

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 17 August 2020 for the Procurement of **Disaster Recovery Data Center Co-Location and ICT Equipment Phase 2 (DOT-BAC IB NO. 2020-007)**, as follows:

I. Under Section VII. Technical Specifications of the Bidding Documents:

	(FROM) OLD PROVISION	(TO) NEW PROVISION
1	<p><i>Change in Quantity</i></p> <p><u>KVM Switch Set</u></p> <p>1 x DMPU2016-G01 16-POrt remote KM Switch with 2 remote users, 1 local user, dual power supply</p> <p><i>Under No. 2, ICT Equipment, item No. 5; page 72 of the Philippine Bidding Documents (PBD); or Page 11 of 22 of the Terms of Reference (TOR)</i></p>	<p><u>KVM Switch Set</u></p> <p>At least 16 x DMPU2016-G01 16-POrt remote KM Switch with 2 remote users, 1 local user, dual power supply</p>
2	<p><i>Deletion of Provision</i></p> <p>c. Preferably with knowledge on how the DOT Disaster Recovery Data Center was built for easier installation , configuration and deployment and also avoid re-configuration and re-deployment of the DOT Disaster Recovery Data Center Phase 1 which usually take a minimu of 2 month(s).</p> <p><i>Under Scope of Services, item “c”, page 61 of the PBD; or page 1-2 of the TOR</i></p>	<p>Deleted.</p>
3	<p><i>Requirement of the IT Team.</i></p> <p>Provider must have its own IT Technical Team present in the location</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 Solution Architect, 1 Senior System Engineer, 3 Junior System Engineer; - - Must provide IT organizational Chart - Must provide photocopy of identification (ID) of each IT persoonnel - Must be directly hired by the provider; - No outsourcing of IT Technical Team <p><i>Under Item IV no. 8, page 6 of 22, of the TOR</i></p>	<p>Provider must have its own (dedicated) IT Technical Team present in the location during all stages, but not limited to, such as installation, configuration, testing and deployment of the system. Submission of all identification (ID) of each IT Personnel is still a requirement.</p>
4	<p><i>Pages 61 to 87 of the PBD</i></p>	<p>Please refer to the <i>(separate file)</i> Terms of Reference or TOR for the corresponding typography or bulleted listings</p>

II. The following amendments and clarifications are provided for the prospective bidder(s) guidance and reference:

1. **Reiteration on the delivery dates.** The Department of Tourism (End-User) informs and reiterates that the delivery date is forty five (45) calendar days upon the issuance of the Notice to Proceed (NTP). In the event of a stricter Community Quarantine or restrictions caused by the pandemic, the contract will be adjusted accordingly.
2. **Inspection and Acceptance.** The Inspection and Acceptance of all Software/ Hardware will be ON-SITE. The Inspection and Acceptance of the DOT and the winning bidder will be both present to ensure that all software/hardware are functioning and operational.
3. **Single Largest Contract or SLCC.** As stated in the RA 9184 and its Revised IRR, 23.4.1.3., "*The prospective bidder must have completed, within the period specified in the Invitation to Bid, an SLCC that is similar to the contract to be bid, and whose value, adjusted to current prices using the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) consumer price indices, must be at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC. However, in the case of Expendable Supplies, said SLCC must be at least twenty five percent (25%) of the ABC.*" Also, the Bidder's SLCC similar to the Contract to be bid should have been completed within the last three (3) years prior to the deadline and receipt of bids.
4. **Gantt Chart.** The Gantt chart is attached for the reference and guidance of all prospective / interested bidders.

All unnamed portions of the Bidding Documents and related documents shall remain in effect and the same.

This Supplemental/Bid Bulletin shall form an integral part of the Bidding Documents.

For the guidance and information of all concerned.

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