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Procurement of Events Management Company for the Thailand Travel and Dive Expo (TDEX)

(DOT-BAC IB No. 2021-005)

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Preface

These Philippine Bidding Documents (PBDs) for the procurement of Goods through Competitive Bidding have been prepared by the Government of the Philippines for use by any branch, constitutional commission or office, agency, department, bureau, office, or instrumentality of the Government of the Philippines, National Government Agencies, including Government-Owned and/or Controlled Corporations, Government Financing Institutions, State Universities and Colleges, and Local Government Unit. The procedures and practices presented in this document have been developed through broad experience, and are for mandatory use in projects that are financed in whole or in part by the Government of the Philippines or any foreign government/foreign or international financing institution in accordance with the provisions of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184.

The Bidding Documents shall clearly and adequately define, among others: (i) the objectives, scope, and expected outputs and/or results of the proposed contract or Framework Agreement, as the case may be; (ii) the eligibility requirements of Bidders; (iii) the expected contract or Framework Agreement duration, the estimated quantity in the case of procurement of goods, delivery schedule and/or time frame; and (iv) the obligations, duties, and/or functions of the winning bidder.

Care should be taken to check the relevance of the provisions of the PBDs against the requirements of the specific Goods to be procured. If duplication of a subject is inevitable in other sections of the document prepared by the Procuring Entity, care must be exercised to avoid contradictions between clauses dealing with the same matter.

Moreover, each section is prepared with notes intended only as information for the Procuring Entity or the person drafting the Bidding Documents. They shall not be included in the final documents. The following general directions should be observed when using the documents:

- a. All the documents listed in the Table of Contents are normally required for the procurement of Goods. However, they should be adapted as necessary to the circumstances of the particular Procurement Project.
- b. Specific details, such as the "*name of the Procuring Entity*" and "*address for bid submission*," should be furnished in the Instructions to Bidders, Bid Data Sheet, and Special Conditions of Contract. The final documents should contain neither blank spaces nor options.
- c. This Preface and the footnotes or notes in italics included in the Invitation to Bid, Bid Data Sheet, General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions of Contract, Schedule of Requirements, and Specifications are not part of the text of the final document, although they contain instructions that the Procuring Entity should strictly follow

- d. The cover should be modified as required to identify the Bidding Documents as to the Procurement Project, Project Identification Number, and Procuring Entity, in addition to the date of issue.
- e. Modifications for specific Procurement Project details should be provided in the Special Conditions of Contract as amendments to the Conditions of Contract. For easy completion, whenever reference has to be made to specific clauses in the Bid Data Sheet or Special Conditions of Contract, these terms shall be printed in bold typeface on Sections I (Instructions to Bidders) and III (General Conditions of Contract), respectively.
- f. For guidelines on the use of Bidding Forms and the procurement of Foreign-Assisted Projects, these will be covered by a separate issuance of the Government Procurement Policy Board.

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Glossary of Acronyms, Terms, and Abbreviations

ABC – Approved Budget for the Contract.

BAC – Bids and Awards Committee.

Bid – A signed offer or proposal to undertake a contract submitted by a bidder in response to and in consonance with the requirements of the bidding documents. Also referred to as *Proposal* and *Tender*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[c])

Bidder – Refers to a contractor, manufacturer, supplier, distributor and/or consultant who submits a bid in response to the requirements of the Bidding Documents. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[d])

Bidding Documents – The documents issued by the Procuring Entity as the bases for bids, furnishing all information necessary for a prospective bidder to prepare a bid for the Goods, Infrastructure Projects, and/or Consulting Services required by the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[e])

BIR – Bureau of Internal Revenue.

BSP – Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas.

Consulting Services – Refer to services for Infrastructure Projects and other types of projects or activities of the GOP requiring adequate external technical and professional expertise that are beyond the capability and/or capacity of the GOP to undertake such as, but not limited to: (i) advisory and review services; (ii) pre-investment or feasibility studies; (iii) design; (iv) construction supervision; (v) management and related services; and (vi) other technical services or special studies. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[i])

CDA - Cooperative Development Authority.

Contract – Refers to the agreement entered into between the Procuring Entity and the Supplier or Manufacturer or Distributor or Service Provider for procurement of Goods and Services; Contractor for Procurement of Infrastructure Projects; or Consultant or Consulting Firm for Procurement of Consulting Services; as the case may be, as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.

CIF – Cost Insurance and Freight.

CIP – Carriage and Insurance Paid.

CPI – Consumer Price Index.

DDP – Refers to the quoted price of the Goods, which means "delivered duty paid."

DTI – Department of Trade and Industry.

EXW – Ex works.

FCA "-Free Carrier" shipping point.

FOB "-Free on Board" shipping point.

Foreign-funded Procurement or Foreign-Assisted Project– Refers to procurement whose funding source is from a foreign government, foreign or international financing institution as specified in the Treaty or International or Executive Agreement. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[b]).

Framework Agreement – Refers to a written agreement between a procuring entity and a supplier or service provider that identifies the terms and conditions, under which specific purchases, otherwise known as "Call-Offs," are made for the duration of the agreement. It is in the nature of an option contract between the procuring entity and the bidder(s) granting the procuring entity the option to either place an order for any of the goods or services identified in the Framework Agreement List or not buy at all, within a minimum period of one (1) year to a maximum period of three (3) years. (GPPB Resolution No. 27-2019)

GFI – Government Financial Institution.

GOCC – Government-owned and/or –controlled corporation.

Goods – Refer to all items, supplies, materials and general support services, except Consulting Services and Infrastructure Projects, which may be needed in the transaction of public businesses or in the pursuit of any government undertaking, project or activity, whether in the nature of equipment, furniture, stationery, materials for construction, or personal property of any kind, including non-personal or contractual services such as the repair and maintenance of equipment and furniture, as well as trucking, hauling, janitorial, security, and related or analogous services, as well as procurement of materials and supplies provided by the Procuring Entity for such services. The term "related" or "analogous services" shall include, but is not limited to, lease or purchase of office space, media advertisements, health maintenance services, and other services essential to the operation of the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[r])

GOP – Government of the Philippines.

