

## SUPPLEMENTAL/BID BULLETIN NO. 1

This Supplemental/Bid Bulletin is issued to all prospective bidders to clarify, modify and/or amend items in the Bidding Documents as discussed and agreed during the Pre-Bid Conference held on 31 July 2023 for the *Procurement of Consulting Services for the Development of Road Map and Action Plan for the Surf Tourism in the Philippines (DOT BAC-REI No. 2023-014*).

## I. Section III. Bid Data Sheet

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ITB Clause 14.1	ITB Clause 14.1
Bids will be valid until December 05,	Bids will be valid until December 12,
2023.	2023.
ITB Clause 15.2	ITB Clause 15.2
The bid security shall be valid until	The bid security shall be valid until
December 05, 2023.	December 12, 2023.

## II. The following clarifications are provided for the guidance and reference of the bidder:

Clarifications from the Bidders	Response
1. Will the project cost cover the travel components of DOT employees for the fieldwork, or will the budget be solely for the consultants?	1. The project cost will not entail or will not cover any travel expenses for the DOT project officers.
2. Will the DOT be able to coordinate and seek assistance with the Regional Offices and Local Government Units (LGUs) regarding the conduct of the Research and public consultations that will be crucial or needed to gather relevant data and insights?	2. The DOT Central Office will coordinate with the Regional Offices for the implementation of the project.
3. Will the winning bidder be based on	3. Yes, the winning bid will be based on
Quality Based Evaluation (QBE)?	Quality Based Evaluation.

This shall form an integral part of the Bidding Documents.

For the guidance and information of all concerned.

ASEC. REYNALDO L. CHING DOT-BAC Chairperson

August 07, 2023