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Glossary of Terms, Abbreviations, and Acronyms

ABC – Approved Budget for the Contract.

BAC – Bids and Awards Committee.

Bid – A signed offer or proposal to undertake a contract submitted by a bidder in response to and in consonance with the requirements of the bidding documents. Also referred to as *Proposal* and *Tender*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[c])

Bidder – Refers to a contractor, manufacturer, supplier, distributor and/or consultant who submits a bid in response to the requirements of the Bidding Documents. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[d])

Bidding Documents – The documents issued by the Procuring Entity as the bases for bids, furnishing all information necessary for a prospective bidder to prepare a bid for the Goods, Infrastructure Projects, and/or Consulting Services required by the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[e])

BIR – Bureau of Internal Revenue.

BSP – Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas.

Consulting Services – Refer to services for Infrastructure Projects and other types of projects or activities of the GOP requiring adequate external technical and professional expertise that are beyond the capability and/or capacity of the GOP to undertake such as, but not limited to: (i) advisory and review services; (ii) pre-investment or feasibility studies; (iii) design; (iv) construction supervision; (v) management and related services; and (vi) other technical services or special studies. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[i])

CDA - Cooperative Development Authority.

Contract – Refers to the agreement entered into between the Procuring Entity and the Supplier or Manufacturer or Distributor or Service Provider for procurement of Goods and Services; Contractor for Procurement of Infrastructure Projects; or Consultant or Consulting Firm for Procurement of Consulting Services; as the case may be, as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.

CIF – Cost Insurance and Freight.

CIP - Carriage and Insurance Paid.

CPI – Consumer Price Index.

DDP – Refers to the quoted price of the Goods, which means "delivered duty paid."

DTI – Department of Trade and Industry.

EXW - Ex works.

FCA – "Free Carrier" shipping point.

FOB – "Free on Board" shipping point.

Foreign-funded Procurement or Foreign-Assisted Project— Refers to procurement whose funding source is from a foreign government, foreign or international financing institution as specified in the Treaty or International or Executive Agreement. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[b]).

Framework Agreement – Refers to a written agreement between a procuring entity and a supplier or service provider that identifies the terms and conditions, under which specific purchases, otherwise known as "Call-Offs," are made for the duration of the agreement. It is in the nature of an option contract between the procuring entity and the bidder(s) granting the procuring entity the option to either place an order for any of the goods or services identified in the Framework Agreement List or not buy at all, within a minimum period of one (1) year to a maximum period of three (3) years. (GPPB Resolution No. 27-2019)

GFI – Government Financial Institution.

GOCC – Government-owned and/or –controlled corporation.

Goods – Refer to all items, supplies, materials and general support services, except Consulting Services and Infrastructure Projects, which may be needed in the transaction of public businesses or in the pursuit of any government undertaking, project or activity, whether in the nature of equipment, furniture, stationery, materials for construction, or personal property of any kind, including non-personal or contractual services such as the repair and maintenance of equipment and furniture, as well as trucking, hauling, janitorial, security, and related or analogous services, as well as procurement of materials and supplies provided by the Procuring Entity for such services. The term "related" or "analogous services" shall include, but is not limited to, lease or purchase of office space, media advertisements, health maintenance services, and other services essential to the operation of the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[r])

GOP – Government of the Philippines.

GPPB – Government Procurement Policy Board.

INCOTERMS – International Commercial Terms.

Infrastructure Projects – Include the construction, improvement, rehabilitation, demolition, repair, restoration or maintenance of roads and bridges, railways, airports, seaports, communication facilities, civil works components of information technology projects, irrigation, flood control and drainage, water supply, sanitation, sewerage and solid waste management systems, shore protection, energy/power and electrification facilities, national buildings, school buildings, hospital buildings, and other related construction projects of the government. Also referred to as *civil works or works*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[u])

LGUs – Local Government Units.

NFCC – Net Financial Contracting Capacity.

NGA – National Government Agency.

PhilGEPS - Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System.

Procurement Project – refers to a specific or identified procurement covering goods, infrastructure project or consulting services. A Procurement Project shall be described, detailed, and scheduled in the Project Procurement Management Plan prepared by the agency which shall be consolidated in the procuring entity's Annual Procurement Plan. (GPPB Circular No. 06-2019 dated 17 July 2019)

PSA – Philippine Statistics Authority.

SEC – Securities and Exchange Commission.

SLCC – Single Largest Completed Contract.

Supplier – refers to a citizen, or any corporate body or commercial company duly organized and registered under the laws where it is established, habitually established in business and engaged in the manufacture or sale of the merchandise or performance of the general services covered by his bid. (Item 3.8 of GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019, dated 23 May 2019). Supplier as used in these Bidding Documents may likewise refer to a distributor, manufacturer, contractor, or consultant.

UN – United Nations.

Section I. Invitation to Bid





Invitation to Bid for

SUBSCRIPTION TO A MANAGED ELECTRONIC MAIL (EMAIL) SERVICES FOR DSWD

— ITB No. GOP/21-DSWD-017 — (PR No. 2021080268)

- 1. The Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD), through the Information and Communications Technology Management Service (ICTMS), CY 2021 Maintenance and Other Operating Expense (MOOE) Funds intends to apply the sum of Twenty-Five Million Pesos (PhP25,000,000.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payment under the contract for Subscription to a Managed Electronic Mail (Email) Services for DSWD under ITB No. GOP/21-DSWD-017. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The DSWD now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of Goods shall be in accordance with Section VI (Schedule of Requirements). Bidders should have completed, within three (3) 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).
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
 - 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.
- 4. Prospective bidders may obtain further information from **DSWD Bids and Awards** Committee (BAC) Secretariat and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from Monday to Friday at 8:00AM to 5:00PM.
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested bidders on 31 August 2021 to 22 September 2021 from given address and website/s below and upon payment of an applicable fee for the Bidding Documents in the amount of Fifteen Thousand Pesos (PhP15,000.00). The DSWD shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees in person.
- 6. The DSWD will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **08 September 2021, 10:00 AM** at the **PMS Conference Room, 2nd Floor, Mahusay Building, DSWD Central Office, IBP Road, Constitution Hills, Quezon City,** and/or through videoconferencing/webcasting via google meet, which shall be open to prospective bidders.

- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the office address as indicated below on or before 22 September 2021, 9:00 AM. 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.
- 9. Bid opening shall be on 22 September 2021, 10:00 a.m., at the PMS Conference Room, 2nd Floor, Mahusay Building, DSWD Central Office, IBP Road, Constitution Hills, Quezon City and/or through videoconferencing/webcasting via google meet. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
- 10. The DSWD 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 Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
- 11. For further information, please refer to:

THE CHAIRPERSON

DSWD Bids and Awards Committee c/o BAC Secretariat 2nd Floor Mahusay Building, DSWD Central Office IBP Road, Constitution Hills, Quezon City Fax No. (02) 8951-7116 Telephone Nos. (02) 8931-8101 to 07 Local 10090

12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: www.philgeps.gov.ph or www.dswd.gov.ph

31 August 2021

Undersecretary and

Bids and Awards Committee Chairperson

Section II. Instructions to Bidders

1. Scope of Bid

The Procuring Entity, **DSWD** invites Bids for the **Subscription to a Managed Electronic Mail (Email) Services for DSWD**, with Project Identification Number **ITB No. GOP/21-DSWD-017**.

The Procurement Project is composed of **One** (1) **lot**, the details of which are described in Section VII (Technical Specifications).

2. Funding Information

- 2.1. The GOP through the source of funding as indicated below for **2021** in the amount of **Twenty-Five Million Pesos** (**PhP25,000,000.00**).
- 2.2. The source of funding is NGA, the General Appropriations Act.

3. Bidding Requirements

The Bidding for the Project shall be governed by all the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including its Generic Procurement Manuals and associated policies, rules and regulations as the primary source thereof, while the herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source thereof.

Any amendments made to the IRR and other GPPB issuances shall be applicable only to the ongoing posting, advertisement, or **IB** by the BAC through the issuance of a supplemental or bid bulletin.

The Bidder, by the act of submitting its Bid, shall be deemed to have verified and accepted the general requirements of this Project, including other factors that may affect the cost, duration and execution or implementation of the contract, project, or work and examine all instructions, forms, terms, and project requirements in the Bidding Documents.

4. Corrupt, Fraudulent, Collusive, Coercive, and Obstructive Practices

The Procuring Entity, as well as the Bidders and Suppliers, shall observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of the contract. They or through an agent shall not engage in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, and obstructive practices defined under Annex "I" of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 or other integrity violations in competing for the Project.

5. Eligible Bidders

- 5.1. Only Bids of Bidders found to be legally, technically, and financially capable will be evaluated.
- 5.2. Foreign ownership exceeding those allowed under the rules may participate pursuant to:
 - i. When a Treaty or International or Executive Agreement as provided in Section 4 of the RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR allow foreign bidders to participate;

- ii. Citizens, corporations, or associations of a country, included in the list issued by the GPPB, the laws or regulations of which grant reciprocal rights or privileges to citizens, corporations, or associations of the Philippines;
- iii. When the Goods sought to be procured are not available from local suppliers; or
- iv. When there is a need to prevent situations that defeat competition or restrain trade.
- 5.3. Pursuant to Section 23.4.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No.9184, the Bidder shall have an SLCC that is at least one (1) contract similar to the Project the value of which, adjusted to current prices using the PSA's CPI, must be at least equivalent to:
 - a. The Bidder must have completed a single contract that is similar to this Project, equivalent to at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC.
- 5.4. The Bidders shall comply with the eligibility criteria under Section 23.4.1 of the 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.

6. Origin of Goods

There is no restriction on the origin of goods other than those prohibited by a decision of the UN Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the UN, subject to Domestic Preference requirements under **ITB** Clause 18.

7. Subcontracts

7.1. The Bidder may subcontract portions of the Project to the extent allowed by the Procuring Entity as stated herein, but in no case more than twenty percent (20%) of the Project.

The Procuring Entity has prescribed that Subcontracting is **not allowed**.

8. Pre-Bid Conference

The Procuring Entity will hold a pre-bid conference for this Project on the specified date and time and either at its physical address and/or through videoconferencing/webcasting via google meet as indicated in paragraph 6 of the **IB**.

9. Clarification and Amendment of Bidding Documents

Prospective bidders may request for clarification on and/or interpretation of any part of the Bidding Documents. Such requests must be in writing and received by the Procuring Entity, either at its given address or through electronic mail indicated in the **IB**, at least ten (10) calendar days before the deadline set for the submission and receipt of Bids.

10. Documents Comprising the Bid: Eligibility and Technical Components

- 10.1. The first envelope shall contain the eligibility and technical documents of the Bid as specified in **Section VIII** (Checklist of Technical and Financial **Documents**).
- 10.2. The Bidder's SLCC as indicated in **ITB** Clause 5.3 should have been completed within three (3) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
- 10.3. If the eligibility requirements or statements, the bids, and all other documents for submission to the BAC are in foreign language other than English, it must be accompanied by a translation in English, which shall be authenticated by the appropriate Philippine foreign service establishment, post, or the equivalent office having jurisdiction over the foreign bidder's affairs in the Philippines. Similar to the required authentication above, for Contracting Parties to the Apostille Convention, only the translated documents shall be authenticated through an apostille pursuant to GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019 dated 23 May 2019. The English translation shall govern, for purposes of interpretation of the bid.

