



**Bid Bulletin No. 4**  
**20 September 2022**

**PUBLIC BIDDING NO. 007-2022**

**PROCUREMENT OF FREIGHT FORWARDING SERVICES FOR PROCUREMENT SERVICE (PS), DEPOT AND SUB-DEPOT FOR ONE (1) YEAR**

Issued pursuant to Sec. 22.5 of the IRR of R.A. 9184 to clarify and/or amend certain provisions in the Bidding Documents issued for this project, considering the issues raised and clarifications made by prospective bidders during the Pre-bid Conference held on 23 August 2022, likewise, respond to bidder's written queries received within the perspective period for filing.

**A. AMENDMENTS/INCLUSIONS**

REFERENCE	JUSTIFICATION/EXPLANATION
<p><b>Section VII. Technical Specification</b></p> <p>xxx</p> <p><b>21. SUPPLIER can bid for One (1) lot only.</b></p> <p>xxx</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The requirement is deleted in order to promote competition as mandated under <i>Section 3 of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184.</i></li> </ul>

**B. CLARIFICATIONS**

ITEM	ISSUE/REQUEST	CLARIFICATION/RESOLUTION
<p><b>1</b></p>	<p><b>From Airspeed</b></p> <p>Under TOR No. 21 on the bidding documents, stated that the: Supplier can bid for one (1) Lot only.</p> <p>It is our humble opinion that this requirement shall limit the competition in</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Please refer to the amendment above.</li> </ul>

	<p>the logistics business in the Philippine market, and this is not in consonance with the objectives of RA 9184, otherwise known as the Government Procurement Act ("GPPRA), and such competitive bidding it allows transparency, equality of opportunity and the ability to demonstrate that the outcomes represent the best value. In this regard, we humbly request that the requirement added to Technical Specification be deleted and the relevant section of ITB and the BDS be declared as the prevailing provision of qualifications of eligible bidders. Can we participate in ALL LOTS?</p> <p><b>From F2 Logistics</b></p> <p>With regard to Section VII - Technical Specification Item No. 21 - "Supplier can bid for ONE (1) LOT ONLY.", can we be required to be allowed to bid for all Lots considering our eligibility and technical competency?</p>	
<p>2</p>	<p><b>From Airspeed</b></p> <p>In relation to query No. 1, if your good office permits our request to waive the requirement under TOR No.21, can we use one (1) SLCC to cover all lots being bid?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes, the bidder can use one Single Largest Completed Contract, provided that the contract is similar to the project and is equivalent to at least fifty percent (50%) of the total ABC.</li> </ul>
<p>3</p>	<p><b>From Airspeed</b></p> <p>And, can we submit one (1) Technical Component of bid docs to cover all Lots?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes.</li> </ul>

By rules all other portions of the Bidding Documents correspondingly affected by these amendments are likewise deemed amended to conform to this Bid Bulletin.

Amendments / inclusions made herein shall be considered an integral part of Bidding Documents.

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**SIGNATURE REDACTED**

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*For the purpose of this Bulletin and for better understanding of its contents, the following rules shall apply: (a) Double Strike out – denotes deletion; (b) Underline – denotes inclusion or new item/requirement; and "xxx" – denotes separation of phrase/s being amended from the rest of the main text.*