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University of Southeastern Philippines

Bids and Awards Committee

MINUTES OF MEETING

# April 14, 2021

### 1. Pre-Bid Conference on the Procurement of Laboratory Equipment for the Strengthening of AFMTC.

### Venue: BAC Office / Online through Google Meet: eqa-ggqm-vcz

#### Present in the meeting: - BAC Chairperson 1. Mr. Remegio G. Duyan, Jr.

- Member, BAC (On-line) 2. Dr. Roger C. Montepio

3. Ms. Virginia Barbara P. Nillas - Member, BAC - Member, BAC (On-line) 4. Dr. Analyn A. Villaroman

5. Ms. Cecile B. Ariola - BAC Secretariat

- Member, BAC Secretariat 6. Mr. Jet T. Cariaga - Member, BAC Secretariat 7. Ms. Allaine Bacatan

- Member, TWG

- Member, TWG (On-line)

- Member, TWG (On-line)

- End-User - BAC Staff

- Prince Valiant International Corporation

- P.T. Cerna Corporation

### Proceedings:

At 10:50am the Pre-bid conference started by singing of the National anthem and University Ecumenical Prayer via AVP.

### Ms. Bacatan presented the AVP.

8. Ms. Germa V. Duran

10. Engr. Ruben V. Cantones 11. Engr. Ronnie Lusares

9. Mr. Rosalino Recto

12. Ms. Irish B. Alasad

13. Ms. Lovelyn Maciado

14. Ms. Jonabeth Contorno

Mr. Remegio Duyan presided the conference, greeted everyone and asked the secretariat to read the present of the said conference.

Mr. Cariaga read the attendance and stated that based on the attendance, the BAC is in quorum.

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Mr. Duyan declared that the BAC is in quorum and asked Ms. Bacatan to virtually present the requirements for the bidding of the laboratory equipment for the Procurement of Laboratory Equipment for the Strengthening of AFMTC

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Mr. Duyan read the slides with the following contents:

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- The Approved Budget for the Contract or ABC for this project is Php. 1,859,000.00.
- 52 Name of the Project:
- 53 "Procurement of Laboratory Equipment for the Establishment of Agricultural Fisheries
- 54 Machinery Testing Center"

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- 56 Location: USEP Tagum-Mabini Campus
- 57 Source of Funds: GOP thru Fund DA-BAFE
- 58 Delivery : 90 days upon receipt of the NTP

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60 Eligibility Requirements:

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- The eligibility requirements or checklist can be found in the bidding documents that the
- 63 bidder purchased;
- 64 All submitted documents should be duly authenticated or stamped as "Certified True
- 65 Copy from the Original" by the company head otherwise the bidder will be automatically
- disqualified. It would also be advisable if the bidder will bring the original copies of the
- 67 documents submitted;

68 Likewise, any missing documents as required in the checklist is a ground for rejection of

69 the bid;

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- The BAC will be using the non-discretionary "pass/fail" criteria in the eligibility check/screening:
- 72 Check/screening,
- 73 The bid should be accompanied with a bid security in the following amount:
- 74 if the bid security is in cash, cashier's check/manager's check, bank draft/guarantee or
- 75 irrevocable letter of credit, the amount should be 2% of the ABC or in an equivalent
- 76 amount of
- 77 Php 37,180.00 to be deposited at Campus Cashier; if the bid security is in the form of a
- Surety Bond, it should be 5% of the ABC or in an equivalent amount of Php 92,950.00
- 79 to be issued by Universal or Commercial Bank.

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- And if it is a combination of the foregoing, it should be proportionate to share of form
- 82 with respect to total amount of security.
- 83 Bid Securing Declaration will also be accepted.
- 84 The validity period of the bid security should be 120 days from the date of opening of
- 85 bids.
- Under the eligibility and technical documents, the bidder is likewise required to submit
- 87 its license to operate

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- 89 The first envelope shall contain the following:
- 90 TECHNICAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE CLASS "A" Documents



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- 91 Legal Documents
- 92 Valid PhilGEPS Registration Certificate (Platinum Membership) (all pages); or
- 93 (b) Registration certificate from Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC),
- 94 Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) for sole proprietorship, or Cooperative
- 95 Development Authority (CDA) for cooperatives or its equivalent document, and
- 96 (c) Mayor's or Business permit issued by the city or municipality where the principal
- 97 place of business of the prospective bidder is located, or the equivalent document for
- 98 Exclusive Economic Zones or Areas; and
- 99 (d) Tax clearance per E.O. No. 398, s. 2005, as finally reviewed and approved by the
- 100 Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR).

