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## Minutes of Meeting Pre-Bidding Conference BS-010-19-R: Construction of Multipurpose Building October 14, 2019, 02:00 PM Classroom A, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, IEC Building, NIA Complex, EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City

## Present: BAC-B Ailyne C. Agtuca-Selda Pepito L. Padilla Delsy J. Revellame

- Chairperson

- Member - Member
- Technical Working Group
- Wilhelm S. Tiangco Ruthgen M. Abdula Elvira S. Calanday Artemio B. Dabuet Romeo C. Balutan

## Observers

Acmidah Dilna-Mangondato Yanley S. Tabayaay Melvincent Cablayan

# **Bidders' Representatives**

Liwanag Victoria Mark Nery **Benjamin Untoy Owen Perez** Jacklyn Balmaceda **Errol Poblete Reol Terte** Jelly De Leon **Nowel Fernandez** Jose Paulo Asuncion **Renzel Enriquez** Rey Allan V.Solde Nathaniel Toi Amerie Mae Semilla Eddie Ballano Marlon Robles Gerad Villanueva Jericho Dimatulac

Absent: **BAC-B** Lydia S. Esguerra

- Chairperson
- Member
- Member
- Inspectorate Team Chairperson
- Inspectorate Team Member
- COA Representative
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- IAS Representative
- Triumph Builders and Steel, Inc.
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- J2M Builders
- MZR Builders
- SM Castro Management and Construction Services
- Jomarcahn General Construction
- Greatman Builders & Supply, Co.
- LDV Construction
- Jesus Asuncion Builders
- Prismodial Construction Corporation
- AC Cunanan Construction, Inc.
- High Infinity Resources and Development, Inc.
- AE Centeno Construction
- Tress Construction
- GG Uy Construction
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- Hyper J Construction

- Member

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#### Matters discussed:

- I. The BAC-B Chairperson formally presided the Pre-Bidding Conference for BS-010-19-R. She acknowledged the presence of the BAC-B members, TWG, Secretariat, observers and prospective bidders' representatives.
- II. The BAC-B stated that only Jomarcahn General Construction purchased the bidding documents as of the time being. The BAC-B then explained that the purpose of having a prebid conference is for the prospective bidders to ask their queries and clarify the technical and financial parameters regarding the project for a good procurement process.
- III. Subsequently, the BAC-B asked the prospective bidders if they have any questions or clarifications:

| BIDDER'S CONCERN  | BAC'S RESPONSE  |
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| Ms. Jacklyn Balmaceda of MZR Builders raised her concern:   | The BAC-B together with the TWG discussed their concerns:   |
| <ol> <li>Clarification on the Credit Line under the Special<br/>Conditions of the Contract.</li> </ol>                    | <ol> <li>Under the Special Conditions of the<br/>Contract, this will be submitted by the<br/>Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bidder<br/>before execution of the contract. This is a<br/>certificate issued by a bank. This will be<br/>discussed further and will be included in the<br/>Supplemental Notice if ever there will be a<br/>clarfication regading this matter.</li> </ol>                                   |
| Mr. Owen Perez of J2M Builders raised his concern:  |   |
| <ol> <li>Are contractors allowed to bid even if they have no<br/>similar experience on the contract to be bid?</li> </ol> | <ol> <li>The BAC-B reiterated ITB Clause No. 5.4(a) of<br/>the Bid Data Sheet re: "Contractors under<br/>Small A and Small B categories without<br/>similar experience on the contract to be bid<br/>may be allowed to bid if the cost of such<br/>contract is not more than the Allowable<br/>Range of Contract Cost (ARCC) of their<br/>registration based on the guidelines as<br/>prescribed by the PCAB".</li> </ol> |

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| Mr. Errol Poblete of SM Castro Management and Construction<br>Services raised his concerns:   |   |
| <ol> <li>For the equipment requirements, our available<br/>Concrete Vibrator functions without a compressor. Is<br/>it still acceptable?</li> </ol> | <ol> <li>You cannot use the Concrete Vibrator<br/>without the compressor.</li> </ol>  |
| 2. Do you require Site Inspection Certificate?  | <ol> <li>No, it is not required. If you wish to conduct<br/>an occular inspection, please coordinate<br/>with General Services Division (GSD).</li> </ol>           |
| Mr. Liwanag Victoria of Triumph Builders and Steel, Inc. raised his concerns:   |   |
| 1. I do not think that there is a 5 inch diameter size for the Concrete Vibrator with compressor  | <ol> <li>There is a 5 inch diameter size for the<br/>Concrete Vibrator with compressor which is<br/>used specifically for foundations.</li> </ol>                   |
| 2. Are you pertaining to the size of the tip of the concrete vibrator?  | <ol> <li>Yes. The "5 inches diameter" is the size of<br/>the tip of the vibrator. It is usually operated<br/>in the foundations of structural buildings.</li> </ol> |
| Mr. Renzel Enriquez of Prismodial Construction Corporation raised his concern:  |   |
| 1. What is the total area of the project?   | 1. The total area is about 500 square meters.   |
| Mr. Marlon Robles of GG Uy Construction raised his concern:   |   |
| <ol> <li>For the forms in the bidding documents needed to be<br/>filled out, can we add extra rows if the space given is<br/>not enough.</li> </ol> | <ol> <li>Yes you may, but make sure that you will not<br/>deviate from the prescribed form.</li> </ol>  |
| ***All other prospective bidders did not raise any question.  |   |

IV. The BAC-B and TWG reminded the prospective bidders that they can have an occular inspection. In addition, there is no need for prospective bidders to obtain a site inspection certificate if they decide to participate in the bidding. They also reminded the prospective bidders to submit their bids on or before the deadline. The venue for submission is at the BAC-B Secretariat Office.

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- V. The BAC-B reminded the prospective bidders to comply with the documentary requirements and do not leave anything blank to prevent their bids from being rated failed. In addition, the BAC-B presented the forms to be filled out and reminded the prospective bidders to follow the prescribed format.
- VI. The BAC-B also reminded the prospective bidders to abide by the required experience for the key personnel since it was the reason why the previous bidding failed. They were also that Statement of On Going Contract need not have attachments while Statement of SLCC should have an attachment when they submit their bid proposal.
- VII. Furthermore, the BAC-B reminded the prospective bidders that should there be any queries, they can submit it in written form until October 18, 2019. Supplemental Notice, if any, will be posted on October 21, 2019.

There being no other matters to be discussed the BAC-B Chairperson thanked everyone present and adjourned the meeting at 03:00 PM.

Prepared by:

CHRISTIAN COLINDRES Member, BAC-B Secretariat

**ELAINE P. VILLANUEVA** Head, BAC-B Secretariat

Noted by:

2 alle PEPITO L. PADILLA BAC-B, Vice-Chairpeson ATTY. AILYNE C. AGTUCA-SELDA BAC-B Charperson

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