GPPB – Government Procurement Policy Board.

INCOTERMS – International Commercial Terms.

Infrastructure Projects – Include the construction, improvement, rehabilitation, demolition, repair, restoration or maintenance of roads and bridges, railways, airports, seaports, communication facilities, civil works components of information technology projects, irrigation, flood control and drainage, water supply, sanitation, sewerage and solid waste management systems, shore protection, energy/power and electrification facilities, national buildings, school buildings, hospital buildings, and other related construction projects of the government. Also referred to as *civil works or works*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[u])

LGUs – Local Government Units.

NFCC – Net Financial Contracting Capacity.

NGA – National Government Agency.

PhilGEPS - Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System.

Procurement Project – refers to a specific or identified procurement covering goods, infrastructure project or consulting services. A Procurement Project shall be described, detailed, and scheduled in the Project Procurement Management Plan prepared by the agency which shall be consolidated in the procuring entity's Annual Procurement Plan. (GPPB Circular No. 06-2019 dated 17 July 2019)

PSA – Philippine Statistics Authority.

SEC – Securities and Exchange Commission.

SLCC – Single Largest Completed Contract.

Supplier – refers to a citizen, or any corporate body or commercial company duly organized and registered under the laws where it is established, habitually established in business and engaged in the manufacture or sale of the merchandise or performance of the general services covered by his bid. (Item 3.8 of GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019, dated 23 May 2019). Supplier as used in these Bidding Documents may likewise refer to a distributor, manufacturer, contractor, or consultant.

UN – United Nations.

Notes on the Invitation to Bid

The Invitation to Bid (IB) provides information that enables potential Bidders to decide whether to participate in the procurement at hand. The IB shall be posted in accordance with Section 21.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

Apart from the essential items listed in the Bidding Documents, the IB should also indicate the following:

- a. The date of availability of the Bidding Documents, which shall be from the time the IB is first advertised/posted until the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids;
- b. The place where the Bidding Documents may be acquired or the website where it may be downloaded;
- c. The deadline for the submission and receipt of bids; and
- d. Any important bid evaluation criteria (*e.g.*, the application of a margin of preference in bid evaluation).

The IB should be incorporated in the Bidding Documents. The information contained in the IB must conform to the Bidding Documents and in particular to the relevant information in the Bid Data Sheet.



INVITATION TO BID FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF EVENTS MANAGEMENT COMPANY FOR THE THAILAND TRAVEL AND DIVE EXPO (DOT-BAC IB No. 2021-005)

- 1. The *Department of Tourism (DOT)*, through the *GAA 2021* intends to apply the sum of *One Million Two Hundred Three Thousand Four Hundred Philippine Pesos* (*PhP1,203,400.00*) being the ABC to payments under the contract for the *Procurement of Events Management Company for the Thailand Travel and Dive Tourism (DOT-BAC IB No. 2021-005)*. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The [Department of Tourism (DOT), now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required by September 23-26, 2021. 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 nondiscretionary "*pass/fail*" criterion as specified in the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
- 4. Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from the *Department of Tourism* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Mondays to Fridays, excluding holidays.
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on 25 June 2021 to 14 July 2021 from 8:00 a.m to 3:00 p.m. and 15 July 2021 until 9:00 a.m. from the given address and website(s) 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 Five Thousand Philippine Pesos (PhP5,000.00).

Since most of the offices in DOT will continue to adopt Work from Home (WFH) arrangements, payments for bidding documents fee may be deposited to :

- Account Name: Department of Tourism Regular Trust
- Account Number: 00-0-05002-407-4
- Bank: Development Bank of the Philippines
 - Branch: F. Zobel Branch
 - Address: 809 J.P. Rizal corner F. Zobel St., Makati City

Payments must be deposited before the deadline of the submission of bids at 9:00 a.m. on 15 June 2021. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees via electronic mail by providing the scanned copy to **dot.bac@tourism.gov.ph** with the following:

- Name and Reference No. Of Project
- Amount Deposited
- 6. The **DOT** will hold a *Virtual Pre-Bid Conference* on 02 July 2021, 10:00 a.m.. using MS Teams platform, Prospective Bidders are advised to send their email addresses to the DOT-Secretariat official email at <u>dot.bac@tourism.gov.ph</u> and <u>jpvillamin@tourism.gov.ph</u> not later than 01 July 2021, 5:00 p.m., which shall be open to prospective bidders.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through *manual submission* at the office address indicated below, on or before *15 July 2021 at 9:00 a.m.*. 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 *14 July 2021, 10:00 a.m.* at the given address below. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.

The address for Opening of Bids is *Multi-Purpose Hall, 6th Floor, DOT Building, No.* 351 Sen. Gil J. Puyat Avenue, Makati City. Simultaneously, the Openings of Bids will be conducted through video conferencing using the MS Teams platform.

Prospective bidders who are interested in joining the opening of bids must send the following details to the BAC Secretariat via electronic mail at not later than 5:00 p.m. of 14 July 2021.

- Name of Representatives (maximum of two per agency/company)
- Company Name:
- Email Addresses/s/
- Contact Number/s
- 10. The *Department of Tourism* 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.

11. For further information, please refer to:

Godofredo R, Maldonado, Jr. Head, BAC Secretariat Department of Tourism (DOT) Building 351 Sen. Gil J. Puyat Avenue, Makati City (02) 845905200 local 44 and 425 dot.bac@tourism.gov.ph

12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: http://www.tourism.gov.ph/DOTOpenProjectsforBidding.aspx

Yours sincerely,

(orig. signed) USEC. ROBERTO P. ALABADO III DOT-BAC Chairperson

24 June 2021

Section II. Instructions to Bidders

Notes on the Instructions to Bidders

This Section on the Instruction to Bidders (ITB) provides the information necessary for bidders to prepare responsive bids, in accordance with the requirements of the Procuring Entity. It also provides information on bid submission, eligibility check, opening and evaluation of bids, post-qualification, and on the award of contract.