11. Documents Comprising the Bid: Financial Component

- 11.1. The second bid envelope shall contain the financial documents for the Bid as specified in **Section VIII** (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents).
- 11.2. If the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity, a certification issued by DTI shall be provided by the Bidder in accordance with Section 43.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 11.3. Any bid exceeding the ABC indicated in paragraph 1 of the **IB** shall not be accepted.

12. Bid Prices

- 12.1. Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall be entered separately in the following manner:
 - a. For Goods offered from within the Procuring Entity's country:
 - i. The price of the Goods quoted EXW (ex-works, ex-factory, exwarehouse, ex-showroom, or off-the-shelf, as applicable);
 - ii. The cost of all customs duties and sales and other taxes already paid or payable;
 - iii. The cost of transportation, insurance, and other costs incidental to delivery of the Goods to their final destination; and
 - iv. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, listed in the **BDS**.

b. For Goods offered from abroad:

- i. Unless otherwise stated in the **BDS**, the price of the Goods shall be quoted delivered duty paid (DDP) with the place of destination in the Philippines as specified in the **BDS**. In quoting the price, the Bidder shall be free to use transportation through carriers registered in any eligible country. Similarly, the Bidder may obtain insurance services from any eligible source country.
- ii. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, as listed in the **BDS**.

13. Bid and Payment Currencies

- 13.1. For Goods that the Bidder will supply from outside the Philippines, the bid prices may be quoted in the local currency or tradeable currency accepted by the BSP at the discretion of the Bidder. However, for purposes of bid evaluation, Bids denominated in foreign currencies, shall be converted to Philippine currency based on the exchange rate as published in the BSP reference rate bulletin on the day of the bid opening.
- 13.2. Payment of the contract price shall be made in Philippine Pesos.

14. Bid Security

- 14.1. The Bidder shall submit a Bid Securing Declaration¹ or any form of Bid Security in the amount indicated in the **BDS**, which shall be not less than the percentage of the ABC in accordance with the schedule in the **BDS**.
- 14.2. The Bid and bid security shall be valid until <u>one hundred twenty (120)</u> <u>calendar days from the date of the opening of bids</u>. Any Bid not accompanied by an acceptable bid security shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.

15. Sealing and Marking of Bids

Each Bidder shall submit one copy of the first and second components of its Bid.

Procuring Entity may request additional hard copies and/or electronic copies of the Bid. However, failure of the Bidders to comply with the said request shall not be a ground for disqualification.

If the Procuring Entity allows the submission of bids through online submission or any other electronic means, the Bidder shall submit an electronic copy of its Bid, which must be digitally signed. An electronic copy that cannot be opened or is corrupted shall be considered non-responsive and, thus, automatically disqualified.

¹ In the case of Framework Agreement, the undertaking shall refer to entering into contract with the Procuring Entity and furnishing of the performance security or the performance securing declaration within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of Notice to Execute Framework Agreement.

16. Deadline for Submission of Bids

16.1. The Bidders shall submit on the specified date and time and either at its physical address or through online submission as indicated in paragraph 7 of the **IB**.

17. Opening and Preliminary Examination of Bids

17.1. The BAC shall open the Bids in public at the time, on the date, and at the place specified in paragraph 9 of the **IB**. The Bidders' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance. In case videoconferencing, webcasting or other similar technologies will be used, attendance of participants shall likewise be recorded by the BAC Secretariat.

In case the Bids cannot be opened as scheduled due to justifiable reasons, the rescheduling requirements under Section 29 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 shall prevail.

17.2. The preliminary examination of bids shall be governed by Section 30 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

18. Domestic Preference

18.1. The Procuring Entity will grant a margin of preference for the purpose of comparison of Bids in accordance with Section 43.1.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

19. Detailed Evaluation and Comparison of Bids

- 19.1. The Procuring Entity's BAC shall immediately conduct a detailed evaluation of all Bids rated "passed," using non-discretionary pass/fail criteria. The BAC shall consider the conditions in the evaluation of Bids under Section 32.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 19.2. If the Project allows partial bids, bidders may submit a proposal on any of the lots or items, and evaluation will be undertaken on a per lot or item basis, as the case maybe. In this case, the Bid Security as required by **ITB** Clause 14 shall be submitted for each lot or item separately.
- 19.3. The descriptions of the lots or items shall be indicated in **Section VII** (**Technical Specifications**), although the ABCs of these lots or items are indicated in the **BDS** for purposes of the NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.2.6 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184. The NFCC must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.
- 19.4. The Project shall be awarded as follows:
 - Option 1 One Project having several items that shall be awarded as one contract.
- 19.5. Except for bidders submitting a committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation, all Bids must include the

NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.1.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, which must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder. For bidders submitting the committed Line of Credit, it must be at least equal to ten percent (10%) of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.

20. Post Qualification

20.2. Within a non-extendible period of five (5) calendar days from receipt by the Bidder of the notice from the BAC that it submitted the Lowest Calculated Bid, the Bidder shall submit its latest income and business tax returns filed and paid through the BIR Electronic Filing and Payment System (eFPS) and other appropriate licenses and permits required by law and stated in the **BDS**.

21. Signing of the Contract

21.1. The documents required in Section 37.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 shall form part of the Contract. Additional Contract documents are indicated in the **BDS**.

