## PHILIPPINE BIDDING DOCUMENTS

(As Harmonized with Development Partners)

# Government of the Republic of the Philippines

Bid Ref. No. 2023-08

# "Laboratory Equipment for Legislated Hatcheries in Region XIII - CARAGA"

Lot No.	Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC)	End-User	
5	Php 2,460,000.00	ELYMI-AR-J-J.S. TUNACAO Chief, Inland Fisheries and Aquaculture Division	

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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.

## Section I. Invitation to Bid



#### Department of Agriculture Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

#### BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE OFFICE

2/F BFAR Bldg., Bureau of Plant Industry Compound, Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines 1101 Tel. No.: 09988665159 website: www.bfar.da.gov.ph e-mail: bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph

#### **INVITATION TO BID FOR:**

# Bid Ref no. 2023-08 "Laboratory Equipment for Legislated Hatcheries in Region XIII - CARAGA"

1. The Department of Agriculture - Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (DA-BFAR), through the General Appropriations Act for 2023 intends to apply the sums of **Two Million Four Hundred Sixty Thousand Pesos Only (Php 2,460,000.00)** being the ABC to payments under the contract for **Bid Ref no. 2023-08** entitled "Laboratory Equipment for Legislated Hatcheries in Region XIII - CARAGA".

Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

PR No.	Lot	Description	Approved	Bidding
	No.		Budget for the	Documents
			Contract (ABC)	Fee (Php)
			(Php)	
23-01- 24	5	Laboratory Equipment for Legislated Hatcheries in Region XIII - CARAGA.	2,460,000.00	5,000.00

- 2. The DA BFAR, now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required within the period stated in the Section VI Schedule of Requirements. Bidders should have completed, within Two (2) 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 non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
  - 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 No. 5183.
- **4.** Prospective Bidders may obtain further information the BFAR BAC Secretariat through electronic mailing address given below, and inspect of the Bidding Documents at <a href="https://www.bfar.da.gov.ph">www.bfar.da.gov.ph</a>.

- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders at 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor – BAC Office, Fisheries Building Complex, BPI Compound, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Avenue, Quezon City and/or through electronic means and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents in the amount stated above. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees by in person, or through electronic means.
- 6. The DA BFAR, will hold a Pre-Bid Conference¹ through video conference call using "Zoom" application on February 09, 2023 at 09:00 a.m. which shall be open to prospective bidders who have successfully completed registration one (1) calendar day prior to the Pre-bid Conference using Google Form <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSculZ4qc06wDbeizhODN5b9lE9Pi">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSculZ4qc06wDbeizhODN5b9lE9Pi</a> ITjhbdH8O-fUosjzjJnDg/viewform?usp=pp url and in accordance with the "Annex A, Bidder's Kit I".
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through the options given below and as indicated in Section III Bidding Data Sheet, ITB Clause 15 of this bidding documents, on or before **February 21, 2023 at 08:30 a.m.**:
  - (i) manual submission at the office address: 2/F BFAR Bldg., BAC Office, Bureau of Plant Industry Compound, Visayas Ave., Diliman, Q.C.;
  - (ii) both (manual and electronic submission at <a href="mailto:bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph">bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph</a> via BFAR Online bidding procedure);
- **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 <u>February 21, 2023 at 09:00 a.m.</u> through video conference call via "**Zoom**" application. Bids will be opened in accordance with the BFAR BAC procedure for online bidding as stated in the "**Annex A, Bidder's kit VII**". Late bids shall not be accepted.
- **10.** The DA BFAR, 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:

**BFAR-BAC Secretariat** 

Address: 2nd Floor - BAC Office, Fisheries Building Complex, BPI Compound,

Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Avenue, Quezon City.

Email: bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph Cellphone number: 09988665159 Website address: www.bfar.da.gov.ph

**12.** You may visit the following websites:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> May be deleted in case the ABC is less than One Million Pesos (PhP1,000,000) where the Procuring Entity may not hold a Pre-Bid Conference.

#### For downloading of Bidding Documents: www.bfar.da.gov.ph

Issued this 1st day of February, 2023.

Original Document Signed
NAPOLEON SALVADOR S.J. LAMARCA
BAC Vice Chairperson

## Section II. Instructions to Bidders

#### 1. Scope of Bid

13. The Procuring Entity, Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) of the Department of Agriculture wishes to receive Bids for the "Laboratory Equipment for Legislated Hatcheries in Region XIII - CARAGA" with identification number 2023-08.

The Procurement Project (referred to herein as "Project") is composed of **Five (5) Lots**, the details of which is described in Section VII (Technical Specifications).

#### 2. Funding Information

- 2.1. The GOP through the source of funding as indicated below for FY 2022 in the amount of **Two Million Four Hundred Sixty Thousand Pesos Only (Php 2,460,000.00)**.
- **2.2.** The source of funding is General Appropriations Act FY 2022.

#### 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.** 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.
  - **b.** For the procurement of Expendable Supplies: The Bidder must have completed a single contract that is similar to this Project, equivalent to at least twenty-five percent (25%) 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

- **7.1.** 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 Subcontracting is not allowed.
- **7.2.** The Bidder must submit together with its Bid the documentary requirements of the subcontractor(s) complying with the eligibility criteria stated in ITB Clause 5 in accordance with Section 23.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 pursuant to Section 23.1 thereof.
- **7.3.** The Supplier may identify its subcontractor during the contract implementation stage. Subcontractors identified during the bidding may be changed during the implementation of this Contract. Subcontractors must submit the documentary requirements under Section 23.1 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 and comply with the eligibility criteria specified in ITB Clause 5 to the implementing or end-user unit.
- **7.4.** Subcontracting of any portion of the Project does not relieve the Supplier of any liability or obligation under the Contract. The Supplier will be responsible for the acts, defaults, and negligence of any subcontractor, its agents, servants, or workmen as fully as if these were the Supplier's own acts, defaults, or negligence, or those of its agents, servants, or workmen.

#### 8. Pre-Bid Conference

The Procuring Entity will hold a pre-bid conference for this Project on <u>February 09, 2023 at 09:00 a.m.</u> via video conferencing through "Zoom" application which shall be open to prospective bidders who have successfully completed the registration in Google form for at least one (1) calendar day prior to the pre-bid conference via <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSculZ4qcO6wDbeizhODN5b9lE9Pi">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSculZ4qcO6wDbeizhODN5b9lE9Pi</a> ITjhbdH8O-fUosjzjJnDg/viewform?usp=pp\_url and in accordance with the "Annex A, Bidder's Kit – I" 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

- **10.1.** The first envelope shall contain the eligibility and technical documents of the Bid as specified in **Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents)**.
- **10.2.** The Bidder's SLCC as indicated in **ITB** Clause 5.3 should have been completed within **two (2) years** prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
- 10.3. 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 authentication above, for Contracting Parties to the Apostille Convention, only the translated 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

- 11.1. The second bid envelope shall contain the financial documents for the Bid as specified in Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents).
- **11.2.** 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.

- **11.3.** Any bid exceeding the ABC indicated in paragraph 1 of the **IB** shall not be accepted.
- **11.4.** 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, ex-warehouse, 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

- **13.1.** 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.
- **13.2.** Payment of the contract price shall be made in Philippine Pesos.

#### 14. Bid Security

- **14.1.** The Bidder shall submit a Bid Securing Declaration<sup>2</sup> 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**.
- **14.2.** The Bid and bid security shall be valid until **June 21, 2023**. 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 bids in accordance with Section III – Bid Data Sheet, ITB Clause 15.

#### 16. Deadline for Submission of Bids

16.1. The Bidder shall submit bids on or before <u>February 21, 2023 at 08:30 a.m.</u> at the BFAR – BAC Office, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Fisheries Building Complex, BPI Compound, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Avenue, Quezon City and <u>bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph</u> as indicated in paragraph 7 of the IB.

#### 17. Opening and Preliminary Examination of Bids

17.1. The BAC shall open the Bids on <u>February 21, 2023 at 09:00 a.m.</u>, via video conference through "Zoom" application. Bids will be opened in accordance with the BFAR BAC procedure for online bidding as stated in the "Bidder's kit VII" as 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.