1. Scope of Bid

The Procuring Entity, *Department of Tourism (DOT)* wishes to receive Bids for the *Procurement of Events Management Company for the Thailand Travel and Dive Expo* with identification number *DOT-BAC IB NO. 2021-005*.

The Procurement Project (referred to herein as "Project") is composed of three (3) items, the details of which are described in Section VII (Technical Specifications).

2. Funding Information

- 1. The GOP through the source of funding as indicated below for *GAA 2021* in the amount of *One Million Two Hundred Three Thousand Four Hundred Philippine Pesos (PhP1,203,400.00)*
- 2. The source of funding is:
 - a. NGA, the National Expenditure Program.

3. Bidding Requirements

The Bidding for the Project shall be governed by all the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including its Generic Procurement Manuals and associated policies, rules and regulations as the primary source thereof, while the herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source thereof.

Any amendments made to the IRR and other GPPB issuances shall be applicable only to the ongoing posting, advertisement, or **IB** by the BAC through the issuance of a supplemental or bid bulletin.

The Bidder, by the act of submitting its Bid, shall be deemed to have verified and accepted the general requirements of this Project, including other factors that may affect the cost, duration and execution or implementation of the contract, project, or work and examine all instructions, forms, terms, and project requirements in the Bidding Documents.

4. Corrupt, Fraudulent, Collusive, and Coercive Practices

The Procuring Entity, as well as the Bidders and Suppliers, shall observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of the contract. They or through an agent shall not engage in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, and obstructive practices defined under Annex "I" of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 or other integrity violations in competing for the Project.

5. Eligible Bidders

- 5.1. Only Bids of Bidders found to be legally, technically, and financially capable will be evaluated.
- 5.2.
- b. Foreign ownership limited to those allowed under the rules may participate in this Project.
- 5.3. Pursuant to Section 23.4.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No.9184, the Bidder shall have an SLCC that is at least one (1) contract similar to the Project the value of which, adjusted to current prices using the PSA's CPI, must be at least equivalent to:
 - a. For the procurement of Non-expendable Supplies and Services: The Bidder must have completed a single contract that is similar to this Project, equivalent to at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC.
- 5.4. The Bidders shall comply with the eligibility criteria under Section 23.4.1 of the 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.

6. Origin of Goods

There is no restriction on the origin of goods other than those prohibited by a decision of the UN Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the UN, subject to Domestic Preference requirements under **ITB** Clause 18.

7. Subcontracts

1. The Bidder may subcontract portions of the Project to the extent allowed by the Procuring Entity as stated herein, but in no case more than twenty percent (20%) of the Project.

The Procuring Entity has prescribed that:

a. Subcontracting is not allowed.

8. Pre-Bid Conference

The Procuring Entity will hold a pre-bid conference for this Project on the specified date and time and either at its physical address *Multi-purpose Hall, 6F DOT Building, Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City* and through videoconferencing/ webcasting} as indicated in paragraph 6 of the IB.

9. Clarification and Amendment of Bidding Documents

Prospective bidders may request for clarification on and/or interpretation of any part of the Bidding Documents. Such requests must be in writing and received by the Procuring Entity, either at its given address or through electronic mail indicated in the **IB**, at least ten (10) calendar days before the deadline set for the submission and receipt of Bids.

10. Documents comprising the Bid: Eligibility and Technical Components

- 1. The first envelope shall contain the eligibility and technical documents of the Bid as specified in Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents).
- 2. The Bidder's SLCC as indicated in **ITB** Clause 5.3 should have been completed within *[state relevant period as provided in paragraph 2 of the IB]* prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
- 3. If the eligibility requirements or statements, the bids, and all other documents for submission to the BAC are in foreign language other than English, it must be accompanied by a translation in English, which shall be authenticated by the appropriate Philippine foreign service establishment, post, or the equivalent office having jurisdiction over the foreign bidder's affairs in the Philippines. Similar to the required authenticated documents shall be authenticated through an apostille pursuant to GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019 dated 23 May 2019. The English translation shall govern, for purposes of interpretation of the bid.

11. Documents comprising the Bid: Financial Component

- 1. The second bid envelope shall contain the financial documents for the Bid as specified in Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents).
- 2. If the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity, a certification issued by DTI shall be provided by the Bidder in accordance with Section 43.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 3. Any bid exceeding the ABC indicated in paragraph 1 of the **IB** shall not be accepted.
- 4. For Foreign-funded Procurement, a ceiling may be applied to bid prices provided the conditions are met under Section 31.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

12. Bid Prices

- 12.1. Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall be entered separately in the following manner:
 - a. For Goods offered from within the Procuring Entity's country:
 - i. The price of the Goods quoted EXW (ex-works, ex-factory, exwarehouse, ex-showroom, or off-the-shelf, as applicable);
 - ii. The cost of all customs duties and sales and other taxes already paid or payable;
 - iii. The cost of transportation, insurance, and other costs incidental to delivery of the Goods to their final destination; and
 - iv. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, listed in e.
 - b. For Goods offered from abroad:
 - i. Unless otherwise stated in the **BDS**, the price of the Goods shall be quoted delivered duty paid (DDP) with the place of destination in the Philippines as specified in the **BDS**. In quoting the price, the Bidder shall be free to use transportation through carriers registered in any eligible country. Similarly, the Bidder may obtain insurance services from any eligible source country.
 - ii. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, as listed in Section VII (Technical Specifications).

13. Bid and Payment Currencies

- 1. For Goods that the Bidder will supply from outside the Philippines, the bid prices may be quoted in the local currency or tradeable currency accepted by the BSP at the discretion of the Bidder. However, for purposes of bid evaluation, Bids denominated in foreign currencies, shall be converted to Philippine currency based on the exchange rate as published in the BSP reference rate bulletin on the day of the bid opening.
- 2. Payment of the contract price shall be made in:
 - a. Philippine Pesos.