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Mr. Duyan reiterated that the documents may not need to be authenticated page per page by the authorized personnel of the company, However, the omnibus sworn statement submitted should be original, signed, sworn and sealed with wordings that each of the documents submitted in satisfaction of the bidding requirements is an authentic copy of the original, complete and all statements and information provided therein are true and correct.

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### **Technical Documents**

- 110 (e) Statement of the prospective bidder of all its ongoing government and private
- contracts, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any, whether similar or not
- similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid; and
- 113 (f) Statement of the bidder's Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC) similar to the
- 114 contract to be bid, except under conditions provided for in Sections 23.4.1.3 and
- 23.4.2.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, within the relevant period as provided
- in the Bidding Documents; and
- 117 (g) Original copy of Bid Security. If in the form of a Surety Bond, submit also a
- certification issued by the Insurance Commission;
- Or Original copy of Notarized Bid Securing Declaration; and
- 120 (h) Conformity with the Technical Specifications, which may include production/delivery
- schedule, manpower requirements, and/or after-sales/parts, if applicable; and
- 122 (i) Original duly signed Omnibus Sworn Statement (OSS);
- and if applicable, Original Notarized Secretary's Certificate in case of a corporation,
- partnership, or cooperative; or Original Special Power of Attorney of all members of the
- joint venture giving full power and authority to its officer to sign the OSS and do acts to
- 126 represent the Bidder.

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#### Financial Documents

- 129 (j) The Supplier's audited financial statements, showing, among others, the Supplier's
- total and current assets and liabilities, stamped "received" by the BIR or its duly
- accredited and authorized institutions, for the preceding calendar year which should not
- be earlier than two (2) years from the date of bid submission; and
- 133 (k) The prospective bidder's computation of Net Financial Contracting Capacity (NFCC);
- or A committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC
- 135 computation.

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- 137 Class "B" Documents
- 138 (L) If applicable, a duly signed joint venture agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is
- 139 already in existence;
- 140 or
- duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners stating that they
- will enter into and abide by the provisions of the JVA in the instance that the bid is
- 143 successful.

- 145 II. FINANCIAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE
- (m) Original of duly signed and accomplished Financial Bid Form; and
- (n) Original of duly signed and accomplished Price Schedule(s).

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- Other documentary requirements under RA No. 9184 (as applicable)
- 150 (o) [For foreign bidders claiming by reason of their country's extension of reciprocal
- rights to Filipinos] Certification from the relevant government office of their country
- 152 stating that Filipinos are allowed to participate in government procurement activities for
- the same item or product.

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- (p) Certification from the DTI if the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or
- 156 Domestic Entity.

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- 158 In case of two or more bidders are determined and declared lowest and responsive
- bidder, the procuring entity may use "draw lots" as the tie-breaking method.

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- The Audited Financial statement should be stamped "RECEIVED" by the BIR or its duly
- 162 accredited and authorized institution.
- 163 The bidder should also submit their tax clearance certificate stating that the bidder has
- 164 no tax liability and the clearance must be issued by the Chief of the Collection
- 165 Enforcement Division of the BIR central office.
- 166 Computation of NFCC in accordance with ITB Clause 19.5.

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### 168 SEALING AND MARKING OF BIDS

- 169 The bidder shall submit three copies of their eligibility/technical and financial
- documents the original, copy 1 and copy 2 in separate folders.

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- 172 The documents should be properly fastened in a folder and the sequence/ or
- arrangement of the documents should be in accordance with the checklist. If possible,
- 174 each document should have a tab/marking. The technical component should be
- 175 separately fastened from the financial component.
- 176 The folder containing the original bid of the technical component should be marked as
- 177 "ORIGINAL TECHNICAL COMPONENT and the financial component should be
- marked as "ORIGINAL FINANCIAL". These two folders should then be enclosed in a
- 179 sealed envelope marked as "ORIGINAL BID"
- 180 The same is done to copy 1 and copy 2

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182 All envelopes shall:

- 183 Contain the name of the contract to be bid in capital letters:
- Bear the name and address of the Bidder in capital letters; 184
- 185 Should be addressed to the Procuring Entity's BAC in accordance with ITB Clause 1.1;
- Bear the specific identification of the bidding process indicated in ITB Clause 1.2 and 186
- Bear a warning 'DO NOT OPEN BEFORE .... "the date and time for the opening of 187
- 188 bids", in accordance with ITB Clause 21.

- NAME OF THE PROJECT: Procurement of Laboratory Equipment for the 190
- Establishment of Agricultural and Fisheries Machinery Testing Center 191

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- 193 **BIDDERS NAME AND ADDRESS**
- 194 MR. REMEGIO G. DUYAN, JR.
- 195 **BAC- Chairperson**
- UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHEASTERN PHILIPPINES 196
- 197 Tagum-Mabini Campus
- 198 Apokon, Tagum City
- DO NOT OPEN BEFORE 199
- 200 April 28, 2021 AT 9:30 A.M.

