



15 November 2021

**ASTI - BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

**SUPPLEMENTAL BULLETIN NO. BAC-2021-011-022**

**SUPPLY, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF 1GBPS PRIMARY LOCAL TRANSPORT TO DICT CEBU FROM JANUARY 2022 TO DECEMBER 2022 AND OTHER ITEMS (EARLY PROCUREMENT ACTIVITY)**

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: **Supply, Delivery, and Installation of 1Gbps Primary Local Transport to DICT Cebu from January 2022 to December 2022 and Other Items (Early Procurement Activity)**  
 Approved Budget for the Contract: **Eighteen Million Nine Hundred Ninety-One Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Pesos Only (₱18,991,350.00)**  
 Invitation to Bid No.: **21-10-3628 dated 03 November 2021**  
 Purchase Request Nos.: **GAA-21-09-12251 dated 01 October 2021**  
 Published Date (PhilGEPS): **04 November 2021 | 8150176**

**A. AMENDMENT TO PROCUREMENT DETAILS AND FORMS**

REFERENCE	AMENDMENT/CHANGE/CLARIFICATION				
Section VI. Schedule of Requirements, Page 27	<b>FROM:</b>				
	Item Number	Description	Quantity	Total	Delivered, Weeks/Months
	1	Local Transport - DICT Cebu Primary 1Gbps from Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2022	Twelve (12) Months	₱3,672,000.00	The goods or service must be delivered within forty-five (45) calendar days upon issuance of Notice to Proceed (NTP)
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5	Local Transport – UP Los Baños Link/IRRI (Primary) 1Gbp from Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2022	Twelve (12) Months	₱2,532,750.00	The goods or service must be delivered within forty-five (45) calendar days upon issuance of Notice to Proceed (NTP)	

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**B. RESPONSE TO QUERIES**

<b>QUERY/ISSUE</b>	<b>BAC/END-USER RESPONSE/CLARIFICATION</b>
For the bid security in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration (BSD), do we have to submit different bid securing declaration if we will only bid for Items 1 and 2?	The BSD is just a form to be submitted to the BAC. All you have to do is to put the item number that you will bid on. If you will submit manager's check or cash, there are corresponding amounts listed in the bid data sheet
For 2.20 of the technical specifications, winning bidder should provide a clear-channel layer 2 point to point link, without any layer 3 routing elements along the network path  Can we provide or deliver link that is clear channel but is over layer 3? (Layer 2 over layer 3)	The end-user responded that this is acceptable.
For Lots 1 and 2, do they have the same site A and B?	Different point Bs: Lot 1 is in DICT Office in Cebu (Information and Communications Technology Office, Toll Center, Port Area, Aduana St. Cebu City) while Lot 2 is in a private data center in Cebu (ASTI IC Node, Asiatown IT Park, Apas, Jose Maria St., Cebu City)

If Lots 1 and 2 are already installed, can we proceed with the billing already while waiting for other lots to get completed?	Yes, as these items are not dependent / bundled with one another. Billing starts upon the acceptance of link as reflected in 1.4 and 2.23.
Given that we have five (5) lots for the project, can you confirm that the provider must only provide single Eligibility and Financial Bid Documents? Then we will just state in the Financial Documents the lots we are going to bid?	Yes, if you will bid for the five (5) lots, only one eligibility and financial documents are needed.
Whose ASN will be put in the required ND to be submitted?	It's the provider's.
Is site survey required? If yes, do we have site inspection certificate need to be submitted?	Ocular inspection is not required; however, provider must give evidence that the area is serviceable.
For Lot 2, is Site address B is an ASTI office - ASTI IC Node, Asiatown IT Park, Apas Jose Maria St., Cebu City?	No, it's a private data center (Globe's/Innove's).
It was mentioned that it requires bundled collocation/two (2) full rack, collocation specs are out of control of any bidder except for the owner of the DC, for this case is Globe. Does this mean the set up will be the winning bidder will order collocation to Globe and ASTI will use it?	Yes, but racks to be used are the existing ones to prevent service downtime.
Are these five (5) circuits existing? May we know who the existing provider is/are?	Except for Lot 2 (ASTI to CB1), its existing provider is Globe / Innove. For Lot 2, it is a new procurement.
For the delivery of items, is it okay that we will outsource to a third-party provider that will provide the local loop? For example, if we will outsource it with PLDT just to provide the local loop but the contracting party is still with ASTI and Eastern.	Subcontracting is not allowed.

**ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTION/S:** Prospective bidder/s are required to amend the form to update existing information.

Please be guided accordingly.

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