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

#### 18. Domestic Preference

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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> In the case of Framework Agreement, the undertaking shall refer to entering into contract with the Procuring Entity and furnishing of the performance security or the performance securing declaration within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of Notice to Execute Framework Agreement.

#### 19. Detailed Evaluation and Comparison of Bids

- **19.1.** 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.
- **19.2.** 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.
- **19.3.** 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.
- **19.4.** The Project shall be awarded as One Project having several items that shall be awarded as one contract.
- 19.5. 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

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, The Bidder shall submit its latest income and business tax returns filed and paid through the BIR Electronic Filing and Payment System (eFPS) and other appropriate licenses and permits required by law and stated in the **BDS**.

#### 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

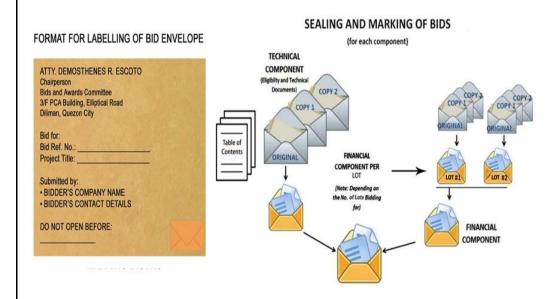
## **Bid Data Sheet**

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5.3	For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be:
	a. Laboratory Equipment for Legislated Hatcheries.
	b. Bidder must have completed a single contract that is similar to this Project, equivalent to at least <b>Fifty percent (50%)</b> of the ABC within <b>Two (2) years</b> prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
7.1	Subcontracting is not allowed.
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 <i>Php 49,200.00</i> , 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 <i>Php 123,000.00</i> if bid security is in Surety Bond.
15	Guidelines on the Sealing and Marking
	A. Participating bidders/suppliers may submit their bidding documents through either of the following forms:
	1. Hardcopy/ physical document
	• Submitted directly thru the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) Office, at the following address:
	Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) Office Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Fisheries Building Complex, BPI Compd., Brgy. Vasra, Q.C.
	Note: If the participating bidders/suppliers only submits a hardcopy of the document, and the same is discovered to be damaged or the entries thereof are not readable during the opening thereof, said participating bidders/suppliers loses his privilege to participate in the bidding.

#### 2. Electronic and hardcopy

- The hardcopy/ physical document shall be scanned and encrypted with password (refer to Annexes BFAR Online bidding for the procedure).
- The scanned document will be sent via email at the following email address: **bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph**
- Bidders/suppliers may opt to submit both electronic and hardcopy in compliance with the abovementioned details.

Note: In case the electronic copy is discovered to be corrupted during opening, the back-up hardcopy will be opened as alternative option. However, in the event that both electronic copy and hardcopy are corrupted and/or not readable participating bidders/suppliers loses his privilege to participate in the bidding.



## A. LABELLING AND MARKING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF HARD COPIES.

- 1. Main envelope shall:
- (a) bear addressed to the Procuring Entity's BAC;
- (b) bear the specific identification/Bid ref. no. of this bidding:
- (c) contain the name of the contract/Project Title to be bid;
- (d) bear the Company name, address and contact details of the Bidder:
- (e) bear a warning "DO NOT OPEN BEFORE (the date and time of opening of Bids)."
- 2. Bidders shall enclose the First component (Eligibility and Technical documents) and Second components (Financial documents) of their bid.
- 3. Each Bidder shall submit one (1) original and two (2) copies of the first and second components of its bid.

- 4. The inner envelopes of the first and second component shall be similarly sealed
- and duly marked as Original, Copy 1 and Copy 2.
- 5. Each component must contain Table of Contents and all documents attached should be properly tabbed and bound.
- 6. All pages should be signed by the bidder's authorized representative.

## B. FOR BIDS TO BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY/ONLINE, THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES SHOULD BE OBSERVED:



The bidder shall prepare a final scanned copy of its Bid divided into two different files:



Eligibility Documents & Technical Documents; and



To ensure confidentiality, authentication, integrity of the documents, the bidder shall use a two-factor security procedure consisting of an archive format compression of its bid.

# **Step 1**. Scan the original copy of the Eligibility Documents & Technical Documents and Financial Documents, save as a PDF file and comply with the label format below:

1. "BFAR Bid Reference No.\_\_\_\_\_(Name of Bidder); Legal & Technical Documents"

#### Example

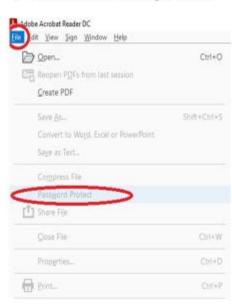
- 🔁 BFAR BID REFERENCE NO.2020-1(NIKE.INC); Legal & Technical Documents
- BFAR BID REFERENCE NO.2020-1(NIKE.INC); Legal & Technical Documents
- 2. "BFAR Bid Reference No.\_\_\_\_\_(Name of Bidder); Financial Documents"

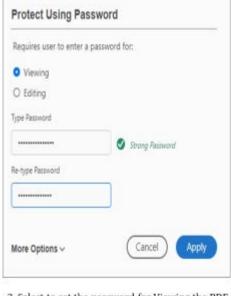
#### Example

- BFAR BID REFERENCE NO.2020-1(NIKE.INC); Financial Documents
- BFAR BID REFERENCE NO.2020-1(NIKE.INC); Financial Documents

#### Adding a password to a .PDF file using Adobe Acrobat Reader DC.

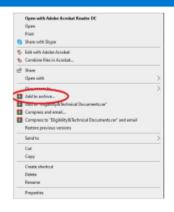
- 1. Open the PDF file
- 2. Choose File > Protect Using Password.





- 3. Select to set the password for Viewing the PDF
- 4. Type and retype your password.
- 5. Click Apply

#### Step 2. To archive and compress the file using WinRAR Application





- Right Click the password protected .PDF file.
- 2. Select "Add to archive."
- In the Archive name and parameters dialog box, select "Radio button ZIP" and click
- "Radio button ZIP" and click
  "Set password."
- Type your password and Click "OK button."

**Note:** Passwords must be 8-16 characters and contain both numbers and letters/special characters. The bidder is required setting a unique combination for each file and folder. Same passwords for all files are not allowed

# Submitting of the Bidding Documents

Bidders shall submit their Bids through Google Form at any time before the closing date and time specified in the Bidding Documents

Step 1. BAC Secretariat will send the Invitation link of Registration Form, thru <a href="mailto:bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph">bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph</a> e-mail address.



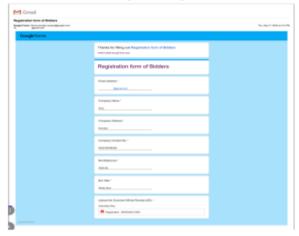
Step 2. Upon received, click the FILL OUT FORM.

Step 3. Bidder must fill in the following required information.

Step 4. Click the <u>Add file</u> to upload Scanned Copy of Official Receipt (OR).

Step 5. After uploading of the Scanned Copy of OR, the bidder shall click the <u>Submit</u> button to complete the process and BAC Secretariat shall verify the submitted Official Receipt (OR).

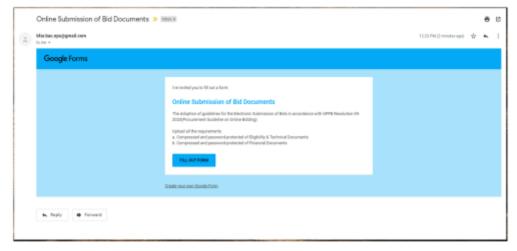
Step 6. A copy of the response will be automatically emailed to the address provided by the bidders.





Step 7. Upon verification of the Official Receipt (OR), the BAC Secretariat shall send the Public Bidding Documents through the given email or shall provide a hard copy upon request. It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

**Step 8.** The BAC Secretariat will send another Google Form link to the bidder, who already purchased the bidding documents, through email directing to the "Online Submission of the Bid Documents".

