



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE I

Notice of Issuance of Amended Bidding Documents

SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, CONFIGURATION, TESTING, TAGGING AND COMMISSIONING OF ONE (1) LOT BRAND NEW EMERGENCY TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM FOR THE OFFICE OF CIVIL DEFENSE (OCD)

Bid Reference No. MPG-BI-2020-491

This Notice is being issued to advise bidders that an Amended Bidding Documents shall be issued to comply with the GPPB Circular 04-2020 dated 16 September 2020 relative to the Use of the Simplified Philippine Bidding Documents (PBDs) for Goods and Infrastructure Projects and the submission of the Required Forms for the procurement of Goods, Infrastructure Projects, and Consulting Services.

Due to PhilGEPS Website being under maintenance, this Notice together with the Amended Bidding Documents is posted in the PITC Website only and shall already be binding to all interested bidders

The complete set of Amended Bidding Documents maybe acquired by interested bidders from Monday to Friday between 9:00AM to 2:00PM upon payment of a non-refundable fee as indicated in the Amended Bidding Documents and look for the following BAC Secretariat:

| | BAC Secretariat | Local Number |
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| Monday | Jane Arcilla / Vivian Villanueva | 382 / 404 |
| Tuesday | Irish Ordillano / Vivian Villanueva | 394 / 404 |
| Wednesday | Jane Arcilla / Vivian Villanueva | 382 / 404 |
| Thursday | Irish Ordillano | 394 |
| Friday | Irish Ordillano | 394 |

It may be also downloaded free of charge from the website of the PhilGEPS and the PITC website. However, only those who have paid the cost of Bidding Documents at least one (1) day before the submission of their bids will be allowed to bid.

Bidders may pay for the cost of Bidding Documents thru any of the following modes of payment:

- 1) **Cash Payment** – PITC Cashier will be available from Tuesday to Thursday between 10:00AM to 2:00PM **OR**

2) Cash Deposit

Interested Bidders may send a request letter for Bank Details to the BAC Secretariat c/o Ma. Theresa Elima at myette.elima@1973.onmicrosoft.com. Thereafter, proof of payment must be emailed back to the BAC Secretariat.

Further, this **Notice** is being issued in response to the clarifications from prospective bidders and to confirm key issues addressed during the Pre-Bid Conference on 27 October 2020 for the afore-cited project.



The following queries below have been answered by the PITC Bids and Awards Committee 1 and the Office of Civil Defense (OCD) and is now re-printed as part of this Notice for the information of all prospective bidders:

SCAN MARINE

Letter dated 30 October 2020 received on the same date

QUERY NO. 1

1. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Upon checking on provided requirements and specifications it appears that the budget is insufficient to carry out the delivery, configuration, testing, tagging and commissioning of ten (10) sets High Frequency (HF) Base Radio and ten (10) sets High Frequency (HF) Radio Modem

The following factors that affects the cost of materials and expenses as follows:

- a. Provision (Annex V-A1: Accessories) of 50 amperes 13.8v branded power supply. We are using 30amperes 13.8V power supply with no problem
- b. Provision (Annex V-A1: Accessories) of Full Range Dipole HF Broadband Antenna maximum of 40 ft per unit with 1kw handling capacity. Reduce it to 150 watts power handling capability
- c. The High Frequency (HF) Radio Modem cost increased as per our manufacturer this year as their price remained the same for the last 3 years. We recommend reducing specifications to reduce cost. Please change HF Radio Modem (Annex V-A1) specifications with readable and informative display to OLED display only. In addition to that kindly remove the specification for it interfaces as follows:
 1. At least 1 x Ethernet
 2. At least 1 x GPS
 3. At least 1 x Microphone In
 4. At least 1 x Speaker Out
- d. The expense to conduct delivery, installation, configuration, tagging and commissioning of the units increases as the result of pandemic. High risk of cancellation of flights, swab testing of personnel and imposition of LGU's quarantine rules affects the cost of our personnel for Visayas and Mindanao sites
- e. Provision (Annex V-A Line no. 6) of all expenses related to the delivery, inspection and acceptance of two (2) PITC representatives during the inspection and acceptance of the delivered-on sites should shouldered by supplier
- f. Requirement of Site inspection prior submission entails additional cost to our final proposal

PITC/OCD Reply:

- a. Request Granted. Please refer to the Technical Specification per (Section VII. Technical Specifications) as indicate in this notice of Amended Bidding Document
- b. Request Granted. Please refer to the Technical Specification per (Section VII. Technical Specifications) as indicate in the Amended Bidding Document
- c. Request Granted. Please refer to the Technical Specification per (Section VII. Technical Specifications) as indicate in this notice of Amended Bidding Document
- d. The OCD reduced the quantity and delivery/installation sites as follows:
 - 1) OCD Regional Office I – 2F/3F Ed Fabro Building, Pagdalagan, City of San Fernando, La Union
 - 2) OCD Regional Office II – Regional Government Center, Carig Sur, Tuguegarao City
 - 3) OCD Regional Office V – Camp General Simeon A. Ola, Legazpi City, Albay
 - 4) OCD Regional Office VI – Camp General Martin T. Delgado, Fort San Perdo, Iloilo City



5) OCD Regional Office XI – 2nd floor, LDL Building, 102 Corrales Avenue, Cagayan de Oro City

Please refer to the Schedule of Requirements

e. Yes, the supplier should shoulder all expenses related to the inspection, acceptance, and delivery

f. Affidavit of Site inspection is hereby deleted

QUERY NO. 2

In line of the query no. 1, is it possible to reduce quantity to give (5) sets High Frequency (HF) Radio Modem and five (5) sets High Frequency (HF) Radio Modem with reduction of specs as suggested approved budget?

PITC/OCD Reply:

Request Granted.

QUERY NO. 3

Provisions (Annex V-A line no. 2) of High Frequency (HF) Base Radio and High Radio Modem must be of the same brand. We can use different brand for HF Radio Modem if the specification meets provided requirement and there is no compatibility issue

PITC/OCD Reply:

Request Granted provided the HF Base Radio and HF Radio Modem offered are compatible.

Issued this 18th of November 2020 in Makati City.

Reviewed and Approved by:

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