Section III. Bid Data Sheet

Bid Data Sheet

ITB Clause		
5.3	For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be: a. Email subscription with at least 4,500 of total licenses successfully deployed; b. Cloud based email subscription with at least 4,500 of total licenses successfully deployed; c. Managed Email subscription or Managed Cloud-based Email subscription with at least 4,500 of total licenses successfully deployed; Completed within three (3) years prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.	
7.1	Subcontracting is not allowed .	
12	No further instruction.	
14.1	The bid security shall be in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration, or any of the following forms and amounts:	
	 a. The amount of not less than <u>Five Hundred Thousand Pesos</u> (<u>PhP500,000.00</u>), if bid security is in cash, cashier's/manager's check, bank draft/guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit; or b. The amount of not less than <u>One Million Two Hundred Fifty Thousand</u> 	
	Pesos (PhP1,250,000.00), if bid security is in Surety Bond.	
15	Each Bidder shall submit one (1) original and one (1) copy of the first and second components of its Bid. Forms provided in Section IX (Bidding Forms) must be completed without any alterations to their format, and no substitute form shall be accepted.	
19.3	Partial bid is not allowed. The project is packaged in a single lot and the lot shall not be divided into sub-lots for the purpose of bidding, evaluation and contract award.	
20.2	The Lowest Calculated Bid (LCB) or Single Calculated Bid (SCB) as the case may be, shall submit the following additional documents during the Post-Qualification Stage:	
	1) Latest income tax returns (ITR) are those covering the immediately preceding year while latest business tax returns (BTR) are those filed within the last six (6) months preceding the date of bid submission filed through the Electronic Filing and Payment System (eFPS) of the BIR.	
	2) Updated Certificate of PhilGEPS Registration (Platinum Membership);	
	3) Original and duly notarized certification that the Service Provider have at least five (5) years of experience in deploying large-scale messaging and	

	collaboration system, or an ICT Managed Services to at least organizations with more than 2,000 users;
	4) Proof of satisfactory service from clients that the Service Provider have at least three (3) successful email service deployments or ICT Managed Services;
	5) Submission of Curriculum Vitae and appropriate Training Certificates for the Deployment Specialists, Administrators and Trainers; and
	6) Certification that the Service Provider is a certified partner of the Email Service Provider being offered.
21.1	No further instruction.

Section IV. General Conditions of Contract

1. Scope of Contract

This Contract shall include all such items, although not specifically mentioned, that can be reasonably inferred as being required for its completion as if such items were expressly mentioned herein. All the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including the Generic Procurement Manual, and associated issuances, constitute the primary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract, and thus, applicable in contract implementation. Herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract.

This is without prejudice to Sections 74.1 and 74.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 allowing the GPPB to amend the IRR, which shall be applied to all procurement activities, the advertisement, posting, or invitation of which were issued after the effectivity of the said amendment.

Additional requirements for the completion of this Contract shall be provided in the **Special Conditions of Contract (SCC).**

2. Advance Payment and Terms of Payment

- 1.1. Advance payment of the contract amount is provided under Annex "D" of the revised 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 1.2. The Procuring Entity is allowed to determine the terms of payment on the partial or staggered delivery of the Goods procured, provided such partial payment shall correspond to the value of the goods delivered and accepted in accordance with prevailing accounting and auditing rules and regulations. The terms of payment are indicated in the **SCC**.

3. Performance Security

Within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of the Notice of Award by the Bidder from the Procuring Entity but in no case later than the signing of the Contract by both parties, the successful Bidder shall furnish the performance security in any of the forms prescribed in Section 39 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

4. Inspection and Tests

The Procuring Entity or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the Goods to confirm their conformity to the Project specifications at no extra cost to the Procuring Entity in accordance with the Generic Procurement Manual. In addition to tests in the SCC, Section VII (Technical Specifications) shall specify what inspections and/or tests the Procuring Entity requires, and where they are to be conducted. The Procuring Entity shall notify the Supplier in writing, in a timely manner, of the identity of any representatives retained for these purposes.

All reasonable facilities and assistance for the inspection and testing of Goods, including access to drawings and production data, shall be provided by the Supplier to the authorized inspectors at no charge to the Procuring Entity.

5. Warranty

- In order to assure that manufacturing defects shall be corrected by the Supplier, a warranty shall be required from the Supplier as provided under Section 62.1 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 5.2 The Procuring Entity shall promptly notify the Supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty. Upon receipt of such notice, the Supplier shall, repair or replace the defective Goods or parts thereof without cost to the Procuring Entity, pursuant to the Generic Procurement Manual.

6. Liability of the Contractor

The Supplier's liability under this Contract shall be as provided by the laws of the Republic of the Philippines.

If the Supplier is a joint venture, all partners to the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable to the Procuring Entity.

Section V. Special Conditions of Contract

Special Conditions of Contract

GCC Clause			
1	Delivery and Documents –		
	For purposes of the Contract, "EXW," "FOB," "FCA," "CIF," "CIP," "DDP" and other trade terms used to describe the obligations of the parties shall have the meanings assigned to them by the current edition of INCOTERMS published by the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris. The Delivery terms of this Contract shall be as follows:		
	The delivery terms applicable to this Contract are specified in Section VI (Schedule of Requirements). Risk and title will pass from the Supplier to the Procuring Entity upon receipt and final acceptance of the Goods at their final destination.		
	Delivery of the Goods shall be made by the Supplier in accordance with the terms specified in Section VI (Schedule of Requirements). The details of shipping and/or other documents to be furnished by the Supplier are as follows:		
	For Goods supplied from within the Philippines:		
	Upon delivery of the Goods to the Project Site, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring Entity and present the following documents to the Procuring Entity:		
	(i) Original and copies of the Supplier's invoice showing Goods' description, quantity, unit price, and total amount;		
	(ii) Original and copies of delivery receipt detailing number and description of items received signed by the authorized receiving personnel;		
	For Goods supplied from abroad:		
	Upon shipment, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring Entity and the insurance company by cable the full details of the shipment, including Contract Number, description of the Goods, quantity, vessel, bill of lading number and date, port of loading, date of shipment, port of discharge etc. Upon delivery to the Project Site, the Supplier shall notify the Procuring Entity and present the following documents as applicable with the documentary requirements of any letter of credit issued taking precedence:		
	(i) Original and copies of the Supplier's invoice showing Goods' description, quantity, unit price, and total amount; and		

(ii) Delivery receipt detailing number and description of items received signed by the Procuring Entity's representative at the Project Site;

For purposes of this Clause the Procuring Entity's Representative at the Project Site are defined in Section VI (Schedule of Requirements).

