

PAMBANSANG PUNONG HIMPILAN TANOD BAYBAYIN NG PILIPINAS (National Headquarters Philippine Coast Guard) 139 25TH St., Port Area Manila, 1018

INVITATION TO BID FOR THE SUBSCRIPTION OF INMARSAT FLEET BROADBAND INSTALLED ABOARD OPV AND MRRVS

- The *Philippine Coast Guard*, through the *MOOE Funds CY 2021* intends to apply the sum of *Nine Million Five Hundred Forty-Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Three Pesos and 88/100 (PhP9,542,993.88)* being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for *Subscription of INMARSAT Fleet Broadband Installed Aboard OPV and MRRVs*. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The *Philippine Coast Guard* now invites bids for *Subscription of INMARSAT Fleet Broadband Installed Aboard OPV and MRRVs*. Delivery of the Goods is required within *two hundred twenty four (224) calendar days from the date of receipt of the Notice to Proceed (NTP) at Headquarters CGSSF Pier 13 Port Area Manila.*
- 3. 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. Instructions to Bidders.
- 4. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a nondiscretionary "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".

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.

- 5. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the *Coast Guard Procurement Service* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from Monday to Friday during office hours 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. except non-working days (i.e. Saturday and Sunday), legal holiday, or special non-working holiday, or other nonworking days duly declared by the President, Governor, Mayor or other Government Official authorized to make such declaration.
- 6. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **05 October to 25 October 2021** from the address 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 **Ten Thousand Pesos (PhP 10,000.00).**

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

- 7. The *Philippine Coast Guard* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on 13 October 2021, 10:00 A.M. physically at the *Philippine Coast Guard Conference Room, National Headquarters Philippine Coast Guard, 139 25th Street, Port Area, South Harbor, Manila and/or* through video-conferencing via zoom (ZOOM ID: 717-723-7932 and Password: PCG-BAC), which shall be open to prospective bidders. Bidders may attend physically at the above-stated venue or through video conferencing using the zoom platform.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the address indicated below on or before **25 October 2021, 9:00 A.M.** Late bids shall not be accepted.
- 8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 14.
- Bid opening shall be on 25 October 2021, 9:00 A.M.-onwards at the Philippine Coast Guard Conference Room, 2F Admin Building, 139 25th St., Port Area, Manila 1018. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below.
- 10. Bidders shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of their bids, and the Philippine Coast Guard will in no case, be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.

Bidders should note that the Philippine Coast Guard will accept bids only from those that have paid the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents.

The Philippine Coast Guard assumes no responsibility whatsoever to compensate or indemnify bidders for any expenses incurred in the preparation of their bids.

In accordance with Government Procurement Policy Board (GPPB) Circular 06-2005 - Tie-Breaking Method, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) shall use a nondiscretionary and non-discriminatory measure based on sheer luck or chance, which is "DRAW LOTS," in the event that two (2) or more bidders have been post-qualified and determined as the bidder having the Lowest Calculated Responsive Bid (LCRB) to determine the final bidder having the LCRB, based on the following procedures:

- a) In alphabetical order, the bidders shall pick one rolled paper.
- b) The lucky bidder who would pick the paper with a "CONGRATULATIONS" remark shall be declared as the final bidder having the LCRB and recommended for award of the contract.
- 11. The Philippine Coast Guard reserves the right to reject any and all bids, declare a failure of bidding, not continue with the award of the contract or cancel or terminate the bidding process at any time prior to contract award in accordance with Sections 35.6 and 41 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
- 12. For further information, please refer to:

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13. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: <u>www.philgeps.gov.ph</u> and www.coastguard.gov.ph

05 October 2021

CG RADM ROLANDO LIZOR N PUNZALAN JR Chairman, Bids and Awards Committee