14. Bid Security

- 1. The Bidder shall submit a Bid Securing Declaration¹ or any form of Bid Security in the amount indicated in the **BDS**, which shall be not less than the percentage of the ABC in accordance with the schedule in the **BDS**.
- 2. The Bid and bid security shall be valid until *10 November 2021*. Any Bid not accompanied by an acceptable bid security shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.

15. Sealing and Marking of Bids

Each Bidder shall submit one copy of the first and second components of its Bid.

The Procuring Entity may request additional hard copies and/or electronic copies of the Bid. However, failure of the Bidders to comply with the said request shall not be a ground for disqualification.

If the Procuring Entity allows the submission of bids through online submission or any other electronic means, the Bidder shall submit an electronic copy of its Bid, which must be digitally signed. An electronic copy that cannot be opened or is corrupted shall be considered non-responsive and, thus, automatically disqualified.

16. Deadline for Submission of Bids

16.1. The Bidders shall submit on the specified date and time and either at its physical address or through online submission as indicated in paragraph 7 of the **IB**.

17. Opening and Preliminary Examination of Bids

1. The BAC shall open the Bids in public at the time, on the date, and at the place specified in paragraph 9 of the **IB**. The Bidders' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance. In case videoconferencing, webcasting or other similar technologies will be used, attendance of participants shall likewise be recorded by the BAC Secretariat.

In case the Bids cannot be opened as scheduled due to justifiable reasons, the rescheduling requirements under Section 29 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 shall prevail.

2. The preliminary examination of bids shall be governed by Section 30 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

18. Domestic Preference

18.1. The Procuring Entity will grant a margin of preference for the purpose of comparison of Bids in accordance with Section 43.1.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

19. Detailed Evaluation and Comparison of Bids

- 1. The Procuring BAC shall immediately conduct a detailed evaluation of all Bids rated "*passed*," using non-discretionary pass/fail criteria. The BAC shall consider the conditions in the evaluation of Bids under Section 32.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 2. If the Project allows partial bids, bidders may submit a proposal on any of the lots or items, and evaluation will be undertaken on a per lot or item basis, as the case maybe. In this case, the Bid Security as required by **ITB** Clause 15 shall be submitted for each lot or item separately.
- 3. The descriptions of the lots or items shall be indicated in Section VII (Technical Specifications), although the ABCs of these lots or items are indicated in the BDS for purposes of the NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.2.6 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184. The NFCC must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.
- 4. The Project shall be awarded as follows:

Option 1 – One Project having several items that shall be awarded as one contract.

5. Except for bidders submitting a committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation, all Bids must include the NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.1.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, which must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder. For bidders submitting the committed Line of Credit, it must be at least equal to ten percent (10%) of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.

20. Post-Qualification

20.2. Within a non-extendible period of five (5) calendar days from receipt by the Bidder of the notice from the BAC that it submitted the Lowest Calculated Bid,

21. Signing of the Contract

21.1. The documents required in Section 37.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No.9184 shall form part of the Contract. Additional Contract documents are indicated in the **BDS**.

Section III. Bid Data Sheet

Notes on the Bid Data Sheet

The Bid Data Sheet (BDS) consists of provisions that supplement, amend, or specify in detail, information, or requirements included in the ITB found in Section II, which are specific to each procurement.

This Section is intended to assist the Procuring Entity in providing the specific information in relation to corresponding clauses in the ITB and has to be prepared for each specific procurement.

The Procuring Entity should specify in the BDS information and requirements specific to the circumstances of the Procuring Entity, the processing of the procurement, and the bid evaluation criteria that will apply to the Bids. In preparing the BDS, the following aspects should be checked:

- a. Information that specifies and complements provisions of the ITB must be incorporated.
- b. Amendments and/or supplements, if any, to provisions of the ITB as necessitated by the circumstances of the specific procurement, must also be incorporated.

ITB Clause			
5.3	For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be:		
	a. Must be a company capable of providing the following services:		
	 Must be able to design, set-up, and dismantle the Philippine Booth Engaging the services of a printing press company to conceptualize and develop collateral Logistical requirements 		
	4. Organize a digital B2B event and a digital based participation in the booth		
	Must have experience and expertise in planning, implementing and managing major international events in Thailand		
	b. completed within five (5) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.		
7.1	No further instructions.		
12	The price of the Goods shall be quoted DDP <i>[state place of destination]</i> or the applicable International Commercial Terms (INCOTERMS) for this Project.		
14.1	The bid security shall be in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration, or any of the following forms and amounts:		
	a. The amount of not less than <u>PhP24,068.00</u> [Indicate the amount equivalent to two percent (2%) of ABC], if bid security is in cash, cashier's/manager's check, bank draft/guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit; or		
	b. The amount of not less than PhP60.170.00 [Indicate the amount equivalent to five percent (5%) of ABC] if bid security is in Surety Bond.		

Bid Data Sheet

19.3	 Booth Special Shell Type Design and Installation, Rental of 4 Laptop Computers with high-speed internet, Thai & English interpreters, and Digital Application for B2C during the duration of expo: \$7,368.00 or Php 368,400.00 B2B digital Platform and rental of 5 Lap Top computers with high-speed internet, 3 (bilingual) Thai and English, coffee break (20-30 packed coffee /snack), networking and in booth expenses (collateral, giveaways, and 2 days speaker honorarium: \$9,200.00 or Php 460,000.00 Events Management Company Fee: \$7,500.00 or PHP 375,000.00
20.2	No further instructions.
21.2	Must be able to get accreditation from N.C.C Exhibition Organizer Co., Ltd., (NEO) and/or the Bangkok International Trade and Exhibition Center (BITEC)

Section IV. General Conditions of Contract

Notes on the General Conditions of Contract

The General Conditions of Contract (GCC) in this Section, read in conjunction with the Special Conditions of Contract in Section V and other documents listed therein, should be a complete document expressing all the rights and obligations of the parties.

Matters governing performance of the Supplier, payments under the contract, or matters affecting the risks, rights, and obligations of the parties under the contract are included in the GCC and Special Conditions of Contract.

