



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE I

Supplemental/Bid Bulletin No. 1

PROCUREMENT OF SUBSCRIPTION OF PHARMACEUTICAL MARKET DATA FROM DRUGSTORES AND HOSPITALS (3-YEAR DATA) AND PHARMACEUTICAL SALES FROM INTERNATIONAL MARKET WITH PHILIPPINE DATA (2017-2019) FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH)

Bid Reference No.: GPG-B1-2018-579

Approved Budget for the Contract: ₱ 12,590,000.00

This **Supplemental/Bid Bulletin No. 1** is being issued as response to queries raised by suppliers during the Pre-Bid Conference on 11 December 2018 and through letters/email for the aforementioned project and to advise bidders on the following:

A) NEW SCHEDULE FOR THE SUBMISSION AND OPENING OF BIDS

FROM	TO
17 January 2019 (Thursday), 9:00AM	21 January 2019 (Monday), 3:00 PM

B) ISSUANCE OF AMENDED BIDDING DOCUMENTS

- i. Due to the numerous changes in the bidding forms for this project, an Amended Bidding Documents will be issued together with this Supplemental Bid Bulletin 1. Bidders are instructed to obtain and use the Amended Bidding Documents.
- ii. Bidders who previously bought Bidding Documents are asked to return them so it can be replaced with Amended Bidding Documents.

C) REPLY TO QUERIES FROM BIDDERS:

QUERY from IQVIA Solutions Philippines Inc.:

We would like to ask what specific supporting document the PITC will require for Eligibility Document iv if the bidding company already bears a company name that is different from what is indicated in the supporting documents (e.g., official receipt, sales invoice) of a previous *Similar Single Largest Completed Contract*.

As a background, "IQVIA Solutions Philippine Inc." – formerly "IMS Health Philippines, Inc." (IMS Health) – previously won the PITC bid for GPG-B1-2017-212. IMS Health changed its global company name to IQVIA after a global merger in 2018. While it now bids as IQVIA, the contract, official receipt, and sales invoice of the required *Similar Single Largest Completed Contract* indicates "IMS Health Philippines, Inc."

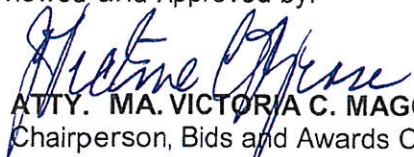
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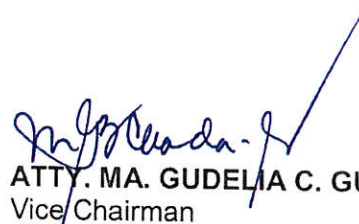
A submission of SEC Amended Articles of Incorporation indicating the current company name (as in this case: IQVIA Solutions Philippines Inc.) as well as the company's former name (IMS Health Philippines, Inc.) is sufficient to link the two business names so that IQVIA Solutions Philippines Inc. may use the supporting documents in the name of IMS Health Philippines for this bidding project.

For the guidance and information of all concerned.

Issued this 10th day of January 2019 in Makati City.


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