Incidental Services -

The Contract price for the Goods shall include the prices charged by the Supplier for incidental services and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the Supplier for similar services.

Packaging -

The Supplier shall provide such packaging of the Goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in this Contract. The packaging shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packaging case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the Goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.

The packaging, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the Contract, including additional requirements, if any, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the Procuring Entity.

A packaging list identifying the contents and quantities of the package is to be placed on an accessible point of the outer packaging if practical. If not practical the packaging list is to be placed inside the outer packaging but outside the secondary packaging.

Transportation -

Where the Supplier is required under Contract to deliver the Goods CIF, CIP, or DDP, transport of the Goods to the port of destination or such other named place of destination in the Philippines, as shall be specified in this Contract, shall be arranged and paid for by the Supplier, and the cost thereof shall be included in the Contract Price.

Where the Supplier is required under this Contract to transport the Goods to a specified place of destination within the Philippines, defined as the Project Site, transport to such place of destination in the Philippines, including insurance and storage, as shall be specified in this Contract, shall be arranged by the Supplier, and related costs shall be included in the contract price.

Where the Supplier is required under Contract to deliver the Goods CIF, CIP or DDP, Goods are to be transported on carriers of Philippine registry. In the event that no carrier of Philippine registry is available, Goods may be shipped by a carrier which is not of Philippine registry provided that the Supplier obtains and presents to the Procuring Entity certification to this effect from the nearest Philippine consulate to the port of dispatch. In the event that carriers of Philippine registry are available but their schedule delays the Supplier in its performance of this Contract the period from when the Goods were first ready for shipment and the actual date of shipment the period of delay will be considered force majeure. The Procuring Entity accepts no liability for the damage of Goods during transit other than those prescribed by INCOTERMS for DDP deliveries. In the case of Goods supplied from within the Philippines or supplied by domestic Suppliers risk and title will not be deemed to have passed to the Procuring Entity until their receipt and final acceptance at the final destination. Intellectual Property Rights -The Supplier shall indemnify the Procuring Entity against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the Goods or any part thereof. 2.2 The terms of payment shall be in accordance to the "Terms of Payment" indicated in Section VI. Schedule of Requirements 4 The DSWD-Inspection Committee in coordination with DSWD-ICTMS shall inspect the goods upon delivery to DSWD Central Office. DSWD reserves the right to inspect or test the goods and accept or reject any or all items delivered.

Section VI. Schedule of Requirements

Schedule of Requirements

SUBSCRIPTION TO A MANAGED ELECTRONIC MAIL (EMAIL) SERVICES FOR DSWD

Submission of Project Management Plan – 10 calendar Timeline or Schedule of days after Notice to Proceed (NTP) **Deliverables** Installation/Implementation: 30 calendar days after NTP Service Subscription and Support Coverage – 1 year after successful installation and acceptance The following are the schedule of deliverables and corresponding inclusion dates committed to this project: Activity Wk 1 Wk 2 Wk 3 Wk 4 Initiation and kick-off (project and technical) Deployment and training preparation Publish communication templates Domain setup and user account provisioning Email security and domain settings configuration End user and IT admin training Stability, acceptance and

Project Timeline, Milestone and Payment Scheme

closeout

Components	Milestones and Basic Specifications	Total Cost (ABC)	No. of Days / Payments Schedule	Payment (PhP)
Subscription of Managed Email Services for one (1) year	 1500 Email Accounts with unlimited storage capacity outright activation of account 7,500 Email Accounts with 30GB storage capacity outright activation of account Project Documentation 	25,000,000.00	Deployment is "30 calendar days upon NTP" and the payment processing term is "15-30 calendar days after successful installation, End-user's acceptance and completion of all supporting documents.	100% of the Total Cost (Bid Price)

Delivery Site and Procuring Entity's Representative:

ANDREW J. AMBUBUYOG

Director IV
Information and Communications Technology Management Service (ICTMS)
DSWD Central Office
IBP Road, Constitution Hills, Quezon City

Name:	
Legal Capacity:	
Signature:	
Duly authorized to sign the Bid for and behalf of: _	
Date:	

THIS DOCUMENT MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Section VII. Technical Specifications

Technical Specifications

SUBSCRIPTION TO A MANAGED ELECTRONIC MAIL (EMAIL) SERVICES FOR DSWD

			Bidder's Specifications		
		DSWD Specifications	Statement of Compliance ²		
		DS W D Specifications	(Please indicate detailed/actual specifications of		
			the product being offered)		
	Subscription for an Enterprise Standard Plan UNLIMITED STORAGE CAPACITY (ENTERPRISE STANDARD)				
1.	Nuı	mber of Users: 1500 Users	Detailed Specifications:		
	a.	Deployment Stage:			
		(1) 1500 users' outright activation			
2.	Ser	vice Coverage			
	a.	Unlimited storage capacity for Mail and On-Cloud Storage			
	b.	Calendar			
	c.	Offline Email			
	d.	Single Sign-On Integration			
	e.	Productivity and Collaboration Tools			
		(1) Word Processing Application			
		(2) Presentation Application			
		(3) Spreadsheet Application			
		(4) Business Forms Application			
		(5) Notes Management Application			
		(6) Diagram Application			
		(7) File-Sharing Platform			
		(8) Full platform accessibility across any device running on all major desktop and mobile operating systems			