Any complementary information, which may be needed, shall be introduced only through the Special Conditions of Contract.

1. Scope of Contract

This Contract shall include all such items, although not specifically mentioned, that can be reasonably inferred as being required for its completion as if such items were expressly mentioned herein. All the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including the Generic Procurement Manual, and associated issuances, constitute the primary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract, and thus, applicable in contract implementation. Herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract.

This is without prejudice to Sections 74.1 and 74.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 allowing the GPPB to amend the IRR, which shall be applied to all procurement activities, the advertisement, posting, or invitation of which were issued after the effectivity of the said amendment.

Additional requirements for the completion of this Contract shall be provided in the **Special Conditions of Contract (SCC).**

2. Advance Payment and Terms of Payment

- 2.1. Advance payment of the contract amount is provided under Annex "D" of the revised 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 2.2. The Procuring Entity is allowed to determine the terms of payment on the partial or staggered delivery of the Goods procured, provided such partial payment shall correspond to the value of the goods delivered and accepted in accordance with prevailing accounting and auditing rules and regulations. The terms of payment are indicated in the SCC.

[Include the following clauses if Framework Agreement will be used:]

- 2.3. For a single-year Framework Agreement, prices charged by the Supplier for Goods delivered and/or services performed under a Call-Off shall not vary from the prices quoted by the Supplier in its bid.
- 2.4. For multi-year Framework Agreement, prices charged by the Supplier for Goods delivered and/or services performed under a Call-Off shall not vary from the prices quoted by the Supplier during conduct of Mini-Competition.

3. Performance Security

Within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of the Notice of Award by the Bidder from the Procuring Entity but in no case later than prior to the signing of the Contract by both parties, the successful Bidder shall furnish the performance security in any of the forms prescribed in Section 39 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.*{[Include if Framework Agreement will be used:] In the case of* Framework Agreement, the

Bidder may opt to furnish the performance security or a Performance Securing Declaration as defined under the Guidelines on the Use of Framework Agreement.}

4. Inspection and Tests

The Procuring Entity or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the Goods to confirm their conformity to the Project.

In addition to tests in the SCC, Section IV (Technical Specifications) shall specify what inspections and/or tests the Procuring Entity requires, and where they are to be conducted. The Procuring Entity shall notify the Supplier in writing, in a timely manner, of the identity of any representatives retained for these purposes.

All reasonable facilities and assistance for the inspection and testing of Goods, including access to drawings and production data, shall be provided by the Supplier to the authorized inspectors at no charge to the Procuring Entity.

5. Warranty

- 1. In order to assure that manufacturing defects shall be corrected by the Supplier, a warranty shall be required from the Supplier as provided under Section 62.1 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 2. The Procuring Entity shall promptly notify the Supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty. Upon receipt of such notice, the Supplier shall, repair or replace the defective Goods or parts thereof without cost to the Procuring Entity, pursuant to the Generic Procurement Manual.

6. Liability of the Supplier

The Supplier's liability under this Contract shall be as provided by the laws of the Republic of the Philippines.

If the Supplier is a joint venture, all partners to the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable to the Procuring Entity.

Section V. Special Conditions of Contract

Notes on the Special Conditions of Contract

Similar to the BDS, the clauses in this Section are intended to assist the Procuring Entity in providing contract-specific information in relation to corresponding clauses in the GCC found in Section IV.

The Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) complement the GCC, specifying contractual requirements linked to the special circumstances of the Procuring Entity, the Procuring Entity's country, the sector, and the Goods purchased. In preparing this Section, the following aspects should be checked:

- a. Information that complements provisions of the GCC must be incorporated.
- b. Amendments and/or supplements to provisions of the GCC as necessitated by the circumstances of the specific purchase, must also be incorporated.

However, no special condition which defeats or negates the general intent and purpose of the provisions of the GCC should be incorporated herein.

GCC Clause 1 [List here any additional requirements for the completion of this Contract. The following requirements and the corresponding provisions may be deleted, amended, or retained depending on its applicability to this Contract:] **Delivery and Documents –** For purposes of the Contract, "EXW," "FOB," "FCA," "CIF," "CIP," "DDP" and other trade terms used to describe the obligations of the parties shall have the meanings assigned to them by the current edition of INCOTERMS published by the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris. The Delivery terms of this Contract shall be as follows: [For Goods supplied from abroad, state:] "The delivery terms applicable to the Contract are DDP delivered [indicate place of destination]. In accordance with INCOTERMS." [For Goods supplied from within the Philippines, state:] "The delivery terms applicable to this Contract are delivered [indicate place of destination]. Risk and title will pass from the Supplier to the Procuring Entity upon receipt and final acceptance of the Goods at their final destination." Delivery of the Goods shall be made by the Supplier in accordance with the terms specified in Section VI (Schedule of Requirements). For purposes of this Clause the Procuring Entity's Representative at the Project Site is *[indicate name(s)]*. Incidental Services -The Supplier is required to provide all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in Section VI. Schedule of Requirements: Select appropriate requirements and delete the rest. performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or start-up of a. the supplied Goods; b. furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied Goods;

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c. furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied Goods;
d. performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied Goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the Supplier of any warranty obligations under this Contract; and
e. training of the Procuring Entity's personnel, at the Supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied Goods.
f. [Specify additional incidental service requirements, as needed.]
The Contract price for the Goods shall include the prices charged by the Supplier for incidental services and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the Supplier for similar services.
Spare Parts –
The Supplier is required to provide all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the Supplier:
Select appropriate requirements and delete the rest.
a. such spare parts as the Procuring Entity may elect to purchase from the Supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the Supplier of any warranty obligations under this Contract; and
b. in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
i. advance notification to the Procuring Entity of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the Procuring Entity to procure needed requirements; and
ii. following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the Procuring Entity, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

The spare parts and other components required are listed in Section VI (Schedule of Requirements) and the cost thereof are included in the contract price.

