

Republic of the Philippines National Irrigation Administration

Quezon City

Invitation to Bid

ESTABLISHMENT OF DATA CENTER INCLUDING IMPROVEMENT OF MANAGEMENT INFORMATION DIVISION OFFICE

Invitation to Bid No. BS-017-2022

- 1. The National Irrigation Administration, through the Corporate Operating Budget (COP) for 2022 intends to apply the sum of Twenty-Nine Million Eight Hundred Sixty-One Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Two Pesos and 19/100 (PhP 29,861,122.19) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for Contract No. BS-017-2022. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The National Irrigation Administration now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Completion of the Works is required within 240 calendar days. Bidders should have completed a contract similar to the Project. For this purpose, similar contracts shall refer to "Establishment or Renovation or Improvement of Data Center and its peripherals". The description of an eligible bidder is contained in the Bidding Documents, particularly, in Section II (Instructions to Bidders).
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
- 4. Interested bidders may obtain further information from National Irrigation Administration and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested bidders on October 29, 2022 to November 21, 2022 from given address and website/s below and upon presentation of Letter of Intent (LOI) and the original copy of their valid PCAB License, payment of the non-refundable applicable fee to the NIA Cashier for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Pesos (PhP 25,000.00). The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees to be presented in person.
- 6. The National Irrigation Administration will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on <u>November 7</u>, <u>2022</u>, <u>10:00 AM</u> at Classroom A, 3rd Floor IEC Building, NIA Complex, EDSA, Quezon City which shall be open to prospective bidders.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC-A Secretariat through manual submission at the office address as indicated below, on or before *November 21, 2022, 9:30 AM*. Late bids shall not be accepted.

- All bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 15.
- Bid opening shall be on November 21, 2022, 10:00 AM at Classroom A, 3rd Floor IEC Building NIA Complex, EDSA Diliman, Quezon City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
- 10. The National Irrigation Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids, declare a failure of bidding, or not award the contract at any time prior to contract award in accordance with Sections 35.6 and 41 of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
- 11. For further information, please refer to:

Bids and Awards Committee-B. **Procurement and Property Division National Irrigation Administration** 2nd Floor, ICC Building, NIA Complex, EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City Tel. Nos., 8-921-3906, 8-929-6071 loc. 115

12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: https://www.philgeps.gov.ph/ Date of Issue:

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