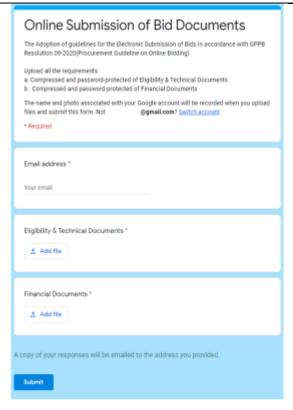


Step 9. Upon received, click the FILL OUT FORM.

Step 10. Click the Add file button to upload the compressed and password-protected files of Eligibility & Technical and Financial Documents (ZIP File)

Step 11. Click the <u>Submit</u> button to complete the process. A copy of the response will be automatically emailed to the address provided by the bidders which can be saved or printed by the bidder, as proof of the official time of submitted/receipt of bids.





#### IMPORTANT REMINDERS DURING BID OPENING PROCESS

- Bidders are encouraged to attend the bid opening online via Zoom Application.
   The passwords for the folders (ZIP) and the files (.PDF) shall be disclosed by the bidders only during actual bid opening.
- 2. The official representative of the bidder shall respond promptly in the same chat box with the passwords when prompted. Bidders are given within five (5) minutes to respond with the passwords. If the bidder does not provide or respond with the password within five (5) minutes, the BAC Secretariat shall open the submitted hard copy of the bidding documents.
- 3. The bidder shall first disclose the password for the compressed folder (ZIP file) containing the Eligibility & Technical documents, second disclose the password for the Eligibility & Technical document (.PDF file). The Secretariat will share the screen via Zoom during accessing the submitted Bid.
- 4. If the bidder fails to provide the correct password after the third attempt, the BAC Secretariat shall open the submitted hard copy of the bidding documents.

19.3 List the grouping of lots by specifying the group title, items, and the quantity for every identified lot, and the corresponding ABC for each lot.

Five (5) Lots

Lot No.	Description	Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) (Php)
1	Compound Microscope with Documentation System (1 Unit of Compound Microscope, 1 Unit of Documentation System (Camera), 1 Unit of C- mount Adaptor, and 1 Unit of Documentation System (Laptop).	900,000.00
2	Semi-Micro Analytical Balance	240,000.00
3	<b>Micropipette Set</b> (2 Units of Micropipette, 10-100 μL, 2 Units of Micropipette, 20-200 μL, and 2 Units of Micropipette, 100-1000 μL)	100,000.00
4	Field Colorimeter with IP67 Rating	95,000.00
5	Portable Multi Parameter Water Quality Checker (3 Units)	1,125,000.00
	TOTAL AMOUNT	2,460,000.00

20.2 1. Latest Income and Business Tax Returns, filed and paid through the Electronic Filing and Payments System (EFPS), consisting of the following:

i. 2021 Income Tax Return with proof of payment; andii. VAT Returns (Form 2550M and 2550Q) or Percentage TaxReturns (2551M) with proof of payment covering the previous 6 months.

Section IV.	General (	Conditio	ns of Con	itract

#### 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**.

#### 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.

#### 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 specifications at no extra cost to the Procuring Entity in accordance with the Generic Procurement Manual. 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

- 6.1. 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.
- **6.2.** 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	Conditio	ns of Coi	ıtract

## **Special Conditions of Contract**

CCC	Special conditions of contract				
GCC Clause					
	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:				
	"The delivery terms applicable to this Contract are delivered to <b>BFAR Fisheries Building Complex, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Avenue, Diliman Quezon City.</b> 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 Ms. Lea Myr Sobrepeňa-Cadapan.				
	Incidental Services –				
	The Supplier is required to provide all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in Section VI. Schedule o Requirements:				
	<ul> <li>a. performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or start-up of the supplied Goods;</li> <li>b. furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied Goods;</li> <li>c. furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied Goods;</li> <li>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</li> <li>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.</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>				

#### 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:

- 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.
- 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.

Spare parts or components shall be supplied as promptly as possible, but in any case, within (*Please refer below*) months of placing the order.

from upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed.

#### 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 consulate to the port of dispatch. In the event that carriers of 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.		
	Intel or Similarlectual 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	No further instruction.		
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.

Lot Number	Description	Quantity	Delivered, Weeks/Months
	Compound Microscope with	3	,
	Documentation	J	
	System		
	Compound Microscope	1	
	Body: Aluminum die-casting metal frame,		
	Protective covering		
	Optical System: Infinity optical system		
	Illumination System: Built-in transmitted		
	illumination system, LED Power		
	Consumption		
	0.5 W (nominal values)		
	Focusing: Stage height movement		
	(coarse movement stroke: 15 mm), coarse		
	adjustment limit stopper, Torque adjustment		
	for		
	coarse adjustment knob, Fine focus knob		
	(minimum adjustment gradations: 2.5 µm)		
1	Revolving Nosepiece: Fixed quadruple		<b>120</b> Days from
1	nosepiece		the receipt of
	Stage: Wire movement mechanical fixed stage		Notice to
	Traveling range: 76 mm (X) x 30 mm (Y),		Proceed
	Specimen holder, Specimen position scale		Troceeu
	Observation Tube: 30° inclined trinocular tube		
	Interpupillary distance adjustment range: 48 –		
	75 mm		
	Eyepoint adjustment: 370.0 – 432.9 mm		
	Objectives: Plan achromat, anti-fungus		
	4x NA: 0.10 W.D.: 27.8 mm		
	10x NA: 0.25 W.D.: 8.0 mm		
	40x NA: 0.65 W.D.: 0.6 mm		
	100xOil NA: 1.25 W.D.: 0.13 mm		
	Eyepiece (10x): Field Number (FN): 20 (anti-		
	fungus)		
	Weight Approx. 5.9 kg		
	Rated Voltage/Electric Current AC 100–240		
	V		
	50/60 Hz 0.4 A		
	Power Consumption: Less than 2 W		

cludes:	
Oil Immersion 10ml Oil Immersion 10ml	
Cover-015 (WP) Dust Cover Type-015 with	
print	
Power Cord UYCP Power Cord	
Documentation System (Camera)	1
FEATURES:	
Compatible with the compound microscope	
Exmor RS CMOS sensor with USB3.0	
interface;	
Real-time 8/12/14/16bit depth switch	
<u> </u>	
Super high sensitivity up to 1120mV(IMX185);	
Ultra low noise and low power dissipation by	
using column-parallel A/D conversion;	
With hardware resolution among 2.3M to	
12M;	
Rolling Shutter or Global Shutter;	
Standard C-Mount camera;	
CNC aluminum alloy housing;	
USB3.0 5 Gbps interface ensuring high frame	
rates;	
With advanced video & image processing	
application ToupView;	
Providing Windows/Linux/Mac OS multiple	
platforms SDK;	
Native C/C++, C#/VB.Net, DirectShow,	
Twain,	
LabView	
SPECIFICATION:	
Sensor & Size(mm): 20M/IMX183(C) 1	
"(4.8x3.6)	
Pixel(μm): 2.4 x2.4	
G Sensitivity Dark Signal: 462mv with 1/30s,	
0.21mv with 1/30s	
FPS/Resolution: 5.5@5440x3648,	
16@2736x1824,	
21@1824x1216	
Binning: 1x1, 2x2, 3x3	
Exposure: 0.1ms~15s	
Spectral Range: 380-650nm (with IR-cut Filter)	
White Balance: ROI White Balance/ Manual	
Temp	
Tint Adjustment/NA for	
Monochromatic Sensor	
Color Technique: Ultra-FineTM Color	
Engine/	

