



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Budget and Management  
**PROCUREMENT SERVICE**  
**BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**



Project : **PROCUREMENT OF TRACKWORK, ELECTRICAL, AND MECHANICAL (E&M) SYSTEM AND INTEGRATION WITH EXISTING SYSTEMS FOR LRT LINE 2 - EAST (MASINAG) EXTENSION PROJECT**

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**TO ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:**

Please find attached clarifications and amendments for the above-mentioned Project.

- Annex A: Answers to Queries

For your guidance and information.

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**Procurement Service - Department of Budget and Management (PS-DBM)  
Capacity Enhancement of Mass Transit Systems in Metro Manila:  
Procurement of Trackwork, Electrical and Mechanical Systems and Integration with Existing  
Systems for Light Rail Transit (LRT) Line 2 - East (Masinag) Extension Project**

**Answers to Queries**

**BIDDERS' ISSUES/CONCERNS/QUERIES**

*(lifted from the written queries submitted by prospective bidders;  
names of bidders have been omitted)*

**PS-DBM's RESPONSE**

**Part 2 – Employer's Requirements**

ITEM NO.	REFERENCE CLAUSE/SECTION	BIDDERS' ISSUES/CONCERNS/QUERIES <i>(lifted from the written queries submitted by prospective bidders; names of bidders have been omitted)</i>	PS-DBM's RESPONSE
1	Scope of Works 17.0 GS 12.1.i GCC 4.19 & 4.20 (Costs of tests)	<p>Some tests on site, particularly System Integration Tests, System Performance Tests and Trial Running Tests require access to, and use of the Employer's equipment, staff and power, specifically:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use of Employer's trains with drivers for dynamic tests</li> <li>• Traction power for dynamic tests</li> <li>• OCC staff controlling train movements, power switching, etc. during dynamic tests, and for train movements to/from the East Extension line (for trains used in testing and for Contractor's work trains)</li> </ul> <p>The General Conditions of Contract (4.19 and 4.20) states that the Contractor is entitled to use of such Employer's Facilities, with details and prices given in the Employer's Requirements. However, we cannot find such details and prices in the ER.</p> <p>Please clarify if the items mentioned in the 3 bullets above will be provided free of charge by the Employer, or if not, please provide unit rates for our cost estimate.</p>	<p>Section V1-2-1 Technical Requirements, General Specifications, Clause 17.0 is added and to read as follows:</p> <p><b><u>"17.0 Contractor's Use of Employer's Equipment and Services</u></b>  <u>The Contractor may avail of the Employer's traction power, equipment, and other services at the unit rates stated below:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Employer's Train (inclusive of traction power and two drivers): Php 81,000.00/hour.</u></li> <li>• <u>OCC Staff (comprised of three operators): Php 2,500.00/hour."</u></li> </ul>

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