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		Volume I, Part 1 – Bidding Procedures					
1.	Volume I, Invitation for Bids 6	At present, the whole world is under emergency due to the spread of Covid-19. The Philippines is under the Enhanced Community Quarantine until April 30, under the direction of President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, and also, Japan is declared a state of emergency until May 6, under the direction of Prime minister Shinzo Abe. Under these circumstances, each potential bidder has a significant problem in preparing for bids. Given this situation, we strongly request that the bidding period be extended up to at least 90 days after the emergency measures in both countries are lifted.	An extension was published under General Bid Bulletin No. 4 on 20 April 2020.				

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		Volume II, Part 2 – Employer's Requirements General Requirements			
2.	Volume II. Part 2, Section VI Page-ERG-39 11.1 REMEDYING DEFECT	"The Defect Notification Period of The Railway System shall be seven hundred thirty (730) days from the Handover of the Railway Systems"	Yes, bidder's understanding is correct. The opening of the railway is divided into two		
		Package CP106 is split in two (2) sections as PO section (Completion of Trial Run until 257 weeks as per KD-PO-54) and Remaining Section (Completion of Works until 322 weeks as per KD-RS-14).	(2) separate sections (i) The Partial Operability (PO) section; and (ii) (ii) The Remaining Operability (RO) Section		
		The Contractor interprets that Defect Notification Period will also be split in PO section (upon the completion of Trial Run) and Remaining section (upon the completion of Works). Please clarify.	Two separate Handover to the Operator for commencement of the revenue service with passenger.		
			The Defect Notification Period (DNP) for these sections will commence after the completion of Trial Run that includes the entire railway assets not just Rolling Stocks.		
3.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI Appendix 6, item 3 (General scope of interface)	As seen in the description of interfaces on item 3, many of the information is actually designed/ provided by other contractors —kindly provide information about status of other packages.	One Civil package covering the PO section is awarded as detailed design contract (CP101) RO sections civil contract packages are not		

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			design build; detailed design is under preparation for construction contract Bid packages.			
		Volume II, Part 2 – Employer's Requirements,				
		c) Technical Requirements (ERT)				
4.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI c) ERT, 2) SIG,	What's the exact location of the BOCC?	North Avenue Station. This Back up OCC is for emergency use only.			
	Page SIG-2-1 2.1		Coordination with other relevant parties such as the Civil Contractor and the O&M Concessionaire via The Engineer is necessary during the detailed design stage.			
5.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI c) ERT, 2) SIG, Page SIG-2-4 2.1.4.2	Kindly re-confirm the temperature and humidity requirements. For instance, how to test to 100% humidity.	The table stands correct. Relative humidity is the amount of moisture in the air compared to what the air hold at that temperature. As an example when humidity is 100%, it means that the air is holding all the moisture that it can hold at the given temperature. It can be measured using a Psychrometer which contains a Dry-bulb and Wet-bulb thermometers. If the difference between Wet-			

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			Bulb and Dry-Bulb temperature readings is		
			zero, then the relative humidity is said to be		
			100 %.		
6.	Volume 2, Part 2, Section VI	Kindly note that as per industry accepted practices, signaling	Bidders opinion is accepted.		
	c) ERT, 2) SIG,	should not be used to perform track works preventive	Secondary train detection could be an option		
	Page SIG-2-6	maintenance (detection of broken rail). It's also known that	in the event a tram loose communication and		
	2.3.2 item 2)	secondary train detection do not effectively detect cracked	the interlocking fail to detect the absence of		
		rails.	the train. Contractor to provide a risk a safe		
			and reliable system with risk analysis to		
			support the proposed detailed design.		
7.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI	Kindly note this requirement doesn't match the capabilities of	Bi-directional movement under failure mode is		
	c) ERT, 2) SIG,	CBTC technology as per the international standards. Bi-	necessary. A risk assessment to be conducted		
	Page SIG-2-13	directional operation is allowed in moving block CBTC mode	during the detailed design stage for the		
	2.5.4.1 Table 2.5.3, item 6	regardless if there is a secondary train detection or not.	application.		
			However fixed block working from station to		
			station for reversing moves in the event of a		
			failure shall also be considered.		
8.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI	Kindly note it's proven that track circuits don't detect cracked	As per response to item 6.		
	c) ERT, 2) SIG,	rails and are not a mean to replace track maintenance.			
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	2.5.4.2 (3), a)				