The Supplier shall carry sufficient inventories to assure ex-stock supply of consumable spare parts or components for the Goods for a period of [*indicate here the time period specified. If not used indicate a time period of three times the warranty period*].

Spare parts or components shall be supplied as promptly as possible, but in any case, within [*insert appropriate time period*] months of placing the order.

Packaging -

The Supplier shall provide such packaging of the Goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in this Contract. The packaging shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packaging case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the Goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.

The packaging, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the Contract, including additional requirements, if any, specified below, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the Procuring Entity.

The outer packaging must be clearly marked on at least four (4) sides as follows:

Name of the Procuring Entity

Name of the Supplier

Contract Description

Final Destination

Gross weight

Any special lifting instructions

Any special handling instructions

Any relevant HAZCHEM classifications

A packaging list identifying the contents and quantities of the package is to be placed on an accessible point of the outer packaging if practical. If not practical the packaging list is to be placed inside the outer packaging but outside the secondary packaging.

Transportation –

Where the Supplier is required under Contract to deliver the Goods CIF, CIP, or DDP, transport of the Goods to the port of destination or such other named place of destination in the Philippines, as shall be specified in this Contract, shall be arranged and paid for by the Supplier, and the cost thereof shall be included in the Contract Price.

Where the Supplier is required under this Contract to transport the Goods to a specified place of destination within the Philippines, defined as the Project Site, transport to such place of destination in the Philippines, including insurance and storage, as shall be specified in this Contract, shall be arranged by the Supplier, and related costs shall be included in the contract price.

Where the Supplier is required under Contract to deliver the Goods CIF, CIP or DDP, Goods are to be transported on carriers of Philippine registry. In the event that no carrier of Philippine registry is available, Goods may be shipped by a carrier which is not of Philippine registry provided that the Supplier obtains and presents to the Procuring Entity certification to this effect from the nearest Philippine registry are available but their schedule delays the Supplier in its performance of this Contract the period from when the Goods were first ready for shipment and the actual date of shipment the period of delay will be considered force majeure.

The Procuring Entity accepts no liability for the damage of Goods during transit other than those prescribed by INCOTERMS for DDP deliveries. In the case of Goods supplied from within the Philippines or supplied by domestic Suppliers risk and title will not be deemed to have passed to the Procuring Entity until their receipt and final acceptance at the final destination.

Intellectual Property Rights -

	The Supplier shall indemnify the Procuring Entity against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the Goods or any part thereof.
2.2	The terms of payment shall on a send-bill arrangement and in accordance with the government procedures.
4	No further instruction.

Section VI. Schedule of Requirements

The delivery schedule expressed as weeks/months stipulates hereafter a delivery date which is the date of delivery to the project site.

Item Number	Description	Quantity	Total	Delivered, Weeks/ Months
	HYBRID B2BTRAVEL EXCHANGE HYBRID BUSINESS-TO- BUSINESS (B2B) DIGITAL NETWORKING MEETING WITH THAI DIVE AGENTS/ OPERATORS/ CLUBS	1	1	23 September 2021 at TDEX Site
	TDEX 2021 PHILIPPINEBOOTH- INSTALLATION AND BOOTHMANAGEMENT- PROGRAM DEVELOPMENTAND MAIN STAGE PROGRAM	1	1	23 September 2021 to 26 September 2021

Section VII. Technical Specifications

Notes for Preparing the Technical Specifications

A set of precise and clear specifications is a prerequisite for Bidders to respond realistically and competitively to the requirements of the Procuring Entity without qualifying their Bids. In the context of Competitive Bidding, the specifications (*e.g.* production/delivery schedule, manpower requirements, and after-sales service/parts, descriptions of the lots or items) must be prepared to permit the widest possible competition and, at the same time, present a clear statement of the required standards of workmanship, materials, and performance of the goods and services to be procured. Only if this is done will the objectives of transparency, equity, efficiency, fairness , and economy in procurement be realized, responsiveness of bids be ensured, and the subsequent task of bid evaluation and post-qualification facilitated. The specifications should require that all items, materials and accessories to be included or incorporated in the goods be new, unused, and of the most recent or current models, and that they include or incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless otherwise provided in the Contract.

Samples of specifications from previous similar procurements are useful in this respect. The use of metric units is encouraged. Depending on the complexity of the goods and the repetitiveness of the type of procurement, it may be advantageous to standardize the General Technical Specifications and incorporate them in a separate subsection. The General Technical Specifications should cover all classes of workmanship, materials, and equipment commonly involved in manufacturing similar goods. Deletions or addenda should then adapt the General Technical Specifications to the particular procurement.

Care must be taken in drafting specifications to ensure that they are not restrictive. In the specification of standards for equipment, materials, and workmanship, recognized Philippine and international standards should be used as much as possible. Where other particular standards are used, whether national standards or other standards, the specifications should state that equipment, materials, and workmanship that meet other authoritative standards, and which ensure at least a substantially equal quality than the standards mentioned, will also be acceptable. The following clause may be inserted in the Special Conditions of Contract or the Technical Specifications.

Sample Clause: Equivalency of Standards and Codes

Wherever reference is made in the Technical Specifications to specific standards and codes to be met by the goods and materials to be furnished or tested, the provisions of the latest edition or revision of the relevant standards and codes shall apply, unless otherwise expressly stated in the Contract. Where such standards and codes are national or relate to a particular country or region, other authoritative standards that ensure substantial equivalence to the standards and codes specified will be acceptable.

Reference to brand name and catalogue number should be avoided as far as possible; where unavoidable they should always be followed by the words "*or at least equivalent*." References to brand names cannot be used when the funding source is the GOP.

- I. PROJECT TITLE : Events Management Company
- II. PROJECT DATE : September 23 to 26,2021

III. BACKGROUND

- The Thailand Travel and Dive Expo (TDEX) is an annual four-day expo established in 2004 to support the growth of the scuba diving industry and showcase activities and equipment related to dive tourism.
- The show is one of the most recognized scuba diving expos in Asia and is marketed as "The Real Business Hub for the Diving Industry," registering more than 80,000 visitors and more than 250 booths from local and international dive companies including dive certifying schools, dive equipment manufacturers, underwater photographer equipment manufacturers, underwater states.
- The Office of Product and Market Development (OPMD) Dive participated in last year's show to network with key industry stakeholders in the Region, and to conduct product presentations and business to business (B2B) meetings.