NA for Monochromatic Sensor		
Capture/Control API: Native C/C++, C#		
/VB.Net,		
DirectShow, Twain and Labview		
Recording System: Still Picture and Movie		
Cooling System*: Natural		
Operating Temperature(in Centidegree): -10~		
50		
Storage Temperature(in Centidegree): -20~ 60		
Operating Humidity: 30~80%RH		
Storage Humidity: 10~60%RH		
Power Supply DC: 5V over PC USB Port		
C-mount Adaptor	1	
Documentation System (Laptop)	1	
Processor: Intel core i5		
Memory: 8GB DDR4		
Hard Drive: 512 GB SSD		
Display: 14" HD		
Operating System: Win 11		
Connectivity: WiFi, USB 3.0		
Includes:		
Antivirus for 1 user		
- One (1) Year Subscription		
Microsoft Office		
Must include:		
Warranty: Three (3) years on parts and		
one (1) year on service		
Camera/Laptop: One (1) year on parts		
Delivery Period: 120 days		

2	Semi-Micro Analytical Balance  Maximum Capacity: 62 g  Repeatability (typical): 0.02 mg  Readability: 0.01 mg  Calibration: Internal automatic calibration  Linearity: ±0.1 mg  Operating Temperature: 10° to 30°C  External calibration allows for verification  and adjustment with weights	1	<b>120</b> Days from the receipt of Notice to Proceed
	Must include: One (1) year warranty on parts and services. Installation, Commissioning, Local Training Delivery Period: 120 days		
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	Micropipette Set Micropipette, 10-100 μL	1	
	Volume (Metric): 10 to 100 μL		
	Temperature (Metric) Operating: 15 to 40°C		
	Material: Polypropylene		
	Certifications/Compliance: DIN EN 285		
	Completely and repeatedly autoclavable at	2	
	121°C		
	With one-handed volume adjustment with brake		
	With easy and fast in-lab calibration		
	adjustments		
	Must have four-digit volume display		
	Must fit tips from most quality manufacturers		
	Micropipette, 20-200 μL		4000
	Volume (Metric): 20 to 200 μL		<b>120</b> Days from
3	Temperature (Metric) Operating: 15 to 40°C		the receipt of
	Material: Polypropylene		Notice to
	Certifications/Compliance: DIN EN 285		Proceed
	Completely and repeatedly autoclavable at		
	121°C	2	
	With one-handed volume adjustment with brake With easy and fast in-lab calibration		
	adjustments		
	Must have four-digit volume display		
	Must fit tips from most quality manufacturers		
	Micropipette, 100-1000 µL		
	- Volume (Metric): 100 to 1000 μL		
	Temperature (Metric) Operating: 15 to 40°C		
	Material: Polypropylene	2	
	Certifications/Compliance: DIN EN 285 Completely and repeatedly autoclavable at		
	121°C		
			1

	With one-handed volume adjustment with brake With easy and fast in-lab calibration adjustments Must have four-digit volume display Must fit tips from most quality manufacturers  Note: Delivery Period: 120 days		
4	Field Colorimeter with IP67 Rating Unit Specifications: Range - 0 to 125% T Resolution - 1% FS, Accuracy - 2% FS Detector - Photodiode Sample Cell - 25 mm round cell, 10 mm square cuvette, 16 mm COD tubes Data logging - Up to 500 data points, USB transfer, time and date stamped Dimension - 7.5 x 3.5 x 2.5 inches * Compatible with 0290 Test Tube Vials please quote by item If the item has expiration, the date of expiration should be 'greater than 1 year upon delivery -for evaluation of end-user before awarding of PO Include certificate of analyses and certificate of traceability delivery period: 60 days	1	<b>60</b> Days from the receipt of Notice to Proceed
5	Portable Multi Parameter Water Quality Checker  Barometer Range: 375 to 825 mmHg  IP-67, impact-resistant, water proof case, Multi probe system: simultaneously measures dissolved oxygen (DO), specific conductance, pH, salinity, conductivity, temperature, ORP, ph/ORP combi, ammonium nitrate, chloride, Total Dissolved Solids(TDS) & barometer.  Cable Options: Standard lengths of 1, 4, 10, 20 or 30 meters with single port, dual port  Memory: 5000 datasets  Power: 2 alkaline C-cells provide 80 continuous hours at ambient temperature without backlight; USB power or optional wall power can be supplied via micro USB port  Dimensions: 8.3 cm width x 21.6 cm length x 2.3 cm depth  USB: Built-in micro USB port for on-the-go data exports via direct connection to the included USB stick; user-upgradeable firmware via USB and website  Waterproof: IP-67 (even with battery cover off); floats	3	180 Days from the receipt of Notice to Proceed

Name o	of Company	Signature over Printed Authorized Represen			Date
I hereby c schedule.		all the above requirements			
<b>Note</b> : <i>If th delivery</i> .	ne item has expirat	tion, the date of expiration sho	ould	be greater the	an 1 year upon the
		piration, the date of expiration r than 1 year upon delivery			
	please quote by i	tem	_		
	Delivery period:	180 days			
		on parts and services			
		al instruments installation, nd initial operation.			
	Hard Case				
	Conductivity std				
	1 SET pH7 Bullet				
	1 SET pH4 Buffer 1 SET pH7 Buffer				
	1 SET Conductivi				
	pH Sensor, DO Se	ensor			
	Inclusion:  4M cable (Cond/)	Temp/TDS/Salinity Sensor)			
	T 1				
	Weight: 475 gran	ns (1.05 lbs.) with batteries			

Section VII. Technical Specifications

# **Technical Specifications**

Lot No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 : Laboratory Equipment for Legislated Hatcheries in Region XIII - CARAGA.

Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC): **Php 2,460,000.00** 

Specification	Statement of Compliance		
Lot: 1	[Bidders must state here either "Comply" or "Not Comply" against each of the individual parameters of each Specification		
Compound Microscope with Documentation	stating the corresponding		
System	performance parameter of the		
	equipment offered. Statements of "Comply" or "Not Comply" must		
Compound Microscope	be supported by evidence in a		
Body: Aluminum die-casting metal frame,	Bidders Bid and cross-referenced		
Protective covering	to that evidence. Evidence shall		
Optical System: Infinity optical system	be in the form of manufacturer's		
Illumination System: Built-in transmitted	un-amended sales literature,		
illumination system, LED Power Consumption	unconditional statements of specification and compliance		
0.5 W (nominal values)	issued by the manufacturer,		
Focusing: Stage height movement	samples, independent test data		
(coarse movement stroke: 15 mm), coarse	etc., as appropriate. A statement		
adjustment limit stopper, Torque adjustment for	that is not supported by evidence		
coarse adjustment knob, Fine focus knob	or is subsequently found to be		
(minimum adjustment gradations: 2.5 µm)	contradicted by the evidence		
Revolving Nosepiece: Fixed quadruple nosepiece	presented will render the Bid under evaluation liable for		
Stage: Wire movement mechanical fixed stage	rejection. A statement either in		
Traveling range: 76 mm (X) x 30 mm (Y),	the Bidder's statement of		
Specimen holder, Specimen position scale	compliance or the supporting		
Observation Tube: 30° inclined trinocular tube	evidence that is found to be false		
Interpupillary distance adjustment range: 48 – 75 mm	either during Bid evaluation,		
Eyepoint adjustment: 370.0 – 432.9 mm	post-qualification or the execution of the Contract may be		
Objectives: Plan achromat, anti-fungus	regarded as fraudulent and		
4x NA: 0.10 W.D.: 27.8 mm	render the Bidder or supplier		
10x NA: 0.25 W.D.: 8.0 mm	liable for prosecution subject to		
40x NA: 0.65 W.D.: 0.6 mm	the applicable laws and		
100xOil NA: 1.25 W.D.: 0.13 mm	issuances.]		
Eyepiece (10x): Field Number (FN): 20 (anti-fungus)			
Weight Approx. 5.9 kg			
Rated Voltage/Electric Current AC 100–240 V			
50/60 Hz 0.4 A			
Power Consumption: Less than 2 W			
Includes:			
Oil Immersion 10ml Oil Immersion 10ml			
Cover-015 (WP) Dust Cover Type-015 with print			
Power Cord UYCP Power Cord			

