



INVITATION TO BID FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF ONE (1) LOT BRAND NEW CLOSED NETWORK FOR THE PHILIPPINE ARMY (PA)

1. The **Philippine International Trading Corporation** and **Philippine Army**, through the **ASA Nrs. 0231 dated 08 November 2019, 0240 dated 17 November 2019 and 0225 dated 07 November 2019** intends to apply the sum of **Pesos: Three Million Eight Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Nine and 23/100 (₱3,855,769.23)** being the ABC to payments under the contract for **Supply and Delivery of One (1) Lot Brand New Closed Network for the Philippine Army (PA) / Bid Ref. No. MPG-B1-2020-523**. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

Description	Qty	Approved Budget for the Contract (Php) (VAT Inclusive)
Brand New Closed Network	One (1) Lot	3,855,769.23

2. The **Philippine International Trading Corporation (PITC)** and **Philippine Army (PA)** now invite bids from authorized distributor, reseller or supplier of IT Equipment and Supplies for the above Procurement Project (hereafter referred to as GOODS). Delivery of the Goods is required as follows:

Delivery Period	Delivery Place
Within Forty-Five (45) Calendar Days from receipt of Notice to Proceed (NTP)	Network Enterprise Technology Battalion, Army Signal Regiment (NETB, ASR), Philippine Army, Fort Bonifacio, Metro Manila

3. Bidders should have completed, within the **last five (5) 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).

Similar shall mean “**IT Equipment**”

4. 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.
5. 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.



6. Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from the **Assigned BAC Secretariat** per schedule at **3/F, NDC Building, 116 Tordesillas Street, Salcedo Village, 1227 Makati City** and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during **9:00AM – 2:00PM on weekdays only**. However, any queries relative to the contents of the bid documents and the project requirements can only be made by suppliers not later than ten (10) calendar days prior to the Submission and Opening of Bids:
Chair, Bids and Awards Committee I
Philippine International Trading Corporation (PITC)
Email: chairbac1@pitc.gov.ph
Note: Maximum size of email with attachment is six (6) MB only.
7. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **29 December 2020** from the given 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 **₱5,000.00**. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees in person, by facsimile, or through electronic means.
8. The **Philippine International Trading Corporation** will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **11 January 2021, 10:00AM via Video Conference (Zoom)**, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
9. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the office address indicated below on or before **29 January 2021, 03:00PM**. Late bids shall not be accepted.
10. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 14.
11. Bid opening shall be on **29 January 2021, 03:00PM via Video Conference (Zoom)**. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.

For Pre-Bid Conference and Bid Opening

In line with the precautionary health measures being adopted by the agency, prospective bidders interested to join the **Pre-Bid Conference** and **Bid Opening** via video conference (Zoom) may send request for Zoom Link Password to the "**bac1secretariat@pitc1973.onmicrosoft.com**" with the following information together with proof of identity of the attendee **a day before** the scheduled conference.

1. Name of Project	
2. Bid Reference No.	
3. Activity	
4. Company Name	
5. Address	
6. Name of Representative [maximum of two (2)]	
7. Contact Nos.	



8. Email Address (to which all communications from the Bids and Awards Committee shall be sent)	
9. Scanned Copy or Photo of Proof of Identity [Please attach any Government Issued ID (e.g. Passport, Driver's License etc.)]	

12. The **Philippine International Trading Corporation** 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.
13. For further information, please refer to the **Assigned BAC Secretariat:**

Day	BAC Secretariat	Local Number
Monday	Jane Arcilla / Vivian Villanueva	382 / 315
Tuesday	Irish Ordillano / Vivian Villanueva	394 / 315
Wednesday	Jane Arcilla / Vivian Villanueva	382 / 315
Thursday	Irish Ordillano	394
Friday	Irish Ordillano	394

However, only bidders who purchased the bidding documents may join the Opening of Bids and send their request for Zoom Link Password to **bac1secretariat@pitc1973.onmicrosoft.com** with the above information together with proof of identity of the attendee **a day before** the schedule conference.

For the Pre-bid Conference, bidders are encouraged to send their authorized technical representatives or personnel who are familiar with the bid requirements and will prepare the bid documents.

Bidding Document may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the PhilGEPS and the PITC website. However, only those who have paid the cost of Bidding Documents at least one (1) day before the submission of their bids will be allowed to bid.

Bidders may pay for the cost of Bidding Documents thru any of the following modes of payment:

- 1) **Cash Payment** – PITC Cashier will be available from **Tuesday to Thursday** between **10:00AM to 2:00PM**; OR
- 2) **Cash Deposit**

Interested Bidders may send a request letter for Bank Details to the **BAC Secretariat c/o Ma. Theresa Elima** at **myette.elima@pitc1973.onmicrosoft.com**. Thereafter, proof of payment must be emailed back to the BAC Secretariat.

14. You may visit the following websites:
For downloading of Bidding Documents: **www.pitc.gov.ph**

29 December 2020

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