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² IMPORTANT NOTE: Bidders must state here either "Comply" or "Not Comply" against each of the individual parameters of each Specification stating the corresponding performance parameter of the equipment offered. Statements of "Comply" or "Not Comply" must be supported by evidence in a Bidders Bid and cross-referenced to that evidence. Evidence shall be in the form of manufacturer's un-amended sales literature, unconditional statements of specification and compliance issued by the manufacturer, samples, independent test data etc., as appropriate. A statement that is not supported by evidence or is subsequently found to be contradicted by the evidence presented will render the Bid under evaluation liable for rejection. A statement either in the Bidder's statement of compliance or the supporting evidence that is found to be false either during Bid evaluation, post-qualification or the execution of the Contract may be regarded as fraudulent and render the Bidder or supplier liable for prosecution subject to the applicable laws and issuances.

	DSWD Specifications	Bidder's Specifications Statement of Compliance ² (Please indicate detailed/actual specifications of the product being offered)
	(9) Real-time desktop and mobile collaboration	
	(10) Cloud Saving	
	(11) Offline Editing	
	(12) File Import, Export and Conversion Feature	
f.	Internet Conferencing and Social Tools	
	(1) Instant Messaging	
	(2) Screen Sharing	
	(3) Desktop and Mobile Video Conference with Recording Feature	
	(4) Video Live Streaming	
g.	Security	
	(1) Anti-Spam and Antivirus	
	(2) SSL Encryption	
	(3) Multi-Factor Authentication (two-factor authentication, end-to-end encryption, mandatory password strength)	
	(4) ISO27018, ISO27017, ISO27001, ISO SOC2/3 and SSAE 16/ISAE3402 Type II Certified	
h.	Administration	
	(1) Management Console for all end users and devices	
	(2) Manage, retain, search and export emails for archiving and legal hold requirements	
i.	Automated Data Backup	
	(1) Automated Backup	
	(2) Data Exporting Capability	
j.	Must be compatible with existing DSWD.GOV.PH Domain of DSWD to ensure the smooth migration of mailboxes to the new facility	
k.	Provide migration services if in case DSWD is migrating to other email providers	

DSWD Specifications

Bidder's Specifications Statement of Compliance²

(Please indicate detailed/actual specifications of the product being offered)

Subscription for a Business Starter Plan AT LEAST 30GB STORAGE CAPACITY (BUSINESS STARTER)

- 1. Number of Users: 7,500 Users
 - a. Deployment Stage:
 - (1) 7,500 users' outright activation
- 2. Service Coverage
 - a. At least 30GB storage capacity for Mail and On-Cloud Storage
 - b. Calendar
 - c. Offline Email
 - d. Single Sign-On Integration
 - e. Productivity and Collaboration Tools
 - (1) Word Processing Application
 - (2) Presentation Application
 - (3) Spreadsheet Application
 - (4) Business Forms Application
 - (5) Notes Management Application
 - (6) Diagram Application
 - (7) File-Sharing Platform
 - (8) Full platform accessibility across any device running on all major desktop and mobile operating systems
 - (9) Real-time desktop and mobile collaboration
 - (10) Cloud Saving
 - (11) Offline Editing
 - (12) File Import, Export and Conversion Feature
 - f. Internet Conferencing and Social Tools
 - (1) Instant Messaging
 - (2) Screen Sharing
 - (3) Desktop and Mobile Video Conference
 - g. Security
 - (1) Anti-Spam and Antivirus
 - (2) SSL Encryption

Detailed Specifications:

		Bidder's Specifications
	DSWD Specifications	Statement of Compliance ² (Please indicate detailed/actual specifications of the product being offered)
	(3) Multi-Factor Authentication (two-factor authentication, end-to-end encryption, mandatory password strength)	
	(4) ISO27018, ISO27017, ISO27001, ISO SOC2/3 and SSAE 16/ISAE3402 Type II Certified	
h.	Administration Management Console for all end users and devices	
i.	Data Backup and Egress	
	(1) Automated Backup	
	(2) Data Exporting Capability	
j.	Must be compatible with existing DSWD.GOV.PH Domain of DSWD to ensure the smooth migration of mailboxes to the new facility	
k.	Provide migration services if in case DSWD is migrating to other email providers	
	AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CE PROVIDER Pre – Installation	
	The Service Provider should provide a Project Implementation Plan and must be approved by the Head of ICTMS.	
b.	During Installation	
	The Service Provider should manage and execute project tasks alongside the DSWD in accordance with the project scope and period of performance. The Service Provider should lead the deployment project through collaboration with the DSWD and provide weekly project updates, bi-weekly steering committee meetings, milestone reports and closeout	
3.	reports. The Service Provider should provide a status report of the project in the form of charts/graphs.	
	The Service Provider should take the overall responsibility of the project plan for leading the change management.	
	The Service Provider should develop and implement a training approach and strategy. The Service Provider should have a project team that will be the primary point of contact	

DSWD Specifications

Bidder's Specifications Statement of Compliance²

(Please indicate detailed/actual specifications of the product being offered)

- for DSWD throughout the course of a deployment.
- 7. The Service Provider should have a Project Manager that will manage the integrated project plan, risk mitigation and issue resolution.
- 8. The Service Provider should have a Technical Deployment Architect that will coordinate and support the implementation of technical tasks, provide best practices and troubleshooting.
- 9. The Service Provider should have a Change Manager that will implement the change management plan, publish the communication plans and design the training curriculum.
- 10. The Service Provider should have a Trainer that will deliver the actual end user training and technical training workshops.