Documentation System (Camera)
FEATURES:
Compatible with the compound microscope
Exmor RS CMOS sensor with USB3.0 interface;
Real-time 8/12/14/16bit depth switch
*
Super high sensitivity up to 1120mV(IMX185); Ultra low noise and low power dissipation by
using column-parallel A/D conversion;
With hardware resolution among 2.3M to 12M;
Rolling Shutter or Global Shutter;
Standard C-Mount camera;
CNC aluminum alloy housing;
USB3.0 5 Gbps interface ensuring high frame rates;
With advanced video & image processing
application ToupView;
Providing Windows/Linux/Mac OS multiple
platforms SDK;
Native C/C++, C#/VB.Net, DirectShow, Twain,
LabView
SPECIFICATION:
Sensor & Size(mm): 20M/IMX183(C) 1 "(4.8x3.6)
Pixel(μm): 2.4 x2.4
G Sensitivity Dark Signal: 462mv with 1/30s,
0.21mv with 1/30s
FPS/Resolution: 5.5@5440x3648, 16@2736x1824,
21@1824x1216
Binning: 1x1, 2x2, 3x3
Exposure: 0.1ms~15s
Spectral Range: 380-650nm (with IR-cut Filter)
White Balance: ROI White Balance/ Manual Temp
Tint Adjustment/NA for
Monochromatic Sensor
Color Technique: Ultra-FineTM Color Engine/
NA for Monochromatic Sensor
Capture/Control API: Native C/C++, C# /VB.Net,
DirectShow, Twain and Labview
Recording System: Still Picture and Movie
Cooling System*: Natural
Operating Temperature(in Centidegree): -10~ 50
Storage Temperature(in Centidegree): -20~ 60
Operating Humidity: 30~80%RH
Storage Humidity: 10~60%RH
Power Supply DC: 5V over PC USB Port
C-mount Adaptor
Documentation System (Laptop)
Processor: Intel core i5
Memory: 8GB DDR4
Hard Drive: 512 GB SSD

Display: 14" HD
Operating System: Win 11
Connectivity: WiFi, USB 3.0
Includes:
Antivirus for 1 user
- One (1) Year Subscription
Microsoft Office
Must include:
Warranty: Three (3) years on parts and
one (1) year on service
Camera/Laptop: One (1) year on parts
Delivery Period: 120 days

# Lot 2:

Semi-Micro Analytical Balance
Maximum Capacity: 62 g
Repeatability (typical): 0.02 mg
Readability: 0.01 mg
Calibration: Internal automatic calibration
Linearity: ±0.1 mg
Operating Temperature: 10° to 30°C
External calibration allows for verification
and adjustment with weights
Must include:
One (1) year warranty on parts and services.
Installation, Commissioning, Local Training
Delivery Period: 120 days

# Lot 3:

Micropipette Set
Micropipette, 10-100 μL
Volume (Metric): 10 to 100 μL
Temperature (Metric) Operating: 15 to 40°C
Material: Polypropylene
Certifications/Compliance: DIN EN 285
Completely and repeatedly autoclavable at 121°C
With one-handed volume adjustment with brake
With easy and fast in-lab calibration adjustments
Must have four-digit volume display
Must fit tips from most quality manufacturers
Micropipette, 20-200 μL
Volume (Metric): 20 to 200 μL
Temperature (Metric) Operating: 15 to 40°C
Material: Polypropylene
Certifications/Compliance: DIN EN 285

Completely and repeatedly autoclavable at 121°C

With one-handed volume adjustment with brake

With easy and fast in-lab calibration adjustments

Must have four-digit volume display

Must fit tips from most quality manufacturers

# Micropipette, 100-1000 μL

- Volume (Metric):  $100 \text{ to } \overline{1000 \, \mu L}$ 

Temperature (Metric) Operating: 15 to 40°C

Material: Polypropylene

Certifications/Compliance: DIN EN 285

Completely and repeatedly autoclavable at 121°C

With one-handed volume adjustment with brake

With easy and fast in-lab calibration adjustments

Must have four-digit volume display

Must fit tips from most quality manufacturers

# Note:

Delivery Period: 120 days

### Lot 4:

# **Field Colorimeter with IP67 Rating**

**Unit Specifications:** 

Range - 0 to 125% T

Resolution - 1% FS, Accuracy - 2% FS

Detector - Photodiode

Sample Cell - 25 mm round cell, 10 mm square cuvette, 16 mm COD tubes

Data logging - Up to 500 data points, USB transfer, time and date stamped

Dimension -  $7.5 \times 3.5 \times 2.5$  inches

\* Compatible with 0290 Test Tube Vials

please quote by item

If the item has expiration, the date of expiration should be 'greater than 1 year upon delivery  $\,$ 

-for evaluation of end-user before awarding of PO

Include certificate of analyses and certificate of traceability

delivery period: 60 days

# Lot 5:

# Portable Multi Parameter Water Quality Checker

Barometer Range: 375 to 825 mmHg

IP-67, impact-resistant, water proof case,

Multi probe system: simultaneously measures dissolved oxygen (DO), specific conductance, pH, salinity, conductivity, temperature, ORP, ph/ORP combi, ammonium nitrate, chloride, Total Dissolved Solids(TDS) & barometer.

Cable Options: Standard lengths of 1, 4, 10, 20 or 30 meters with single port, dual port

Memory: 5000 datasets

Power: 2 alkaline C-cells provide 80 continuous hours at ambient temperature without backlight; USB power or optional wall power can be supplied via micro USB port

Dimensions: 8.3 cm width x 21.6 cm length x 2.3 cm depth

USB: Built-in micro USB port for on-the-go data exports via direct connection to the included USB stick; user-upgradeable firmware via USB and website

Waterproof: IP-67 (even with battery cover off); floats

Weight: 475 grams (1.05 lbs.) with batteries

Inclusion:

4M cable (Cond/Temp/TDS/Salinity Sensor)

pH Sensor, DO Sensor

1 SET Conductivity Standard

1 SET pH4 Buffer solution

1 SET pH7 Buffer solution

1 SET pH10 Buffer solution

Conductivity std

Hard Case

Training on Initial instruments installation, commissioning and initial operation.

1 year warranty on parts and services

Delivery period: 180 days

please quote by item

If the item has expiration, the date of expiration should be greater than 1 year upon delivery

# ESTABLISHMENT OF LEGISLATED HATCHERIES IN LINGIG, SURIGAO DEL SUR AND JABONGA, AGUSAN DEL SUR

# **TERMS OF REFERENCE**

# I. BACKGROUND

High-quality seed, of known breeding history, is increasingly sought in aquaculture because, with appropriate husbandry, its performance is more predictable than that from seed of unknown provenance.

Provision of adequate quantities of good quality wild or domesticated, genetically improved seed for aquaculture is highly complex. It depends upon a wide range of environmental, biological, and socioeconomic factors that are often interactive. For seed that is collected from the wild or raised from wild caught broodstock, available quantities depend mainly upon the status of the capture fisheries from which the seed or broodstock are taken. Many

of these fisheries are in decline through overexploitation and environmental degradation. The live reef food fish trade for marine carnivorous finfish (groupers and snappers) is a good example (ADB, 2003).

The aquaculture subsector in the Philippines has not yet realized its full potential in terms of contribution to national growth and development. One of the reasons is the issue of resource depletion. The reliance of wild seed stock, limited species varieties and high cost of fry has resulted in depletion of wild/natural stock over time. The depletion problem, in turn, is associated with the lack of hatchery technology as well as limited funds/investment for hatchery and broodstock development.

The House of Representatives undertakes measures to provide concrete solutions to address these problems through passing a House Bill and enactment of legislation and in addressing food security, promoting sustainable development of fisheries resources and reducing poverty incidence among the fisherfolk..

Republic Act 10787 and 10813 mandates BFAR to establish under its supervision a multispecies hatcheries in Lingig, Surigao del Sur, and Jabonga, Agusan del Norte. In order to operate the hatchery, microscopes and laboratory equipment that measure water quality parameters such as salinity, pH levels and temperature are required. The equipment will allow the technicians to ensure that the fry would thrive in clean and non-toxic waters. This would also make sure that the production estimates presented in the feasibility study will be met, improving fish and seafood sufficiency. Hence this project is being proposed to operationalize the provisions of the law.

