			
	(b)	Statement of the prospective bidder of all its ongoing government and private contracts, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any, whether similar or not similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid; and			
	(c)	Statement of the bidder's Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC) similar to the contract to be bid, except under conditions provided for in Sections 23.4.1.3 and 23.4.2.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, within the relevant period as provided in the Bidding Documents; and			
	(d)	Original copy of Bid Security. If in the form of a Surety Bond, submit also a certification issued by the Insurance Commission or Original copy of Notarized Bid Securing Declaration; and			
	(e)	Conformity with the Technical Specifications, which may include production/delivery schedule, manpower requirements, and/or aftersales/parts, if applicable; and			
	(f)	Original duly signed Omnibus Sworn Statement (OSS) <u>and</u> if applicable, Original Notarized Secretary's Certificate in case of a corporation, partnership, or cooperative; or Original Special Power of Attorney of all members of the joint venture giving full power and authority to its officer to sign the OSS and do acts to represent the Bidder.			
<i>Fin</i> □	<i>iancia</i> (g)	The prospective bidder's computation of Net Financial Contracting Capacity (NFCC) or A committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation and to include the latest Audited Financial Statements.			
	Class "B" Documents				
	(h)	If applicable, a duly signed joint venture agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is already in existence <u>or</u> duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners stating that they will enter into and abide by the provisions of the JVA in the instance that the bid is successful.			
FINANCIAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE					
	(i) (j)	Original of duly signed and accomplished Financial Bid Form; <b>and</b> Original of duly signed and accomplished Price Schedule(s).			

Other documentary requirements under RA No. 9184 (as applicable)

- (k) [For foreign bidders claiming by reason of their country's extension of reciprocal rights to Filipinos] Certification from the relevant government office of their country stating that Filipinos are allowed to participate in government procurement activities for the same item or product.
- ☐ (1) Certification from the DTI if the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity.

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