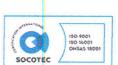




## INVITATION TO BID FOR THE EARLY PROCUREMENT

## SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF VARIOUS MOLECULAR BIOLOGY SUPPLIES (PB 21-01-06)

- The Philippine Rice Research Institute, through the 2021 Corporate Fund Budget intends to apply the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ELEVEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FIFTY TWO PESOS AND 00/100 ONLY (PhP 511,952.00) being the ABC to payments under the contract for the SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF VARIOUS MOLECULAR BIOLOGY SUPPLIES (PB 21-01-06). Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The **Philippine Rice Research Institute** now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required within the period specified in the 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.
  - a 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 from *PhilRice* through telecommunication or video conferencing during office hours and inspect the Bidding Documents at the PhilGeps and PhilRice websites. Please refer to the schedule below.
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders from the address and website(s) below and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB in the amount of **One Thousand Pesos Only (Php 1,000.00)**. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees either by facsimile, or through other electronic means.
  - We encourage bidders to download the bidding documents through PhilGEPS or the PhilRice website and pay through bank. Please coordinate with the BAC Secretariat through the email address and contact number given below for the bank details and procedure.
- 6. The Philippine Rice Research Institute will hold a Pre-Bid Conference through video conferencing or webcasting via zoom/webex on the date specified below which shall be open to all prospective bidders. A Personal Meeting ID will be sent through SMS or email for each participant at least one day before the event. Prospective bidders need to signify their intention to participate by sending an email to the address given below.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat at the address below one (1) day before the opening of bids. (i) manual submission or through courier at the office address indicated below. Late bids shall not be accepted.





- 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.
  - Bid opening shall be on **December 02, 2020; 2:00PM** at the address given below via Zoom/Webex. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend the activity.
- 9. The **Philippine Rice Research Institute** 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.
- 10. Please refer to the following schedule of activities:

Activity	Date/Time	Remarks
Acceptance of	November 11-13, 16-	Queries on the bidding documents only.
queries through	20, 23-27, 30 and	Queries on the technical specifications
telephone or video	December 01, 2020	should be in formal writing sent through
call with the BAC		email or fax, addressed to the BAC
Secretariat	8:00AM to 12:00	Chairperson through the BAC
	noon	Secretariat.
Availability of	November 11-	Downloadable through PhilGEPS, PhilRice
Bidding documents	December 01, 2020	Website and can be requested through email.
and acceptance of		Please call the BAC Secretariat for the
Payment		procedures on online payment
Pre-Bid Conference	November 19, 2020	Interested bidders shall signify intention
	Roll Call: 1:30PM	to bid through email. A Personal Meeting
	Meeting Proper: 2:00	ID will be sent through email to
	PM	confirmed participants.
Deadline for the	On or before December 01,	Through personal delivery or through
submission of bids	2020	courier at the BAC Secretariat Office.
	5:00PM	
Bid Opening	December 02, 2020	A Personal Meeting ID will be sent to
	Meeting Proper: 2:00	participants who submitted bid
	PM	proposals on time.

11. For further information, please refer to:

## THE BAC SECRETARIAT

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Mobile No. 09209135104 Website: www.philrice.gov.ph

You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: <u>www.philrice.gov.ph</u> and <u>www.philgeps.gov.ph</u> Date: October 13, 2020

GENARO S. RILLON

Chairperson, BAC for Goods and Services