# II. OBJECTIVES

The goal of this project is to strengthen the hatchery industry to address critical farming issues, such as limited species variety, high fry cost and erratic supply.

### Specific:

To construct the multi-species hatcheries in the following sites:

- Lingig, Surigao del Sur
- Jabonga, Agusan del Norte,

# III. QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The bidders must have completed a similar contract/project Equivalent to fifty percent (50%) of the ABC within five (5) years from the date of the Bid Opening.
- 2. The bidder must submit the following:
  - Certified true copy of Certificate of Distributorship of Dealership in the Philippines issued by the Manufacturer, or in case of Reseller, Authorization to Bid issues by the Authorized Distributor.

# IV. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

### COMPOUND BINOCULAR/TRINOCULAR MICROSCOPE

The microscopes shall have the following:

- 1. 40x, 100x, 1000x magnification
- 2. LED / halogen light source

# WATERPROOF HANDHELD DIGITAL pH METER FOR SALTWATER

The pH meter shall have the following:

1. ±0 0.1pH accuracy

# **DISSOLVED OXYGEN METER**

The oxygen meter shall have the following:

- 1. IP67 water resistance rating
- 2. 1 meter probe cable length

# HANDHELD REFRACTOMETER

The handheld refractometer shall have the following:

- 1. IP65 water resistance rating
- 2. Specific gravity range of 1.000 to 1.070

# WATER QUALITY TEST KIT FOR DISSOLVED OXYGEN

The test kit shall have the testing capacity for the following:

- 1. Dissolved oxygen
- 2. Ammonia
- 3. Nitrite
- 4. Nitrate
- 5. pH level

# DIGITAL ANALYTICAL BALANCE

The balance shall have the following:

- 1. 5kg capacity
- 2. 0.01g accuracy
- 3. Weighing plate dimensions of 180mm x 160mm
- 4. Overall dimensions of 35cm x 24cm x 12.5cm

# MULTI PARAMETER WATER QUALITY CHECKER

The water quality checker shall have the following:

- 1. IP67 water resistance rating
- 2. impact-resistance
- 3. waterproof case
- 4. Multi-probe system that simultaneously measures the following:
  - i. Dissolved oxygen
  - ii. pH
  - iii. Salinity
  - iv. Conductivity
  - v. Temperature
  - vi. Total dissolved solids
- 5. Barometer
- 6. Overall dimensions of 11.9cm (W) x 22.9cm (L)
- 7. 10-meter cable length
- 8. 1 set of pH4 buffer solution (6 bottles, 475mL per)

- 9. 1 set of pH7 buffer solution (6 bottles, 475mL per)
- 10. 1 set of pH10 buffer solution (6 bottles, 475mL per)

# V. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE WINNING BIDDER

- The winning bidder shall certify that he/she, at his/her own expense, inspected and examined the proposed project site and its surroundings related to the delivery of the work and has obtained all the pieces of information that are considered necessary for the delivery of the equipment.
- 2. They will be held accountable for accidents that might occur during the delivery of equipment.
- 3. They will be responsible for the supply, delivery, installation, testing, and commissioning of equipment.
- 4. They should provide basic training on how to operate the equipment to the end-user.
- 5. They should start delivering upon receiving notice to proceed within 180 calendar days.
- 6. The bidder should provide a warranty certificate with the inclusion of parts and services for a period of One (1) year.
- 7. Coordinate with the BFAR-IFAD regarding the delivery of equipment.

# VI. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF BFAR-IFAD

- 1. 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, including access to drawings, shall be provided by the supplier to the authorized inspector at no charge to the Procuring Entity.
- 2. Coordinate with the winning bidder regarding the delivery of Laboratory Equipment.
- 3. Conduct monitoring and evaluation in the delivery of Laboratory Equipment.
- 4. Provide technical assistance (basic orientation on how to operate the equipment)
- 5. Issue a certificate of inspection and acceptance upon the determination by the End User that the delivered equipment is already completed.

# VII. PLACE OF DELIVERY

Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources - Central Office Fisheries Building Complex, Bureau of Plant Industry Compound, Visayas Ave., Diliman, QC

# VIII. SCHEDULE OF DELIVERY

Within one hundred eighty (180) calendar days upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed

# IX. PAYMENT SCHEME

The full payment will be made after the following have been accomplished:

- a. Completed delivery of Laboratory equipment
- b. Submission of necessary documents
- c. Issuance of Certificate of Inspection and Acceptance of the End-User

# X. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

When the bidder refuses or fails to satisfactorily complete the work within the specified contract time, plus anytime extension duly granted and is thereby in default under the contract, the Contractor shall pay BFAR for Liquidated Damages pursuant to implementing rules and regulations of R.A. 9184.

<sup>\*</sup>All equipment units shall include at least one (1) year warranty on parts and services.

are true and correct, other	ratement of compliance to the foregoing to erwise, if found to be false either during l all give rise to automatic disqualification	oid evaluation or post
Name of Company	Signature over Printed Name of Authorized Representative	Date

# Section VIII. Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

# **Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents**

# I. TECHNICAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE

	Class "A" Documents
Legal Do	ocuments
(a)	Valid PhilGEPS Registration Certificate (Platinum Membership) (all pages) in accordance with Section 8.5.2 of the IRR;
Technica	al Documents
(a)	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; <b>and</b>
(b)	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; <b>and</b>
(c)	Original copy of Bid Security. If in the form of a Surety Bond, submit also a certification issued by the Insurance Commission;
(d)	or Original copy of Notarized Bid Securing Declaration; <u>and</u> Conformity with the Technical Specifications, which may include production/delivery schedule, warranty certificate, and/or after-sales/parts, if applicable; <u>and</u>
(e)	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.
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(a)	The prospective bidder's computation of Net Financial Contracting Capacity (NFCC);
	or A committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation.
	Class "B" Documents
(b)	If applicable, a duly signed joint venture agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is already in existence;
	or 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 do	cumentary requirements under RA No. 9184 (as applicable)
(c)	[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

(d)	government procurement activities for the same item or product. Certification from the DTI if the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity.
II. FINANC	IAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE
(a) (b)	Original of duly signed and accomplished Financial Bid Form; <b>and</b> Original of duly signed and accomplished Price Schedule(s).
which n	templates are provided for easy reference, attached hereto as Appendix 1, nay also be accessed through this link: gppb.gov.ph/downloadables.php
5.2.3. Price Sc 5.2.4. Price Sc 5.2.5. Bid Secu 5.2.6. Contrac	n for the Procurement of Goods hedule for Goods Offered from Abroad hedule for Goods Offered from Within the Philippines uring Declaration t Agreement Form for the Procurement of Goods Projects; s Sworn Statement;

# Statement of All Ongoing Government & Private Contracts including contracts awarded but not yet started

Value of Outstanding

Works/ Undelivered

Portion

a. Name of Contract	a. Owner's Name	Nature of	Bidder's Role		a. Date Awarded b. Date Started	% of Accomplishment	
b. Amount of the Contract	<ul><li>b. Address</li><li>c. Telephone Nos.</li></ul>	Work / Kind of Goods	Description	%	c. Date of Completion	Planned	Actual
Government					-		
Private							
Continue in separate sl	neet if necessary	1		l		Total	Cost
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# **Statement Identifying the Single Largest Completed Contract**

Name of Contract	a. Owner's Name b. Address c. Telephone Nos.	Nature of Work / Kind of Goods	Bidder's Role		a. Amount at	
			Description	%	Award b. Amount at Completion	<ul><li>a. Date Awarded</li><li>b. Contract Effectivity</li><li>c. Date Completed</li></ul>
Government						
<u>Private</u>						
For Government ( 1. Notice of award 2. Certificate of C	nt shall be supported with: Contract: d (NOA) and/or Contract Agreer ompletion of Delivery (CCDs) is: Delivery Receipt (DRs) or Officia	sued by the Owner or Ce	rtificate of Final Acc			

and Acceptance Reports.

