INVITATION TO BID FOR THE

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF CUT-SIZE PAPER PRODUCTS FOR THE PROCUREMENT SERVICE

PUBLIC BIDDING NO. 20-025-1

FUNDING SOURCE: PROCUREMENT SERVICE FUNDS

1. The PROCUREMENT SERVICE invites PhilGEPS registered suppliers to bid for the following items in accordance with the provisions of the Revised IRR of R.A. 9184 on the use of the Approved Guidelines on the use of a Single Year Framework Agreement (Outright Determination of Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid) under GPPB Resolution No. 27-2019:

Lot No.	Quantity	Item/Description	Approved Budget for the Contract	Price of Bid Documents	Delivery Period
1	482,850 reams	PAPER, MULTIPURPOSE, 70gsm min., Size: A4, 210mm x 297mm	₱62,770,500.00	₱7,000.00	Please refer to Section VI. Schedule of
2	593,550 reams	PAPER, MULTICOPY, 80gsm (-3%), A4, 210mm x 297mm	₱87,845,400.00	₱9,000.00	Requirements (Framework Agreement List)

TOTAL AMOUNT: ₱150,615,900.00

Bidders should have completed, within *Five (5) years* prior to the date of submission and receipt of bids, a contract similar to the Project.

2. The summary of the bidding activities is as follows:

Advertisement/Posting of Invitation to Bid	10 August 2020	
Issuance and Availability of Bid Documents	10 August 2020	
Pre-Bid Conference	17 August 2020; 10:00 A.M.	
Last day of Submission of Written Clarification	19 August 2020	
Last day of Issuance of Bid Bulletin	20 August 2020	
Deadline for Submission	24 August 2020; 10:00 A.M.	
Opening of Bids	Immediately after the Deadline of Submission of Bids	

- 3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act".
- 4. 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 5183 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.
- 5. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the Procurement Service and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during office hours.

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders from the PS Cashier's Office and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee in amounts pursuant to the Schedule.

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

- 6. The PROCUREMENT SERVICE will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on 17 August 2020; 10:00 A.M. which shall be open to all interested parties. Pursuant to the Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine and strict implementation of physical distancing due to the pandemic, the scheduled meeting may be accessed thru this link: meet.google.com/oaj-eabd-xhn for online access via Google Meet.
- 7. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 18.

Bid opening shall be conducted on 24 August 2020; 10:00 A.M. at the Bidding Room, Conference Room, Procurement Service, Cristobal St., Paco, Manila. Pursuant to the Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine and strict implementation of physical distancing due to the pandemic, the scheduled meeting may be accessed thru this link: meet.google.com/qpy-cfqb-gwc for online access via Google Meet. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend the opening. Late bids shall not be accepted. Unsealed or unmarked bid envelopes shall also be rejected.

- 8. Bidders shall drop their duly accomplished eligibility requirements, technical and financial proposals in two separate sealed envelopes in the designated bid box located at the 2nd Floor of the Procurement Service.
- 9. The PROCUREMENT SERVICE reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

10. For further information, please refer to:

Bids and Awards Committee I

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