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Unsealed or unmarked bid envelopes, or in case of electronic bid submission, Bidding Documents not in compressed archive folders and are not passwordprotected, shall be rejected. However, bid envelopes that are not properly sealed and marked or not properly compressed and password-protected, as required in the Bidding Documents, shall be accepted, provided that the bidder or its duly authorized representative shall acknowledge such condition of the bid as submitted. The BAC shall assume no responsibility for the misplacement of the improperly sealed or marked bid or improperly compressed or password-protected folder, or for its premature opening.

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For electronic bid submission, the passwords for accessing the Bidding Documents will 212 be disclosed by the Bidders only during the actual bid opening which may be done in 213 person or face-to-face through videoconferencing, webcasting or similar technology. 214

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- The deadline for submission of bids is on April 28, 2021 (Thursday). 216
- Cut-off time will be at 9:00 AM. 217
- Opening of bids will be on 218
- 219 April 28, 2021 @ 9:30 a.m
- The venue will be at the USeP BAC Office, USeP Tagum Unit. 220
- Any bid submitted after the cut-off time shall be declared late and shall not be anymore 221 accepted.
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- Section 41. Reservation Clause 224
- The HOPE reserves the right to reject any all bids, declare a failure of bidding, or not 225
- award the contract in the following situations: 226

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- 228 a) If there is prima facie evidence of collusion between appropriate public officers or
- 229 employees of the Procuring Entity, or between the BAC and any of the bidders, or
- 230 if the collusion is between or among the bidders themselves, or between a bidder
- 231 and a third party, including any act which restricts, suppresses or nullifies or
- 232 tends to restrict, suppress or nullify competition;
- 233 b) If the BAC is found to have failed in the following prescribed bidding
- 234 procedures; or
- c) For any justifiable and reasonable ground where the award of the contract will not
- 236 redound to the benefit of the GoP, as follows:
- 237 If the physical and economic conditions have significantly changed so as to render the
- 238 project no longer economically, financially, or technically feasible, as determined by the
- 239 HoPE:
- 240 If the project is no longer necessary as determined by the HoPE;
- 241 If the source of funds for the project has been withheld or reduced through no fault of
- 242 the Procuring Entity
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- 244 A complete set of Bidding Documents can be purchased at the BAC Office upon
- 245 payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest
- 246 Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in various amounts, payable at the Cashier's Office
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- 248 Mr. Duyan read the items and told the bidders that the items being read with description
- 249 can be downloaded as attachment with the ITB in the Philgeps.
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- 251 Ms. MAciado asked regarding the combo kit particularly the clamp ammeter if the
- 252 specifications presented should be followed or if a comparable item is accepted.
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- Mr. Lusares answered that a comparable item is accepted and subject for post-
- 255 qualification.
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- Ms. Maciado asked that if the power meter supposedly has its clamp aside from the
- 258 clamp meter.
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- 260 Mr. Lusares answered in affirmative.
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- Ms. Maciado asked regarding the eligibility requirements if it is needed to have service
- 263 center. She added that they can send their technician in the university just in case there
- 264 will be problems.
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- 266 Mr. Duyan said it is the preference of the end user.
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- 268 Engr. Lusares answered that it is okay as long as they will repair it and send their
- technician within the warranty period.
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- 271 Dr. Montepio suggested that the supplier must include the services that will be provided
- during warranty, after warranty services and other aftersales.
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276	Ms. Maciado answered that they will comply. However, she clarified if it is not a basis
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279	Mr. Duyan stated that as long as it should be indicated in the bid.
280	Mr. Duyan asked if Mr. Lusares has concerns.
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282	Mr. Lusares answered "none sir"
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284	Mr. Duyan asked if there are other questions.
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286	Ms. Maciado asked if online submission is accepted.
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288	Mr. Duyan answered in affirmative.
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292	Mr. Duyan answered that soft copy must be submitted on the declared deadline of
293	submission of documents, however, hard copy can be submitted later.
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295	Ms. Maciado asked if it is per item.
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297	Mr. Duyan answered in affirmative.
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299	Mr. Duyan asked if there are other questions.
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301	No one raised questions.
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303	Mr. Duyan thanked everyone and adjourned BAC.
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305	At 11:25a.m., Mr. Duyan adjourned the meeting.
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Mr. Duyan stated that aftersales conditions should be stated in the bid.

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**BAC Chairperson** 