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9.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI c) ERT, 2) SIG, Page SIG-2-17 2.5.4.2 (3), (e)	There is no interoperability between ETCS and CBTC. The only possibility is to dually equip ALL trains that are intended to be operated in both lines, and to implement a mechanism to manually switch from one system to the other. Also, routes will have to be set manually whenever there is one train changing from system to the other. Kindly confirm this is what is intended or clarify if otherwise.	Bidder is correct, no interoperability between CBTC & ETCS. CBTC to ETCS system will manual switched over. CBTC is fully isolated after switchover. If the train is in CBTC mode, once the switchover is carried out, the ETCS system shall establish communication with the NSRP OCC using GSM-R. Once the train is registered on ETCS network, the NSCR OCC will set a route. NSRP CBI will request slot info from MMSP CBI and when the conditions are received and met then the NSRP OCC / CBI will set a route using ETCS system.			
10.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI c) ERT, 2) SIG, Page SIG-2-20 2.5.6 1), (i)	Kindly confirm the described transponder mechanism is NOT needed in case the supplier has a different mechanism to implement the stopping accuracy as requested.	Yes, agreed as long as it is a proven technology.			
11.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI c) ERT, 2) SIG,	Kindly note the power supply capacity indicated for stations seems to be extremely over dimensioned for the dimensioned	As mentioned in the section, the values are only for reference. Bidders to submit power			

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	Page SIG-2-29	needs.	supply calculations along with the Bid for			
	2.5.10, 7)		review and acceptance.			
12.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI c) ERT, 2) SIG, Page SIG-2-37 2.5.12, 2)	Kindly clarify which CBI will control the point machines allowing access between both systems: is it MMSP;s or NSRPS'?	The points within MMSP projects will be controlled by MMSP CBI and the ones beyond the demarcation line will be controlled by NSRP CBI. Example: for the routes from Bicutan to Sucat (Calamba) the CBI's will communicate with each other using relay interface to obtain points set, locked and detected status and other peripheral information required to set a route.			
13.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI c) ERT, 2) SIG, Page SIG-2-37 2.5.12, 3)	Kindly confirm it's up to the NSRP'S' ATS system to lead and integrate this exchange of information (lead party in this interface).	However, these are to be developed in the detailed design stage. A detailed interface specification to be developed by the contractor that shall dictate the functions, role and responsibilities to be carried out by each Operators.			
			The in-cab system will be manually switched			

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			over to ETCS mode, NSRP ATS will be setting	
			the route to Sucat (Calamba).	
14.	Volume II, Part 2, Section VI	Kindly advise status of different packages as SIG will not be	Refer to the General Bid Bulletin No.1, items	
	c) ERT, 2) SIG,	able to progress without inputs from the design of the	10 & 11 of Annex B published on 14 Feb 2020	
	Page SIG-2-44	remaining contractors (normally Systems is the last package	for the revised Schedule of Key Dates and	
	2.8	being awarded due to that).	Schedule of Access Dates.	
			Interface of CP106 package is with CP 107 (Rolling Stock) and Civil packages. CP 106 is the entire E&M Systems package that comprising of Track works, Signalling, Telecommunication, Power Supply System, OCS, AFC, PSD, MVDE, MMS and FSCADA systems.	
15.	General	Kindly provide information about the access dates, including but not limited to for each section, depot, OCC and rolling stock availability at factory and 1st delivery on-site.	Please refer General Bid Bulletin No.1, items 10 & 11 of Annex B published on 14 Feb 2020.	
16.	General Bid Bulletin No.1 Annex "A"	"The Track Alignment diagram is included in the Vol. II d) Drawings"	Yes, Bidder's understanding is correct.	
	Item No.28 Response		Please refer Annex C of General Bid Bulletin	

