



## INVITATION TO BID FOR THE

### *Procurement of One (1)-Year Comprehensive Maintenance and Support Services for the Data Center IT Infrastructure and Auxiliary Equipment of the BTr*

PUBLIC BIDDING NO. 19-237-8

#### FUNDING SOURCE:

Government of the Philippines (GOP) through approved under  
*General Appropriations Act of CY 2017 of BTr*

1. The **PROCUREMENT SERVICE (PS)** invites Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS)-registered suppliers to bid for the item:

Lot No.	Quantity	Item/Description	Approved Budget for the Contract	Price of Bid Documents	Delivery Period
1	1 lot	One (1)-Year Comprehensive Maintenance and Support Services for the Data Center IT Infrastructure and Auxiliary Equipment of the BTr – Central Office  <i>See Terms of Reference for Central Office</i>	₱24,000,000.00	₱3,000.00	Please refer to Section VI. Schedule of Requirements
2	1 lot	One (1)-Year Comprehensive Maintenance and Support Services for the Data Center IT Infrastructure and Auxiliary Equipment of the BTr – Panay Office  <i>See Terms of Reference for Panay Office</i>	₱8,173,076.92	₱1,000.00	

**TOTAL ₱32,173,076.92**

Bidders should have completed, within *ten (10) years* from the date of submission and receipt of bids, a contract similar to the Project.

2. The summary of the bidding activities is as follows:

Advertisement/Posting of Invitation to Bid	23-Jul-2019 (Tue)
Issuance and Availability of Bid Documents	23-Jul-2019 (Tue)
Pre-Bid Conference	30-Jul-2019 (Tue) at 10:00 AM
Last Day of Written Clarification	05-Aug-2019 (Mon)
Last Day of Issuance of Bid Bulletin	06-Aug-2019 (Tue)
Deadline for Submission and Opening of Bids	13-Aug-2019 (Tue) at 10:00 AM

3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion as specified in the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the “Government Procurement Reform Act”.
4. 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 5183 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders from the Bids and Awards Committee VIII (see address below) and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents, in amounts pursuant to the Schedule.

The Bidding Documents may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the PhilGEPS provided that Bidders shall pay the non-refundable price not later than the submission of their bids.

Interested bidders may inspect the Bidding Documents and obtain further information from the Bids and Awards Committee VIII at the address given below.

6. The PS will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on 30-Jul-2019 (Tue) at 10:00 AM which shall be open to all interested parties.
7. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 18.

Bid opening shall be conducted on 13-Aug-2019 (Tue) at 10:00 AM at the Procurement Service, PS Complex, R. R. Road, Cristobal St., Paco, Manila. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders’ representatives who choose to attend the opening. **Late bids shall not be accepted.**

8. Bidders shall drop their duly accomplished eligibility requirements, technical and financial proposals in two separate sealed envelopes in the designated bid box located at the Bidding Room.
9. The PS reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

10. For further information, please refer to:

*Bids and Awards Committee VIII*

*Procurement Service*

*PS Complex, R. R. Road, Cristobal St., Paco, Manila*

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Chairperson

Bids and Awards Committee VIII