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ASTI - BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

SUPPLEMENTAL BULLETIN NO. BAC-2019-06-014

PROCUREMENT OF MATHEMATICAL COMPUTING SOFTWARE SUBSCRIPTION

The ASTI Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) issues this supplemental bid bulletin to clarify, modify or amend items in the Bidding Documents and to reply to queries raised by the potential bidders through letters/emails for the information of all bidders for the procurement of:

Item:	Procurement of Mathematical Computing Software Subscription (Negotiated Procurement: Two Failed Biddings)
Approved Budget for the Contract:	Five Million Seven Hundred Thousand Pesos (P5,700,000.00)
Request for Quotation No.:	19-03-2322
Purchase Request No.:	GAA-19-02-7308
Published Date (PhilGEPS):	6227093 / 01 June 2019

A. AMENDMENT TO PROCUREMENT DETAILS AND FORMS

REFERENCE	AMENDMENT/CHANGE/CLARIFICATION		
Technical Specifications (Request for Quotation and Form)	FROM:		
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		6.3.3. All costs related to the workshop will be shouldered by the winning bidder. These include but not limited to, lease of venue, meals, transportation of participants to and from the training venue, workshop fees, etc.	
	6.3.4. DOST-ASTI may, at its discretion, prefer to conduct the training in its office premises. In		

	that case, the lease of venue may be waived.	
	6.3.5. The workshop must be conducted at an agreed schedule with the End-user.	
	7. The winning bidder is required to deliver the items within fifteen (15) calendar days after receipt of Notice to Proceed.	
	8. Progress payment is allowed based on the following deliverable:	
	8.1. Activity: Delivery, installation, configuration of software	
	8.1.1. Duration: Within fifteen (15) calendar days upon issuance of NTP.	
	8.1.2. Percentage Progress: Ninety-five percent (95%)	
	8.2. Activity: Workshop/Training	
	8.2.1. Duration: Within thirty (30) calendar days from issuance of NTP	
	8.2.2. Percentage Progress: Five percent (5%)	
	9. For Post Qual: Trial installation within five (5) working days.	

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B. RESPONSE TO QUERIES


QUERY/ISSUE	BAC/END-USER RESPONSE/CLARIFICATION
What if bidder has no ongoing government and private contracts?	The bidder should submit the form for Statement of All Ongoing Government and Private Contracts and indicate not applicable.
For the Net Financial Contracting Capacity computation, the company has a new Financial Statement. Are we required to submit the new Financial Statement?	Yes, submission of recent Audited Financial Statement, duly received by the Bureau of Internal Revenue, is necessary. Similarly, if one of Class "A" documents is expired, bidders are required to submit the current/updated document as an attachment to their PhilGEPS Platinum Certificate.
Will you send us separate bid docs aside from supplemental docs?	Please be informed that all forms necessary for the conduct Negotiated Procurement – Two Failed Biddings of the procurement project are attached to the Invitation in lieu of the Bidding Documents. The technical requirements stipulated in the RFQ and form for Technical Specification Compliance are one and the same.
Does the new Request for Quotation (RFQ) release mean, this is considered the bid docs we are about to comply? Is there any bidding doc fee or will you be sending us new bid docs as reference?	

Please be guided accordingly.

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Approved by:


PEDRITO B. MANGHAS
Chairperson, BAC-1

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Section VI. Schedule of Requirements

(AMENDED)

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Name of Company : _____
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Designation : _____
Date : _____

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Technical Specifications (AMENDED)

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