

Section I. Invitation to Bid



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
COMMISSION ON AUDIT
Regional Office No. IV-A
Commonwealth Avenue, Quezon City

INVITATION TO BID No. 2019- 012

Invitation to Bid for the Procurement of Internet Leased Line Service (complete with supply and installation) of the Commission on Audit, Regional Office No. IV-A

The Commission on Audit (COA) Regional Office No. IV-A, through FY 2019 GAA RA #11260, intends to apply the sum of Three Hundred Forty Thousand Four Hundred Pesos (₱340,400.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) for the procurement of Internet Leased Line Service (complete with supply and installation) of the Commission on Audit, Regional Office No. IV-A.

Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

1. The COA Regional Office No. IV-A now invites bids for the Procurement of the following:

Lot No.	Particulars	Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC)
1	Internet Leased Line Service (complete with supply and installation)	₱340,400.00
Total ABC		₱340,400.00

Delivery and Installation of Goods is required within thirty (30) days after receipt of the Notice to Proceed (NTP). Bidders should have completed, within three (3) years (July 2016 to July 2019) from the date of submission and receipt of bid, 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.

2. 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, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act".

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.

3. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), COA Regional Office No. IV-A and inspect the Bidding Documents at COA Regional Office No. IV-A, Commonwealth Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City, during office hours, Monday to Friday, from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M starting from June 24, 2019 until 2:00 P.M of July 2, 2019.
4. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on June 24, 2019 to July 2, 2019 at COA Regional Office No. IV-A, Commonwealth Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City, upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of Five Hundred Pesos (₱500.00).

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Commission on Audit (www.coa.gov.ph), provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

5. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat at the Conference Room, COA Regional Office No. IV-A, Commonwealth Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City, on or before July 2, 2019 at 2:00 P.M. 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 immediately after the deadline of submission of bids on July 2, 2019 at 2:00 P.M. at the Conference Room, Ground Floor, COA Regional Office No. IV-A, Commonwealth Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City. Late bids shall not be accepted. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the address below.

6. The COA Regional Office No. IV-A reserves the right to verify the veracity of any information or authenticity of any documents submitted in the course of bidding and to undertake ocular inspection of offices and facilities of bidders.

It shall not assume any responsibilities whatsoever to compensate or indemnify the bidders for any expense incurred in the preparation of the bid, nor does it guarantee that an award will be made.

7. The COA Regional Office No. IV-A 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 Section 41 of RA No. 9184 and its IRR, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

For further information, please refer to:

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