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		Please confirm not Vol. II but Vol. III.	No.6 published on 21 May 2020 for the Track		
		Also, please provide the drawing No. of such Track Alignment	Alignment Diagram for mainline including		
		Diagram for mainline including pocket tracks and depot access	pocket tracks and Depot access and Depot		
		and depot layout plan.	layout plan.		
17.	Volume II. Page ERG-App 10-	"Main track-important track -Quality: EN60N for Mainline"	Main Line of MMSP adopts both JIS60N and		
	14	"rail type JIS60 or EN60EI equivalent for the mainline and	EN60E1.		
	Table 3.8 Type of rails of	"			
	different tracks	Considering the connection and interface with the other lines,			
		please clarify JIS60N rails are individually acceptable or not			
	Volume II. Page TRW-1-4	in this package CP106.			
	1.2.4 Track system for MMS				
	Project Item (6)				
18.	Volume II. Page TRW-1-4	"The Contractor shall design the Depot in a way that the future	CP 106 is Design and Build contract,		
	1.3.2 Track Works Design	O&M Contractor can Operate the Depot in the modern and	Contractor shall develop detailed design with		
	Principles	efficient way. The Employer's drawing is for reference only."	O&M proposals for the Engineer review and		
			approval with the Employer and O&M		
		Please clarify the requirements and/or conditions of future	Concessionaire.		
		O&M contractor to operate the Depot in a modern and efficient			
		way.	Please refer Dwg. No. EV-CI-BA-2201 to Dwg.		
		Also, please provide "the Employer's drawing for reference".	No. EV-CI-BA-2211 in Annex C of GBB No.6		
			published on 22 May 2020 for the reference		

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			Track Alignment in Depot.			
19.	Volume II. Page TRW-1-5	"The designs of the Track Works and its components shall	CP 106 is Design and Build contract.			
	1.3.2 Track Works Design	be to Japanese standards, AREMA, AAHTO, EN codes, ISO	Therefore, the Contractor shall propose			
	Principles	Standards, and IEC Standards and to other"	criteria or requirements during detailed			
	Volume II. Page TRW-1-13		design stage and ensure the design is			
	1.5 OPERATIONAL	ERT broadly states to adopt JIS, AREMA, and else. Criteria	accordance with the technical requirement			
	CRITERIA	does not touch upon passengers comfort requirement /	with regards to safety, operability and			
		parameters such as RgD, RgE and else. Please clarify.	maintainability (i.e. a fit for purpose system)			
			for MMSP line.			
20.	Volume II. Page TRW-1-13	"b) Depot Access Line: 15 km/h;"	The Bidder's understanding is correct.			
	1.3 OPERATION CRITERIA	"c) Depot Area: 15 km/h;"				
	Item (2) b), c) and (22)	"(22) The Depot track shall be suitable for train operation at				
		speed up to 25 km/h and have low maintenance requirement"				
		The Contractor interpret that Design speed for b) and c) shall				
		be 25 km/hr. Please clarify.				
21.	Volume II. Page TRW-1-15	"(1) For the tunnels and cutting sections, where last settlement	Civil invert tolerances are adjusted in the bed			
	1. General Description of	is guaranteed less than 20 mm, the elastic sleeper directly	concrete. On top of that, the design to secure			
	Track Forms	fastened track shall be laid."	track adjustment allowance of 20mm.			
	Item (1)	No construction tolerances and/or deviation of civil work				

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		structures considered by CP-106 Contractor. Please clarify.				
22.	Volume II. Page TRW-1-15	"(2) The dibble bars (shear connectors) shall be installed by the	Contractor shall coordinate with Civil			
	1. General Description of	Civil Contractor. The exposed length of the dibble bar shall be	contractors to clarify the design length and			
	Track Forms	more than 70 mm"	tolerances of dibble bar during detailed design			
	Item (2)	Please clarify the design length and tolerances of dibble bar by	stage.			
		the Civil Contractor.				
23.	Volume II. Page TRW-1-23	"(4) All rails shall be produced by the one manufacturer"	We will accept two manufacturers. One			
	1.10.1 General Item (4)	"(3) All rails shall be sourced from one (1) manufacturer"	manufacturer solely for Mainline and one			
	1.10.2 Rail Section and		manufacturer for Depot Line only.			
	Materials Item (3)	Due to the difficulties of critical procurement conditions, the				
		contractor intend to procure the rail materials from more than				
		two (2) manufacturer.				
		(e.g. 60 kg from A-supplier and 50 kg from B-supplier, or else)				
		Please clarify whether such condition can be relaxed for				
		bidders to be allowed to procure rail materials from multiple				
		suppliers subject to additional conditions (if any).				
24.	Volume II. Page TRW-1-28	Please clarify about the direct fixation rail fastening system.	Refer Volume III, Part 2, d) for the following			
	1.11.1 Rail fixation Fastening	Please clarify whether any type of Track Fastened Ties such as	drawings: -			
	Track System for Ballast Less	Type-D, Type-A, Type-S or else will be acceptable or not.	i) Dwg. No. MMSP-TRK-0000-DD-0403			
	Track		(Main plain Line)			
			ii) Dwg. No. MMSP-TRK-0000-DD-0404			