c. Post Installation

- 1. The Service Provider should maintain that the email service is up and running 24/7.
- 2. The Service Provider should provide an escalation procedure in reporting issues and concerns.
- 3. The Service Provider should provide the DSWD email service with end-to-end security coverage to protect against any breach and threatened breach, including administration tools and best practices.
- 4. Capacity planning, requirements identification and recommendations to better improve performance of email usability. All configurations (including future requirement/configurations that will be identified by DSWD) must be done by the Service Provider.

d. Service Level Agreement

- 1. The Service Provider shall maintain a 99% availability with zero downtime.
- 2. The Service Provider shall maintain 24x7 service support via phone, email, remote or on site when needed.
- 3. The Service Provider shall provide an Incident Report in every issue encountered:

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DSWD Specifications

Bidder's Specifications Statement of Compliance²

(Please indicate detailed/actual specifications of the product being offered)

- a. Must provide an initial Incident Management Report (IMR) upon encountering the issue.
- b. Must provide updated IMR once the issue has been resolved.
- c. Must provide updated IMR every 12 hours if the issue persists.

e. Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement

- 1. Any information, including but not limited to, and information related to DSWD, provided to the Service Provider for the purpose of an email service agreement are the sole property of the DSWD. The Service Provider shall treat this information as confidential and shall not disclose it to any company, corporation, firm or person during the duration of the agreement, or at any time thereafter.
- 2. All business, personnel and technical information and any related documentation, in whatever form, which the DSWD may provide shall be used by the Service Provider solely for the purpose for which it was provided, shall be treated in strictest confidence and protected; and if in tangible form, shall be returned to DSWD upon the end of the service agreement.
- 3. All email account information and messages are the sole property of the DSWD. The Service Provider shall not retain copies of it in any form upon the end of the service agreement.

f. Qualifications of Service Provider

1. The Service Provider should have at least five (5) years of experience in deploying large-scale messaging and collaboration system, or an ICT Managed Services to at least organizations with more than 2,000 users.

Bidder's Specifications Statement of Compliance² **DSWD Specifications** (Please indicate detailed/actual specifications of the product being offered) 2. The Service Provider should have at least three (3) successful email service deployments or ICT Managed Services with a proof of satisfactory service from its clients. 3. The Service Provider should have certified gmail deployment specialists to perform the professional implementation requirements on-site. 4. The Service Provider should have certified administrators to architect the technical deployment and configuration activities of the project. 5. The Service Provider should have certified trainers to deliver professional training services to end users and IT administrators. 6. The Service Provider must be a certified Partner of the Email Service Provider being offered. **Transfer of Technology** The following trainings must include a certificate of completion signed by a certified trainer: 1. Administration Management Console Technical Training for IT Administrators – 2 slots with exam vouchers if applicable 2. End-user Training Workshops (Train-the-Trainer) for DSWD End Users – at least 45 slots 3. Monthly Collaboration Suite Training – one-day workshop/ training every month

for improving end-user skill set and providing updates at Central Office and Field Offices, at least 30 users-attendance

4. At least 2x a year gathering for the Nationwide Google Workshop per year for at least 55 persons (2x per FO and the rest

per month

for CO)

Section VIII. Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

I. TECHNICAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE

Class "A" Documents

<u>Leg</u>	al Do	<u>cuments</u>
	(a)	Valid PhilGEPS Registration Certificate (Platinum Membership) (all pages);
		<u>or</u>
	(b)	Registration certificate from Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) for sole proprietorship, or Cooperative Development Authority (CDA) for cooperatives or its equivalent document,
		<u>and</u>
	(c)	Mayor's or Business permit issued by the city or municipality where the principal place of business of the prospective bidder is located, or the equivalent document for Exclusive Economic Zones or Areas;
		<u>and</u>
	(d)	Tax clearance per E.O. No. 398, s. 2005, as finally reviewed and approved by the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR).
<u>Tec</u>	<u>chnica</u>	<u>l Documents</u>
	(e)	Statement of the prospective bidder of all its ongoing government and private contracts, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any, whether similar or not similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid; and
	(f)	Statement of the bidder's Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC) similar to the contract to be bid, except under conditions provided for in Sections 23.4.1.3 and 23.4.2.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, within the relevant period as provided in the Bidding Documents; and
	(g)	Original copy of Bid Security. If in the form of a Surety Bond, submit also a certification issued by the Insurance Commission;
		<u>or</u>
		Original copy of Notarized Bid Securing Declaration; and
	(h)	Conformity with the Technical Specifications, which may include production/delivery schedule, manpower requirements, and/or aftersales/parts, if applicable; <u>and</u>
	(i)	Original duly signed Omnibus Sworn Statement (OSS);
		and if applicable, Original Notarized Secretary's Certificate in case of a corporation, partnership, or cooperative; or Original Special Power of Attorney of all members of the joint venture giving full power and authority to its officer to sign the OSS and do acts to represent the Bidder.

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	(j)	The Supplier's audited financial statements, showing, among others, the Supplier's total and current assets and liabilities, stamped "received" by the BIR or its duly accredited and authorized institutions, for the preceding calendar year which should not be earlier than two (2) years from the date of bid submission; <u>and</u>
	(k)	The prospective bidder's computation of Net Financial Contracting Capacity (NFCC);
		<u>or</u>
		A committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation.
		Class "B" Documents
	(1)	If applicable, a duly signed joint venture agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is already in existence;
		<u>or</u>
		duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners stating that they will enter into and abide by the provisions of the JVA in the instance that the bid is successful.
FIN	IANC	IAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE
	(m)	Original of duly signed and accomplished Financial Bid Form;
	(n)	Original of duly signed and accomplished Price Proposal Form; and
	(o)	Original of duly signed and accomplished Price Schedule(s).
<u>Oth</u>	ner do	cumentary requirements under RA No. 9184 (as applicable)
	(p)	[For foreign bidders claiming by reason of their country's extension of reciprocal rights to Filipinos] Certification from the relevant government office of their country stating that Filipinos are allowed to participate in government procurement activities for the same item or product.
	(q)	Certification from the DTI if the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity.