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>DATE</u>	VENUE
THAILAND TRAVEL AND	September 23-26	Bangkok International Trade
DIVE EXPO (TDEX) 2021	20 21	and Exhibition Centre

IV. OBJECTIVES

- To provide a platform for the Department and the private sector to meet, establish, and renew linkages with dive industry partners in Thailand.
- To generate marketing and promotions leads that the Department can support to further its goals in creating new dive products and services for the marketplace.
- To heighten the market presence of the Philippines among Thai divers and make it a preferred destination for a diveholiday
- To provide a venue for updates on the Philippine dive tourism program amidst the disruption caused by the pandemic, and maintain awareness among the Thai dive market

V. MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- A. Must be a company capable of providing the following services:
 - 1. Must be able to design, set-up, and dismantle the Philippine Booth at the Thailand Dive Expo (TDEX) 2021
 - 2. Engaging the services of a printing press company to conceptualize and develop collateral
 - 3. Logistical requirements
 - 4. Organize a digital B2B event and a digital based participation in the booth
- B. Must have experience and expertise in planning, implementing and managing major international events in Thailand
- C. Must have at least 5 years of experience in planning, implementing and managing international tourism events;
- D. Must have handled similar projects /requirements in the past, particularly dive events in Thailand
- E. Must have the capability to operate in Bangkok, Thailand
- F. Must have experience in dealing with National Tourism Organizations (NTO) in the ASEAN Region
 - 1. Must have a certificate of satisfactory performance from at least 3 previous clients
 - 2. Must have in-depth knowledge of the Philippines

3. Must have an established network in tourism - Dive industry and experience in conducting related B2B events in Thailand with satisfactory rating from contracting

party with corresponding certification;

- G. Must be willing to do advance payment to relevant suppliers such as exhibition booth contractor, printing house, and corporate giveaways company on reimbursement basis
- H. Must handle and coordinate with the Organizer the Damage Insurance Fee
- I. Must be able to get accreditation from N.C.C Exhibition Organizer Co., Ltd., (NEO) and/or the Bangkok International Trade and Exhibition Center (BITEC)
- J. Must have a dedicated team who will focus on the design and set-up of the Philippine booth
- K. Must have the capability to invest, coordinate shipment to organizers of the dive show,
- L. Must be able to provide a digital platform for the B2B exchange with charges related to the same that is covered within thebudget
- M. Must be PHILGEPS registered

VI. SCOPE OF WORK AND DELIVERABLES

I. **HYBRID B2B TRAVEL EXCHANGE** - Hybrid Business-to-Business (B2B) Digital Networking Meeting with Thai Dive Agents/Operators/Clubs

Date of Implementation : September 23,2021 (proposed)

Venue: at TDEX 2021 site

Hybrid B2B Exchange	 Organize a hybrid B2B within the TDEX site to allow minimum 5 Philippine dive stakeholders and 20 Thai buyers to participate
	2. Facilitate the presentation materials of Philippine sellers and prepare translated materials to distribute to the buyers
	3. Develop a buyers list and Invite travel buyers to the B2B; handle invitation and confirmation of attendance of at least 15 to 20 Thai dive agents
	4. Provide logistical requirements and arrange for the appropriate paraphernalia that will enable the successful implementation of the business meeting to include: (a) meetings room half day use; (b)Audio visual Equipment; (c) B2B digital video conferencing platform/tool; (d) 5 laptop and high speed internet; (d) Hire the services of Thai & English interpreters that will be available physically or digitally to assist in the negotiation meetings on need basis

Dates	PHILIPPINE BOOTH : September 23 to 26, 2021 (duration of the Thailand Dive Expo 2021)
Venue BoothSpace	: BITEC Bangna, Bangkok, Thailand : 18sq.m. (3.00 x 6.00 m)
Installation & Booth Manageme nt	 Provide assistance in coordinating with organizers for DOT's booth space reservation and Philippine participation Must be able to provide design and layout for the Philippine booth 42"LEDTV that will project dive videos and images in the Philippines. A Philippine Information counter equipped with the health safety measures by the Organizer, with 1 Laptop Computer and digital application and should be bigger than the rest of the counters. Additional Four Counters for 4 PH Stakeholders equipped with the health safety measures in compliance with the Organizer's standards, with 1 Laptop Computer / counter and high- speed internet digital application for B2C use. General stand design theme: DIVE PHILIPPINES Special Booth Shell Type design set-up inclusive of walls. Printing of appropriate backdrop visuals/ overhead ceiling banners/ interior decor as appropriate, fresh plants and flowers, sufficient lighting to convey a tropical island setting and other decorative elements following the general theme as adive destination. Elevated carpeted flooring to cover the electrical wiring and connections,

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	 1 set of system structure for backdrop (6.00 x 2.50m) 1 set of system structure for tower (3.00 x 2.50 x 3.50m) One (1) Philippine Information Counter should have the following: 1 Table /Counter with Laptop Computer, high speed internet & digital application for webinar, 2 black bar stool, 42" inch LCD screen, power outlet, lockable cabinet, brochure racks, exhibitor directory and stand layout, appropriate visuals and accessories, and clear PVC for health safety measure / social distancing. Four (4) Individual workstations should have the following: 1 table/ counter with laptop, high speed internet and digital application for webinar, lockable storage cabinet, 1 chair, individual electric outlets and adaptors, and clear PVC as required for social distancing. 1 set of discussion table consist of 1 high round table with 2 white bar stools Furniture should fit the tropical setting and conform to the recommended layout by bidding company to include counters, tables, chairs, shelves, etc. All exhibition venue connections (electricity, suspensions, and permits) Fast and reliable internet access / connection for all Laptop Computers with the required digital webinar application. Provision of Four (4) laptop computer to be used for the B2C component of event Provision of Four (4) laptop appoint, Information counter 1 point, Discussion 1 point, TV 1 point) 8 units of Spotlight with arm for backdrop and tower Sufficient power outlets and lighting Other accessories needed to achieve the desired theme Safety Standard Hygiene such as Alcohol-based-sanitizing gel must be provided at the respective Webinar Counters for B2C inside the Philippine booth for the visitors. Daily stand cleaning and disinfection of the Philippine stand – before the opening, closing, and as needed (following the guidelines issued by the organizer). <
Program	1. Create a program/activities that will generate traffic to the digital medium that will connect our
Developme	dive operators, Thai and Philippine, to the booth visitors.

