

INVITATION TO BID

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 299,100 PACKS OF MEAL, READY-TO-EAT (MRE) TYPE I - HALAL FOR THE PHILIPPINE ARMY

Bid Ref. No. MPG-B1-2019-403 3rd Rebid

(Prev. Bid Ref. No. MPG-B1-2019-234 2nd Rebid, MPG-B1-2018-460 Rebid, MPG-B1-2018-345)

Approved Budget for the Contract – ₱68,793,000.00

1. The **Philippine International Trading Corporation (PITC)** and the **Philippine Army (PA)** intend to apply the sum of **PESOS: Sixty Eight Million Seven Hundred Ninety Three Thousand & 00/100 (₱68,793,000.00) (Inclusive of VAT)** being the **Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC)** to payment under the contract for the **Supply and Delivery of 299,100 packs of Meal, Ready-to-Eat (MRE) Type I - Halal for the Philippine Army** more particularly described as follows:

Description	Qty	ABC per Unit (PhP) (VAT Inclusive)	Total ABC (PhP) (VAT Inclusive)	Funding Source	Bid Security in any of the following forms:	Cost/Price of Bid Documents (cash payment only) (PhP)
MRE Type I - HALAL	299,100 packs	230.00	68,793,000.00	ASA NR. 2200-2016-0634 dated 23 December 2016 & ASA NR. 0741 dated 28 December 2015	<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 LC* equivalent to at least 2% of the ABC • Surety bond callable upon demand equivalent to at least 5% of the ABC 	50,000.00

- Bidders may bid for one or both lots provided all units per lot are supplied and must be of the same brand/model.
 - Separate Bid Security for each lot being bid
- * Must be issued by a Local Universal or Local Commercial Bank.

2. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at Bid opening.
3. **PITC and PA** now invite Bids from Local Food Manufacturers for the **Supply and Delivery of 299,100 packs of Meal, Ready-to-Eat (MRE) Type I - Halal for the Philippine Army** (hereafter referred to as **GOODS**).
4. The bidding is open to Filipino citizen/sole proprietorships, partnerships, or organization with at least sixty percent (60%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizen of the Philippines.
5. **Required delivery period and delivery place per lot:**

Delivery Period per Schedule of Requirements for MRE Type I – Halal per Annex V-A2

1st Tranche – Within One Hundred Eighty (180) calendar days after receipt of Notice to Proceed (NTP)

2nd Tranche – Within One Hundred Eighty (180) calendar days after due date of the 1st tranche

3rd Tranche – Within One Hundred Eighty (180) calendar days after the due date of the 2nd tranche

4th Tranche – Within One Hundred Eighty (180) calendar days after due date of the 3rd tranche

Delivery Place:

LSG – Fort Bonifacio, ASCOM, Taguig City

8 FSSU – Camp Kangleon, Palo, Leyte

9 FSSU – Camp Enrile, Malagutay, Zamboanga City

10 FSSU – Camp Evangelista, Cagayan de Oro City

11 FSSU – Camp Panacan, Davao City, Davao del Sur

12 FSSU – Camp Siongco, Datu Odin Sinsuat, Maguindanao

6. A prospective Bidder must have a single completed contract of similar nature within the last five (5) years from the date of submission and receipt of bids as follows:
- a) Single completed contract of similar nature within the last five (5) years equivalent to at twenty five percent (25%) of the ABC;

OR

- b) At least two (2) completed contracts of similar nature within the last five (5) years from date of submission and receipt of bids and the aggregate contract amounts should be equivalent to at twenty five percent (25%) of the ABC. The largest of these similar contracts must be equivalent to at least twelve point five percent (12.5%) of the ABC.

“Similar” contract shall mean Food Items.

7. 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.
8. The Invitation to Bid and Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the website of the **Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS)** and **PITC website** at www.pitc.gov.ph. Interested bidders may inspect the Bidding Documents upon presentation of proper identification during office hours (8:00am – 4:00pm) on weekdays only.
9. The complete set of bidding documents maybe acquired by interested bidders during office hours (8:00am – 4:00pm) but no later than 4:00pm upon payment of a non-refundable 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.

Bidding documents may also be 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. However, bidders who previously bought Bidding Documents under Bid Ref. No. MPG-B1-2018-345, MPG-B1-2018-460 Rebid and MPG-B1-2019-234 2nd Rebid may acquire Bidding Documents free of charge upon presentation of the Official Receipt.

Note: For item procurement, the maximum fee for the Bidding Documents for each item shall be based on its ABC, in accordance with the Guidelines issued by the GPPB; provided that the total fees for the Bidding Documents of all items shall not exceed the maximum fee prescribed in the Guidelines for the sum of the ABC of all items.

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 bid documents.

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

ACTIVITIES	TIME	VENUE
1. Sale and Issuance of Bidding Documents	8:00 AM to 4:00 PM only, Mondays to Fridays, starting 02 August 2019	BAC I Secretariat c/o Ms. Jane C. Arcilla at 4/F, NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas Street, Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City
2. Pre-bid Conference	13 August 2019, 9:00AM	5/F Conference Room, NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas Street, Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City
3. Submission and Opening of Bids	04 September 2019, 1:00PM *late bids shall not be accepted	5/F Conference Room, NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas Street, Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City

11. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the **BAC I Secretariat c/o Ms. Jane C. Arcilla at the 4/F, NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas Street, Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM only, Mondays to Fridays starting 02 August 2019 at tel. No. 818-98-01 loc. 382. However, any queries relative to the contents of the bid documents and the project requirements can only be made by suppliers not later than ten (10) days prior to the Submission and Opening of Bids.**
12. 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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