# For Private:

- 1. Job order or Purchase Order or Purchase Request
- 2. Certificate of Completion of Delivery (CCDs) issued by the Owner or Certificate of Final Acceptance (CFAs) or duly signed Delivery Receipt (DRs) or Official receipt or Sales Invoice

Submitted by	:
Ž	(Printed Name and Signature of Authorized Representative
Designation	·
Date	<b>:</b>

# **Important Reminders**

- The bidders are encouraged to consult this checklist before submitting their Bid Envelopes on the deadline for the submission and the receipt of Bids. However, this is **by no means exclusive** Bidders must still familiarize themselves with other bid requirements not otherwise included herein such as, but not limited to those in the TOR, Bid Bulletin, Pertinent GPPB guidelines, rules, etc.
- All Bidders must submit their bid envelopes in accordance with the ITB Clause No. 15 and BFAR-BAC Online Bidding Procedure.
- All documents shall be current and updated and any missing document in the abovementioned Checklist is a ground for outright rejection of the bid.
- All Pages of the documents shall be signed/initialed by the bidder or by his/her authorized representative.
- To facilitate the evaluation of the bids, bidders are advised to follow the arrangement in the above-mentioned checklist when placed in an envelope, with documents tabbed and labeled.

# **ANNEXES**

# BFAR-BAC ONLINE BIDDING PROCEDURE

ANNEX A	Bidder's Kit
ANNEX B	Adding a password to a .PDF file using Adobe Acrobat Reader DC.
ANNEX C	Procedure of Accessing the BFAR BAC Online Submission of Bidding Documents via Google Forms.

# "ANNEX A"

# BIDDER'S KIT FOR BFAR PROCUREMENT GUIDELINES IN ADOPTING ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION OF BIDS.

(GPPB Resolution No. 09-2020)

# I. PRE-REGISTRATION & PRE-BID CONFERENCE

**Step 1:** Register by completing the information required in the **Google Form** which can be accessed here: <a href="https://forms.gle/9PassK7oCipk8iXD6">https://forms.gle/9PassK7oCipk8iXD6</a>

Once completed, submit the form to the Secretariat and wait for an acknowledgement by e-mail.

**Step 2:** Join the scheduled Pre-Bid Conference by clicking the link provided by the Secretariat through e-mail using **Zoom**. Please make sure that you allow access to the microphone and the camera.

**Step 3:** Kindly wait for the Secretariat to confirm your entry through Zoom to participate in the pre-bid conference.

**Step 4:** See attached file as "Annex A" for the House Rules to be observed during the conduct of procurement activities.

# II. PREPARATION OF BID (SOFT COPY)

**Step 1:** Prepare a final scanned copy of your Bid which is divided into two different PDF files:

- 1. Eligibility Documents & Technical Documents; and
- 2. Financial Documents

3.

**Step 2:** Set a password for the scanned copy of the Eligibility Documents & Technical Documents and Financial Documents and save as a .PDF file.

**Step 3:** Compress the file, save the password-protected .PDF file to a ZIP file. Set another password on the ZIP file.

**Important:** Passwords must be 8-16 characters and contain both numbers and letters/special characters. The bidder is required setting a unique combination for each file and folder. Same passwords for all files are not allowed. For details on how to set passwords in .PDF file and ZIP file, please see file attached as "Annex B".

**Step 4:** For effective documentation of the submitted files, you must comply with the label format below:

- Both ZIP folder and .PDF file shall be assigned file name
   "BFAR Bid Reference No.\_\_\_\_\_ (Company Name); Legal & Technical Documents"
- Both ZIP folder and .PDF file shall be assigned file name BFAR Bid Reference No.\_\_\_\_\_ (Company Name); Financial Documents"

# III. REGISTRATION FOR ONLINE SUBMISSION

**Step 1:** Register through Google Form, a link will be provided upon request to the BAC Secretariat's e-mail address: <a href="mailto:bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph">bac.eps@bfar.da.gov.ph</a> at any time before the closing date and time specified in the Bidding Documents by disclosing the following information:

- a) Email Address
- b) Company Name
- c) Company Address
- d) Authorized Representative
- e) Contact No.
- f) Bid Reference
- g) Bid Title
- h) Official Receipt (OR) No.

Upon verification of the Official Receipt (OR), the BAC Secretariat will send the Public Bidding Documents through the given email or shall provide a hard copy upon request. It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

**Step 2:** The BAC Secretariat will send another Google Form link to the bidder, who already purchased the bidding documents, through the given email directing to the "Online Submission of the Bid"

# IV. ACCESSING THE GOOGLE FORMS

**Step 1:** Upon successful login to your email address account. You will now open the Google Form link sent through BAC Secretariat's e-mail address given above.

**Step 2:** Click the <u>FILL OUT FORM</u> button. (*See attached "Annex C"*)

# V. SUBMISSION OF BID

**Step 1:** Submit your Bids through Google Form at any time before the closing date and time specified in the Bidding Documents.

**Step 2:** Upon preparation and finalization of the compressed and password-protected files Eligibility & Technical and Financial Documents, a Google Form link will direct you to the page where they can now upload the said requirements. (See attached "Annex C, Figure 10.1")

**Step 3:** After submission, a copy of the response will be automatically emailed to the address provided by you which can be saved or printed, as proof of the official time of the submission and receipt of bids. (See attached "Annex C, Figure 11.2")

# VI. RECEIVING OF THE SUBMITTED BID

The BAC Secretariat will receive the submitted information through Google Forms and will generate a Bid Receipt page for the official time of submission of all bidders, which can be saved or printed.

Bidders may modify their Bid at any time before the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids. Bidders shall send another Bid equally secured, properly identified, and labelled as a "modification" of the previously submitted. The time indicated in the latest Bid receipt page generated shall be the official time of submission. Bids submitted after the deadline shall not be accepted.

The BAC Secretariat will not be able to access the documents until the day of the Bid Opening.

# VII. BID OPENING PROCESS

The BAC, with the assistance of the Secretariat and Technical Working Group (TWG), shall conduct bid opening via Zoom. Bidders are encouraged to attend the bid opening online. The passwords for the folders (ZIP) and the files (.PDF) shall be disclosed by the bidders only during actual bid opening which may be done via Zoom.

The Secretariat will ask the bidder, who choose to attend via Zoom, the corresponding password of their Bid during the bid opening itself. The official representative of the bidder shall respond promptly in the same chat box with the passwords when prompted. Bidders are given within five (5) minutes to respond with the passwords. If the bidder does not provide or respond with the password within five (5) minutes, from prompting, it will result in disqualification and the BAC shall move on to the next bid, if any.

The bidder shall first disclose the password for the compressed folder (ZIP file) containing the Eligibility & Technical documents, second disclose the password for the Eligibility & Technical document (.PDF file). The Secretariat will share the screen via Zoom during accessing the submitted Bid.

If the bidder **passed** the Eligibility & Technical requirements, the second password-protected compressed folder containing the Financial Documents and the files contained therein shall be opened in the same manner as the password of

the eligibility documents as described above. In no case will a bidder disclose the passwords for the financial folder and the files prior to being declared eligible based on the evaluation of the eligibility documents.

The bidder is given only three (3) attempts to disclose the password per compressed folder (ZIP) and .PDF file to open the documents. If the bidder fails to provide the correct password after the third attempt, their Bid will no longer be considered. The Secretariat shall take and print a screenshot of such inquiries and responses to form part of the records and all incidents should be recorded in the minutes.

In the event that the electronic copy cannot be submitted, opened or is corrupted, the BAC will proceed with the opening of the submitted original hard copy.

# **Basic House Rules to be observed during BAC Meetings**

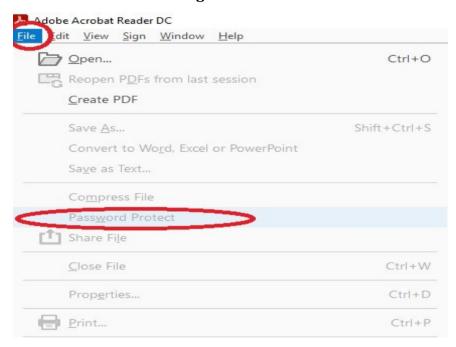
- 1. Kindly place your microphone on mute when not speaking.
- 2. Please raise your hand, and wait to be recognized before you speak (remember to toggle off mute).
- 3. Turn on video for confirmation of your identity.
- 4. Meeting will start on time. You are advised to enter the VTC room 30 minutes to resolve technical issue, if any.

