Republic of the Philippines Department of Science and Technology

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

INVITATION TO BID FOR LABORATORY EQUIPMENT

The Industrial Technology Development Institute, through General Appropriations Act (GAA) Locally Funded Project "Enhancement of the Competence and Capabilities of the National Metrology Laboratory of the Philippines – Project 2: Chemical Metrology for Inorganic Toxic Elements in Food and Water" – FY 2017 intends to apply the sum of Fifteen Million Five Hundred Thousand Pesos only (Php 15,500,000.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the following:

Item No.	Quantity	Particulars	ABC
1)	1 lot	Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectrometer System (ICP-MS)	P 13,900,000.00
2)	1 unit	Glassware Acid Cleaner	1,600,000.00

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

- 2. The Industrial Technology Development Institute (ITDI) now invites bids for one (1) lot Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectrometer System (ICP-MS) and one (1) unit Glassware Acid Cleaner. Delivery of the Goods is required within One Hundred Twenty (120) and Ninety (90) Calendar Days respectively. Bidders should have completed, within 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. Instruction 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) 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act".
 - (i) 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 5183.
- Interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents at the ITDI BAC Secretariat, Second Floor Metrology Bldg. starting May 11, 2017 from 8:00AM – 4:00PM.

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5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders until May 30, 2017 from the ITDI BAC Secretariat, Second Floor Metrology Bldg, upon payment of the applicable fee for Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of as follows:

Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectrometer System (ICP-MS)	P 15,000.00
Glassware Acid Cleaner	3,000.00

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

- 6. The ITDI-BAC will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on May 17, 2017 at 9:00 A.M at the Metrology Conference Room, 2nd Floor ITDI Metrology Building, DOST Compound Gen. Santos Ave. Bicutan, Taquiq City.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by ITDI-BAC Secretariat at the Metrology Conference Room, 2nd Floor., ITDI Metrology Building, DOST Compound Bicutan Taguig City on May 30, 2017 between 8:30 AM - 8:45 AM. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 18:
- 8. Bid opening shall be on May 30, 2017 and shall start at 9:00 A.M. at the Metrology Conference Room, 2nd Floor, ITDI, Metrology Building, Bicutan, Taguig City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend. Late bids shall . not be accepted.
- 9. The Industrial Technology Development Institute (ITDI) 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 9184 and its IRR, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

10. For further information, please refer to:

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