



INVITATION TO BID

SUPPLY, DELIVERY, CONFIGURATION, INSTALLATION AND MANAGEMENT OF APPLICATION DELIVERY CONTROLLER SYSTEMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY (DICT)

Bid Reference No. GPG-B1-2018-174

Approved Budget for the Contract: ₱ 55,200,000.00

1. The **Philippine International Trading Corporation (PITC)** and the **Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT)** intend to apply the sum of **Pesos: Fifty Five Million Two Hundred Thousand only (₱ 55,200,000.00)** inclusive of VAT, being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payment under the contract for the Supply, Delivery, Configuration, Installation and Management of Application Delivery Controller Systems for the Department of Information and Communications and Technology (DICT) more particularly described as follows:

Description	Qty.	Total ABC (₱) (VAT Inclusive)	Funding Source	Bid Security:	Cost/Price of Bidding Documents (cash payment only) (₱)
Supply, Delivery, Configuration, Installation and Management of Application Delivery Controller Systems	1 lot	55,200,000.00	PITC AR no. 2917 dated 04/06/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bid Securing Declaration • Cash or Cashier's/ Manager's Check* equivalent to at least 2% of the ABC • Bank Guarantee/ Bank draft or Irrevocable Letter of Credit** equivalent to at least 2% of the ABC • Surety bond* callable upon demand equivalent to at least 5% of the ABC 	50,000.00

* Only those issued and confirmed by a Local Universal or Local Commercial Bank

** Must be callable upon demand issued by a Surety or Insurance Company duly certified by the Insurance Commission as authorized to issue such bond

2. PITC and DICT now invite bids from local Information and Communication Technology Solution Provider / Service Integrators for the Supply, Delivery, Configuration, Installation and Management of Application Delivery Controller Systems (hereafter referred to as GOODS).
3. The bidding is open to Filipino citizens / sole proprietorships, partnerships, or organization with at least sixty percent (60%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines.

4. Project Completion Period / Timeframe:

Delivery of the following items is required within sixty (60) calendar days from the date of receipt of Notice to Proceed at the following DICT designated delivery sites:

Description	Number of Unit(s)	Delivery Site
Modular Application Delivery Controller System	1	DICT Building, C.P. Garcia Ave. Diliman, Quezon City
Application Delivery Controller System	2	1101 Metro Manila
	2	Globe Data Center, 2275-2281 Chino Roces Avenue Makati, 1232 Metro Manila

The supplier is required to install and configure the new unit and existing Modular Delivery Application Delivery Controller System. Also, the four (4) units of Application Delivery Controller System are to be installed and configured by the bidder with two (2) highly available (HA) setup (Active-Passive) and conduct the trainings within fifteen (15) calendar from issuance of certificate of Inspection and Acceptance of the Delivered Hardware.

5. A prospective Bidder should have completed within the last five (5) years from the date of submission and receipt of bids at least a single contract similar to the contract to be bid amounting to at least **fifty percent (50%)** of the ABC of the project.

“**Similar**” contract shall refer to contracts pertaining to supply and delivery of Application Delivery Controller Systems.

6. Open competitive bidding procedures will be conducted using a non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion as specified in the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (R.A.) 9184, otherwise known as the “Government Procurement Reform Act”. All particulars relative to this bidding including Eligibility Checking, Bid Security, Evaluation and Post-Qualification Procedures and Award of Contract shall be governed by **R.A. 9184** and its **2016** Revised IRR.
7. The complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired/purchased by interested bidders during office hours (8:00am-4:00pm) but not later than 4:00pm upon payment of a nonrefundable fee as indicated above.

The Bidding Documents shall be received personally by the prospective Bidder or his duly authorized representative upon presentation of proper identification document.

It may be also downloaded free of charge from the website of the PhilGEPS and the PITC website, PROVIDED that bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

For the Pre-Bid Conference, bidders are encouraged to send their authorized technical representatives or personnel who are familiar with the bid requirements and will prepare the documents for the bidder.

8. Interested bidders may obtain further information from PITC and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during office hours.

9. The **Schedule of Bidding Activities** shall be as follows:

ACTIVITIES	DATE/TIME	VENUE
1) Sale and Issuance of Bidding Documents	8:00 AM to 4:00 PM only Mondays to Fridays Starting 10 December 2018	5/F NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas St., Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City
2) Pre-Bid Conference	17 December 2018 (Monday) 10:00 AM	5/F Conference Room, NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas St., Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City
3) Submission and Opening of Bidding Documents	21 January 2019 (Monday) 02:00 PM	5/F Conference Room, NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas St., Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City

10. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the BAC Secretariat c/o Ms. Ana DG. Asprec at the 5/F NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas Street, Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM only, Mondays to Fridays starting **10 December 2018**, or call tel. No. 818-98-01 loc. 308. **However, any queries relative to the contents of the bidding documents and the project requirements can only be made by suppliers not later than ten (10) calendar days prior to the Submission and Opening of Bids.**
11. PITC reserves the right to accept or reject any bid proposal, 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.

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Posting of Invitation to Bid and Bidding Documents on 10 December 2018 @ PhilGEPS & PITC Bulletin Board