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Bids and Awards Committee

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This Supplemental/Bid Bulletin No. 02-2023 is issued to include the following clarification/question raised by the supplier as an integral part of the Bidding Documents for the **RETROFITTING OF BRP CORREGIDOR (AE-891)** detailed as follows:

SECTION	ITEM NO.	PCG REQUIREMENT	CLARIFICATION	RESPONSE
VII. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS IF AWARDED THE CONTRACT F. Other	F. Other Requirements to be submitted by the Bidder during Bid Submission and Opening	Josefa Slipways, Inc. requested that ISO Certification may be issued by certifying body other than IACS be allowed for the purpose of fair competition and encouraging more proponents to bid for the project.	<u>REQUEST DENIED</u> Exemptions of government vessels from Philippine Merchant Marine Rules and Regulations are subject to the specific laws, regulations, and agreements in place within the Philippines. Government vessels may be granted exemptions based on their roles, responsibilities, and the nature of their operations. These exemptions are typically outlined in relevant maritime laws or regulations and can vary depending on factors such as vessel type, purpose, and usage. It's essential for government vessels to still meet safety and operational standards, even if they are exempt from certain regulations. This ensures the safety of crew members, passengers, and the environment. If you're looking for specific information about exemptions for government vessels in the Philippines, the TWG for Ships Repair recommend consulting official maritime authorities or legal sources for accurate and up-to-date information.
	Requirements to be submitted by the Bidder during Bid Submission and Opening	1. Bidder must secure valid and updated ISO 9001:2015 applicable to Ship Building and Ship Repair (SBSR) and/or Ship Repair (SR), Certification issued by any member of IACS (International Association of Classification Society).		

				<p>In relation to this, The ISO (International Organization for Standardization) standards applicable to shipbuilding and repair, issued by IACS (International Association of Classification Societies), hold significant importance for the maritime industry. These standards play a crucial role in ensuring high-quality, safe, and efficient ship construction and maintenance processes. ISO standards applicable to shipbuilding and repair issued by international classification societies provide a structured framework for ensuring quality, safety, and environmental responsibility in the maritime industry. By following these standards, shipyards and repair facilities contribute to the overall improvement of the industry and the vessels they produce or maintain.</p>

For guidance and information of all concerned.


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Received by the bidders:

Name: _____
 Date: _____