



INVITATION TO BID FOR PROCUREMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR THE VOICE-OVER INTERNET PROTOCOL TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM OF THE PHILIPPINE COMPETITION COMMISSION

- 1. The *Philippine Competition Commission (PCC)*, through the *FY 2022 National Expenditure Program* intends to apply the sum of *Two Million Five Hundred Forty Thousand Pesos (PhP2,540,000.00)* being the ABC to payments under the contract for *Procurement of Management Services for the Voice-over Internet Protocol Telecommunication System of the Philippine Competition Commission under <i>Invitation to Bid (IB) 2022-EPA-0022*. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The *PCC* now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required *upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed until December 31, 2022*. Bidders should have completed, within *five* (5) *years* from the date of submission and receipt of bids, a contract similar to the Project. 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 a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
 - Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships, partnerships, or organizations with at least sixty percent (60%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines, and to citizens or organizations of a country the laws or regulations of which grant similar rights or privileges to Filipino citizens, pursuant to RA No. 5183.
- 4. Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from *PCC* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during *office hours from 8:00AM to 5:00PM* (*Monday to Friday*).
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on 04 November 2021 from the given address and website below and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of Three Thousand Pesos (PhP3,000.00). The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees which may be presented in person or through electronic means.

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the non-refundable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

- 6. The *PCC* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on *12 November 2021*, *1:30PM* at the given address below and/or through video conferencing or webcasting *via Microsoft Teams*, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through *IB No. 2022-EPA-0022* on *24 November 2021, 12:00NN* at 25/F Vertis North Corporate Center 1, North Avenue, Quezon City or via e-bid submission through this link: https://pccgov.sharepoint.com/sites/E-BIDSubmission. Late bids shall not be accepted.
- 8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 14.
- 9. Bid opening shall be on **24** November **2020**, **1:30PM** at the given address below and/or via *Microsoft Teams*. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
- 10. Bids submitted through online submission must be in a compressed and password protected zip folder. The individual files inside the folder must also be password protected.
- 11. The *PCC* 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 IRR of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
- 12. For further information, please refer to:

The Secretariat
Bids and Awards Committee
Philippine Competition Commission

25/F Vertis North Corporate Center I North Avenue, Quezon City 1105

Telephone No.: (02) 8771-9722 local 204

E-mail: procurement@phcc.gov.ph or tjsakuma@phcc.gov.ph

Website: https://www.phcc.gov.ph/

13. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents:

<u>https://www.phcc.gov.ph/procurement/request-for-quotation-expression-of-interest-invitation-to-bid/</u>

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