# "ANNEX B"

# Adding a password to a .PDF file using Adobe Acrobat Reader DC.

One-click option to protect a PDF with a password

- 1. Open the PDFfile
- 2. Choose **File > Protect UsingPassword**.



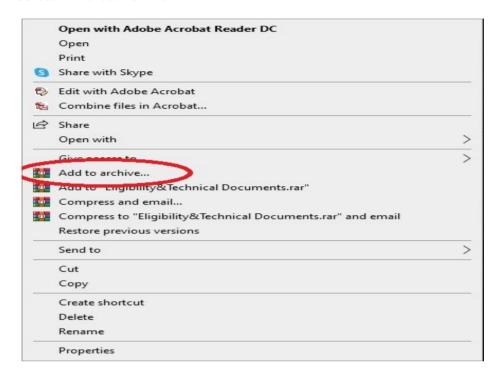
3. Select to set the password for Viewing the PDF.



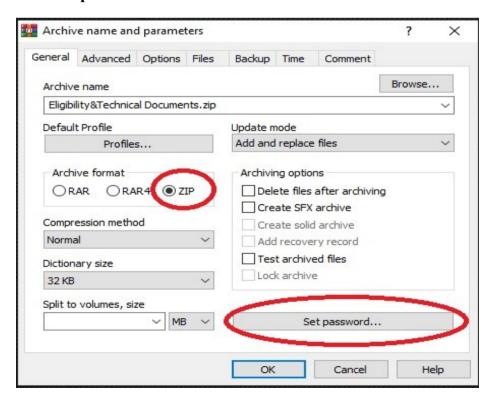
- 4. Type and retype your password. The password strength is displayed next to your password to indicate whether the chosen password is weak, medium, strong, or best
- 5. Click Apply

# File Archiving and Compression using WinRaR application

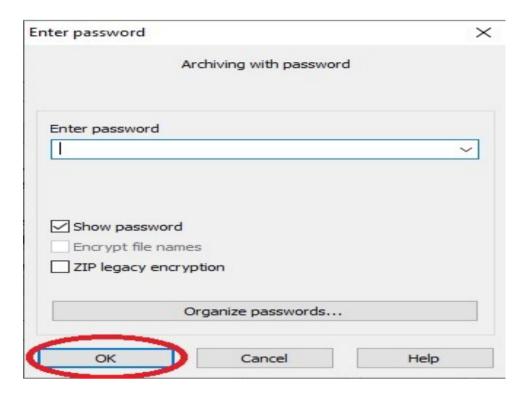
- 1. Right Click the password protected .PDFfile
- 2. Select "Add toarchive."



3. In the Archive name and parameters dialog box, select "Radio buttonZIP" and click "Set password



4. Type your password and Click "OK button."



# "ANNEX C"

# <u>Procedure of Accessing the BFAR BAC Online Submission of Bidding Documents via Google Forms.</u>

**Step 1**. BAC Secretariat will send the Invitation link of Registration Form.

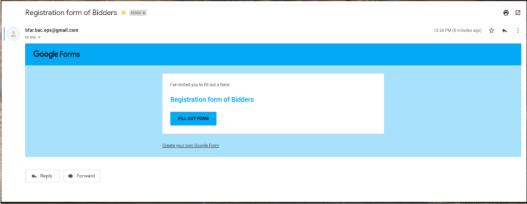


Figure 1.1

# Step 2. Upon received, click the FILL OUT FORM.

# **Step 3**. Bidder must fill in the following required information



**Step 4.** Click the **Add file** to upload Scanned Copy of Official Receipt (OR).

**Step 5**. After uploading of the Scanned Copy of OR, the bidder shall click the **Submit** button to complete the process and BAC Secretariat shall verify the submitted Official Receipt (OR).

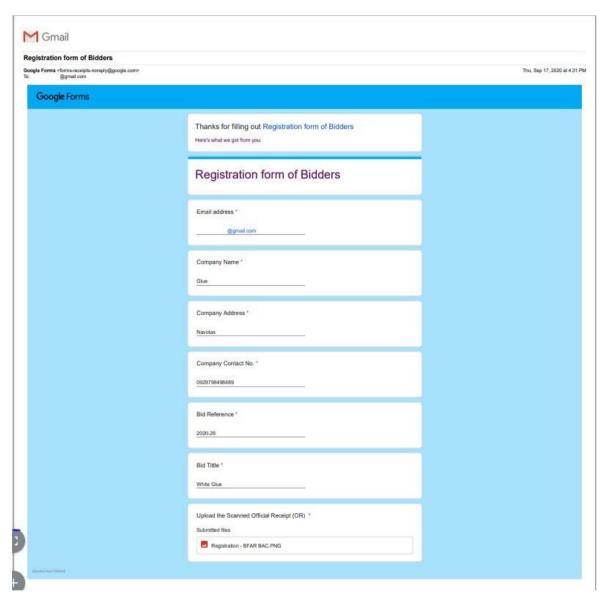


Figure 5.1

**Step 6.** A copy of the response will be automatically emailed to the address provided by the bidders.

**Step 7.** Upon verification of the Official Receipt (OR), the BAC Secretariat shall send the Public Bidding Documents through the given email or shall provide a hard copy upon request. It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

**Step 8.** The BAC Secretariat will send another Google Form link to the bidder, who already purchased the bidding documents, through email directing to the "Online Submission of the Bid".

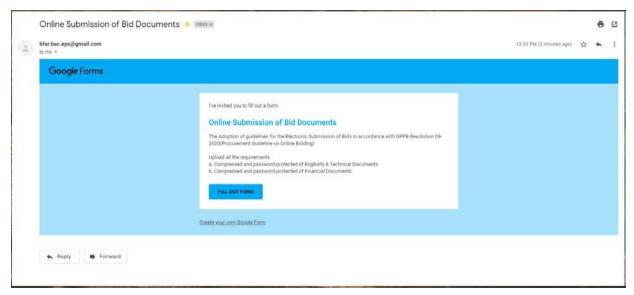


Figure 8.1

# **Step 9.** Upon received, click the **FILL OUT FORM**.

**Step 10.** Click the <u>Add file</u> button to upload the compressed and password-protected files of Eligibility & Technical and Financial Documents

Online Submission of Bid Documents		
The Adoption of guidelines for the Electronic Submission of Bids in accordance with GPPB Resolution 09-2020(Procurement Guideline on Online Bidding)		
Upload all the requirements  a. Compressed and password-protected of Eligibility & Technical Documents  b. Compressed and password-protected of Financial Documents		
The name and photo associated with your Google account will be recorded when you upload files and submit this form. Not @gmail.com? Switch account		
* Required		
Email address *		
Your email		
Eligibility & Technical Documents *		
Add file		
Financial Documents *		
A copy of your responses will be emailed to the address you provided.		
Submit		

Figure 10.1

**Step 11.** Click the <u>Submit</u> button to complete the process. A copy of the response will be automatically emailed to the address provided by the bidder which can be saved or printed by the bidder, as proof of the official time of the submission and receipt of bids.



Figure 11.1

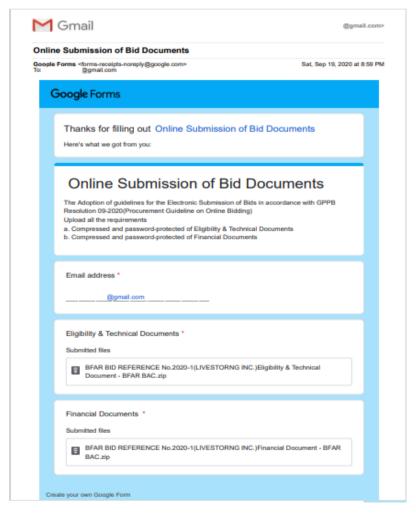


Figure 11.2

