



Date: 14 November 2024

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The **Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA)** through the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) hereby notifies suppliers classified by and duly registered with the PhilGEPS and in the PAGASA registry of Contractors/Suppliers of its resort to Alternative Method of Procurement through Direct Contracting, pursuant to Section 50, Rule XVI of the Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, for the procurement of the following goods/items, the details of which are enumerated hereunder, viz:

- a) Reference No. : **IB No. 2024-062 DC EPA PR No. 2024-10-0675 EPA**
- b) Name of Project : Procurement of WEB Hosting Service
- c) Location : PAGASA Science Garden
- d) Brief Description : Maintain the website page of PAGASA through the Web Hosting Service.
- Install all program software and data that are deemed necessary to the web hosting service;
 - Provide auto-scale service based on user demand;
 - Allow different computed configurations depending on the central processing unit, memory and storage capabilities;
 - Provide the operating system compatible with PAGASA's current website;
 - Provide 99.95% availability on cloud services;
 - Provide a web-based console for managing resources;
 - Provide security access policies for the object store;
 - Provide the migration services from the current on premises servers to the proposed platform;
 - Provide a database migration from the existing database to the proposed solution;
 - Provide twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week access to customer service;
- e) Approved Budget for the Contract : **Php2,520,000.00**
- f) Source of Fund : 2025 National Expenditure Program (NEP)
- g) Pre-Bid/Negotiation Conference : 20 November 2024 at 9:00 AM
- h) Submission & Opening of Env. 1&2 : 28 November 2024 at 9:00 AM


NAME OF INVITED SUPPLIER/DISTRIBUTOR : SMS GLOBAL TECHNOLOGIES INC.

The above-mentioned supplier/distributor shall be simply required to submit to the PAGASA Bids and Awards Committee (PAGASA-BAC) its lowest price quotation or a pro-forma invoice on the specific items required by the project together with the specific conditions of the sale.

All particulars relative to Bid Bond, Performance Bond, Bid Evaluation and Award of the Contract for Procurement Projects undertaken through EPA may be made only upon the following conditions and shall be in accordance with Item 7 of Appendix 31 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA9184:

- A. approval and effectivity of the funding sources, to wit: (i) General Appropriations Act; (ii) Corporate Budget; (iii) Appropriations Ordinance; or (iv) loan agreement in the case of FAPs; or
- B. the reenactment of the previous year's budget which constitutes the current year's authorized budget, when authorized by the Constitution.

The PAGASA reserves the right to accept or reject any Bid, and to annul the bidding process any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder.


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