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Main Stage	2. Hire services of at least 3 (bilingual) Thai and English interpreters to help man, assist and do			
Program	translations at the Philippine Booth on queries addressed to our Philippine exhibitors participating thru the digital medium.			
	3. Facilitate payment for Thai dive influencer who will present about diving in the Philippines			
	4. Invite expo goers to increase attendance for the Philippine presentation.			
	 5.Dive Map/Brochure and Giveaways Produce giveaways (500) pieces of reusable cloth 3 ply face mask Specifications: Outside- 500T Cotton Silk fabric (full screen), Inside- 100% Cotton Fabric (black color), with adjustable strap (black color), size- adult medium (W-17cm x H-15.5cm), w/colored Dive PH logo, (Design- for approval) Produce/Print 1,000 colored copies (A4, back-to-back printing, glossy finish) of dive maps/brochures in Thai language. 			

VII. BUDGET

Total Estimated Budget: \$24,068.00 or PHP 1,203,400.00 with breakdown as follows:

1. Booth Special Shell Type Design and Installation, Rental of 4 Laptop Computers with high-speed internet, Thai & English interpreters, and Digital Application for B2C during the duration of expo: **\$7,368.00 or Php 368,400.00**

2.B2B digital Platform and rental of 5 Lap Top computers with high-speed internet, 3 (bilingual) Thai and English, coffee break (20-30 packed coffee /snack), networking and in booth expenses (collateral, giveaways, and 2 days speaker honorarium: **\$9,200.00 or Php 460,000.00**

3. Events Management Company Fee: \$7,500.00 or PHP 375,000.00

The total working budget must be inclusive of taxes and other applicable fees. Financial proposal should allow modifications in stand and layout and design according to the needs and requirements of the end user and organizer.

The winning bid however shall be determined based on the proposal with the most advantageous financial and design package cost, provided that the bid amount does not exceed the above total budget.

VIII. PAYMENT TERMS

Send bill arrangement, government terms

IX. CONTACT PERSON

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Must handle and coordinate with the Organizer the Damage Insurance Fee

Section VIII. Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

Notes on the Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

The prescribed documents in the checklist are mandatory to be submitted in the Bid, but shall be subject to the following:

- a. GPPB Resolution No. 09-2020 on the efficient procurement measures during a State of Calamity or other similar issuances that shall allow the use of alternate documents in lieu of the mandated requirements; or
- b. Any subsequent GPPB issuances adjusting the documentary requirements after the effectivity of the adoption of the PBDs.

The BAC shall be checking the submitted documents of each Bidder against this checklist to ascertain if they are all present, using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion pursuant to Section 30 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

I. TECHNICAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE

Class "A" Documents

Legal Documents

- (a) Valid PhilGEPS Registration Certificate (Platinum Membership) (all pages); <u>or</u>
- (b) Registration certificate from Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) for sole proprietorship, or Cooperative Development Authority (CDA) for cooperatives or its equivalent document, and
- (c) Mayor's or Business permit issued by the city or municipality where the principal place of business of the prospective bidder is located, or the equivalent document for Exclusive Economic Zones or Areas;
 <u>and</u>
- (d) Tax clearance per E.O. No. 398, s. 2005, as finally reviewed and approved by the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR).

Technical Documents

- (f) Statement of the prospective bidder of all its ongoing government and private contracts, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any, whether similar or not similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid; **and**
- (g) Statement of the bidder's Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC) similar to the contract to be bid, except under conditions provided for in Sections 23.4.1.3 and 23.4.2.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, within the relevant period as provided in the Bidding Documents; and

(h) Original copy of Bid Security. If in the form of a Surety Bond, submit also a certification issued by the Insurance Commission;
 <u>or</u>

Original copy of Notarized Bid Securing Declaration; and

- (i) Conformity with the Technical Specifications, which may include production/delivery schedule, manpower requirements, and/or after-sales/ parts, if applicable; **and**
- (j) Original duly signed Omnibus Sworn Statement (OSS); and if applicable, Original Notarized Secretary's Certificate in case of a corporation, partnership, or cooperative; or Original Special Power of Attorney of all members of the joint venture giving full power and authority to its officer to sign the OSS and do acts to represent the Bidder.

Financial Documents

- (k) The Supplier's audited financial statements, showing, among others, the Supplier's total and current assets and liabilities, stamped "received" by the BIR or its duly accredited and authorized institutions, for the preceding calendar year which should not be earlier than two (2) years from the date of bid submission; and
- (l) The prospective bidder's computation of Net Financial Contracting Capacity (NFCC);

<u>or</u>

A committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation.

Class "B" Documents

(m) If applicable, a duly signed joint venture agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is already in existence;

<u>or</u>

duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners stating that they will enter into and abide by the provisions of the JVA in the instance that the bid is successful.

Other documentary requirements under RA No. 9184 (as applicable)

- (n) [For foreign bidders claiming by reason of their country's extension of reciprocal rights to Filipinos] Certification from the relevant government office of their country stating that Filipinos are allowed to participate in government procurement activities for the same item or product.
- (o) Certification from the DTI if the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity.

25. FINANCIAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE

- (a) Original of duly signed and accomplished Financial Bid Form; **and**
- (b) Original of duly signed and accomplished Price Schedule(s).

