



INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

Date: 19 March 2021
Loan Agreement No: PH-P270
IFB No: 21-040-3

1. The Government of the Republic of the Philippines, through the Department of Finance (DOF), has received a Loan from Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) towards the cost of the Malolos–Clark Railway Project and the North South Railway Project-South Line (Commuter). It is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the Contract for the Procurement of Package CP NS-01 E&M Systems and Track Works.
2. Bidding will be conducted through procedures in accordance with the applicable Guidelines for Procurement under Japanese ODA Loans published in April 2012, and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries, as defined in the Loan Agreement.
3. The Department of Transportation (DOTr) as the Employer, through its Procuring Agent, Procurement Service (PS), now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the design, execution and completion of the railway systems/subsystems and track works consisting of track works, signaling, telecommunications, power supply, power distribution, overhead contact line, automatic fare collection system, depot and workshop facility, training facility, platform screen doors, computerized maintenance management system, etc. (“the Works”).
4. International Competitive Bidding (ICB) will be conducted in accordance with JICA’s “Single-Stage Two-Envelope Bidding (Without Prequalification)” Bidding Procedure.
5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address indicated below from Mondays to Fridays during office hours from 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM:

Procurement Service
PS Complex,
RR Road, Cristobal Street, Paco
Manila 1007, Philippines

Telephone Number: 8689-7750 and 8689-7751
Email Address: psdotr_cpns01@ps-philgeps.gov.ph
Websites: www.ps-philgeps.gov.ph/home/ [PS]
www.dotr.gov.ph [DOTr]
www.pnr.gov.ph [PNR]

6. A complete set of the Bidding Documents (with General Conditions of Contract) may be purchased by interested Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address indicated in item 5 above and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Forty-eight Thousand Philippine Pesos (PHP 48,000.00).

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In addition to the over the counter payment at Procurement Service Cashier and due to the extraordinary circumstance and consistent with the effort of the Philippine Government to curb the further spread of the contagion, **payments may also be made via online domestic and international bank transaction through the following account:**

Bank: **Land Bank of the Philippines – UN Branch**
Account Name: **Procurement Service – DBM**
Account No: **001442-1012-10**
Swift Code: **TLBPPHMMXX**

Important Notes:

- i. Due to 72-hours standard wire transfer clearing process for online transfers, bidders are strictly advised to ensure transfer of payment not later than 14 June 2021.
- ii. Bidders who choose to transfer payments online shall ensure that the amount transferred shall be sufficient to cover the transfer fees of correspondent banks upon conversion of the original currency to Philippines Pesos.
- iii. Bidder shall send proof of payment to the official BAC email on the same day of transfer.
- iv. Please refer to Annex A-1 for the list of Depository Bank.

The Bidding Documents (without the General Conditions of Contract) may also be downloaded by the Bidders free of charge from the websites of PS, DOTr and PNR (indicated in item 5 above), but Bidders must pay the said non-refundable fee for the Bidding Documents before the submission of their Bids.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address above on or before 10:00AM on 17 June 2021 and must be accompanied by a Bid Security of Japanese Yen Two Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Million (JPY 2,750,000,000).
8. The Technical Bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address given in item 5 above, immediately after the deadline for the submission of bids.

SIGNATURE REDACTED

ENGR. JAIME M. NAVARRETE, JR.
Chairperson
Bids and Awards Committee for CP NS-01