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			(fastenings on Turnouts, Cross overs & Scissors at Main Line) These details will clarify type of rail fastenings. Bidders could propose Type of Track Fastened Ties in the Bid submission for acceptance.		
25.	08 Maintenance Vehicles and Depot Equipment (MVDE)_12 Dec 2019 (PA) Clause 03.01.3 p) Page: MVDE-8-45	Please provide us with the drawing showing the layout of this equipment.	CP 106 is Design and Build contract. Therefore, the Contractor is responsible to develop the train wash equipment layout.		
26.	08 Maintenance Vehicles and Depot Equipment (MVDE)_12 Dec 2019 (PA) Clause 05.01 Page: MVDE-8-48 etc.	Please provide us with the drawing of each workshop showing the floor plan, cross section plan, and equipment layout plan.	Please refer Dwg. No. EV-CI-BA-2201 to Dwg. No. EV-CI-BA-2211 in Annex C of GBB No.6 published on 22 May 2020, with the floor plan of workshop in Depot. Please refer Dwg. No. MMSP-OCS-0000-DD- 0201 in the Volume III, Part 2, d) for the typical cross-section plan for workshop in Depot.		

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		Please cranes		the traveling distance of the following	lowing	The follow the cranes.		e traveling distar	nce for
			Clause	Item Description		Clause	Qty	Travel	
			05.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		05.01	1	250 m	
			05.02	10-T Overhead Travelling Crane		05.02	1	250 m	
			07.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		07.01	1	250 m	
			08.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		08.01	2	250 m	
			09.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		09.01	1	210 m	
			10.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		10.01	1	210 m	
			10.02	10-T Overhead Travelling Crane		10.02	1	210 m	
			11.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		11.01	1	210 m	
			12.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		12.01	1	210 m	
			14.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		14.01	1	150 m	
			15.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		15.01	2	150 m	
			17.01	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		17.01	1	150 m	
			23.04	3-T Overhead Travelling Crane		23.04	1	250 m	

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27.	08 Maintenance Vehicles and Depot Equipment	Please provide us with the drawing showing the layout of this equipment.	CP106 is Design and Build contract. Therefore, the Contractor is responsible to		
	(MVDE)_12 Dec 2019 (PA) Clause 28.01 Page: MVDE-8-192		develop the Industrial Waste Water Treatment Plant layout.		
28.	08 Maintenance Vehicles and Depot Equipment (MVDE)_12 Dec 2019 (PA) Clause 28.01.3 a) Page: MVDE-8-192	Please clarify the effluent standard to be applied for the depot location/area, and provide us with the relevant documents.	Please refer to the following website for details. http://water.emb.gov.ph/?page_id=809 Please also refer to the following website for Water Quality Criteria of Class C water bodies. http://wepadb.net/policies/law/philippines/dao34_1990.ht		
			m MMSP-Depot Industrial WWTP Effluent Discharge Standards is included in Annex C of this GBB.		

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29.	08 Maintenance Vehicles and Depot Equipment (MVDE)_12 Dec 2019 (PA) Clause 28.01.3.c) Page: MVDE-8-192	Please clarify how long this plant should continue to be operated in order to treat 70m 3/day of waste water. Please also clarify the maximum inflow volume of waste water per hour.	This facility will be a permanent installation for automatic washing plant the future fleet of 58 10-car trains at least twice per week, say 10 – 12 trains per day, and manually washing 2 trains per day plus occasional washing of other equipment.			
Volume III, Part 2 — Employer's Requirements (ER) d) Drawings						
30.	Volume III, Part 2, Section VI, d) Drawings Page 9	Kindly advise where are NAIA T3 and Bicutan stations located in this drawing;	Please refer Dwg. No. MMSP-SIG-0000-DD-0201 in Annex C of General Bid Bulletin No.6 for the revised Mainline Layout of Signaling System.			
31.	Volume III, Part 2, Section VI, d) Drawings Page 9	Kindly provide information needed for the design of the signaling system and headway simulation, namely exact distances to point machines, gradient, curvature and civil	We have published vertical and horizontal track alignment data in Annex C of General Bid Bulletin No.6 on 22 May 2020. Minimum			

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		speed limits.	headway required is 4 minutes as mentioned			
			in Signalling document. Train characteristics			
			are mentioned in section 4.6 of Power supply			
			systems document. The contractor shall utilize			
			the above information for the headway			
			simulation.			