II.

Section IX. Bidding Forms

Bid Form for the Procurement of Goods

[shall be submitted with the Bid]

BID FORM

Date:	
Project Identification No.:	GOP/21-DSWD-017

To: [name and address of Procuring Entity]

Having examined the Philippine Bidding Documents (PBDs) including the Supplemental or Bid Bulletin Numbers [insert numbers], the receipt of which is hereby duly acknowledged, we, the undersigned, offer to [supply/deliver/perform] [description of the Goods] in conformity with the said PBDs for the sum of [total Bid amount in words and figures] or the total calculated bid price, as evaluated and corrected for computational errors, and other bid modifications in accordance with the Price Schedules attached herewith and made part of this Bid. The total bid price includes the cost of all taxes, such as, but not limited to: [specify the applicable taxes, e.g. (i) value added tax (VAT), (ii) income tax, (iii) local taxes, and (iv) other fiscal levies and duties], which are itemized herein or in the Price Schedules,

If our Bid is accepted, we undertake:

- a. to deliver the goods in accordance with the delivery schedule specified in the Schedule of Requirements of the Philippine Bidding Documents (PBDs);
- b. to provide a performance security in the form, amounts, and within the times prescribed in the PBDs;
- c. to abide by the Bid Validity Period specified in the PBDs and it shall remain binding upon us at any time before the expiration of that period.

Until a formal Contract is prepared and executed, this Bid, together with your written acceptance thereof and your Notice of Award, shall be binding upon us.

We understand that you are not bound to accept the Lowest Calculated Bid or any Bid you may receive.

We certify/confirm that we comply with the eligibility requirements pursuant to the PBDs.

The undersigned is authorized to submit the bid on behalf of [name of the bidder] as evidenced by the attached [state the written authority].

We acknowledge that failure to sign each and every page of this Bid Form, including the attached Schedule of Prices, shall be a ground for the rejection of our bid.

Name:	
Legal capacity:	
Signature:	
Duly authorized to sign the Bid for and behalf of: _	
Date:	

Price Proposal Form

	Γ	Date:	
Invi	tation to Bid	No.: <u>GOP/21-</u>	DSWD-017
SUBSCRIPTION TO A MANAGED SERVICES F			L (EMAIL)
Description	Quantity	Unit Price (in Phil Peso)	Total Price (in Phil Peso)
Subscription for an Enterprise Standard Plan Unlimited Storage Capacity (Enterprise Standard)	1,500 Users		
Subscription for a Business Starter Plan at least 30gb Storage Capacity (Business Starter)	7,500 Users		
	Total C	ontract Price	
OTE: In case of discrepancy between unit pr Total Contract Price is inclusive of all a	pplicable tax	es.	price will preva
egal capacity:			
ignature:			
Ouly authorized to sign the Bid for and behalf of	f:		
late:			

Price Schedule for Goods Offered from Within the Philippines

[shall be submitted with the Bid if bidder is offering goods from within the Philippines]

For Goods Offered from Within the Philippines

Name of Bidder Project ID No. GOP/21-DSWD-017 Pageof_												
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
Item	Description	Country of origin	Quantity	Unit price EXW per item	Transportation and all other costs incidental to delivery, per item	Sales and other taxes payable if Contract is awarded, per item	Cost of Incidental Services, if applicable, per item	Total Price, per unit (col 5+6+7+8)	Total Price delivered Final Destination (col 9) x (col 4)			
	Name:											
Legal	Capacity:											
Signa	iture:											
Duly	authorized	to sign tl	ne Bid fo	r and b	ehalf of:							

Price Schedule for Goods Offered from Abroad

[shall be submitted with the Bid if bidder is offering goods from Abroad]

For Goods Offered from Abroad

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Name (of Bidder .			Project II	D No. <u>GC</u>)P/21-DSW	D-01 7 Page	OI
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Item	Description	Country of origin	Quantity	Unit price CIF port of entry (specify port) or CIP named place (specify border point or place of destination)	Total CIF or CIP price per item (col. 4 x 5)	Unit Price Delivered Duty Unpaid (DDU)	Unit price Delivered Duty Paid (DDP)	Total Price delivered DDP (col 4 x 8)
_				and behalf of:				

Bid Securing Declaration Form

[shall be submitted with the Bid if bidder opts to provide this form of bid security]

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)	
CITY OF	_) S.S.

BID SECURING DECLARATION Project Identification No.: [Insert number]

To: [Insert name and address of the Procuring Entity]

I/We, the undersigned, declare that:

- 1. I/We understand that, according to your conditions, bids must be supported by a Bid Security, which may be in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration.
- 2. I/We accept that: (a) I/we will be automatically disqualified from bidding for any procurement contract with any procuring entity for a period of two (2) years upon receipt of your Blacklisting Order; and, (b) I/we will pay the applicable fine provided under Section 6 of the Guidelines on the Use of Bid Securing Declaration, within fifteen (15) days from receipt of the written demand by the procuring entity for the commission of acts resulting to the enforcement of the bid securing declaration under Sections 23.1(b), 34.2, 40.1 and 69.1, except 69.1(f),of the IRR of RA No. 9184; without prejudice to other legal action the government may undertake.
- 3. I/We understand that this Bid Securing Declaration shall cease to be valid on the following circumstances:
 - a. Upon expiration of the bid validity period, or any extension thereof pursuant to your request;
 - b. I am/we are declared ineligible or post-disqualified upon receipt of your notice to such effect, and (i) I/we failed to timely file a request for reconsideration or (ii) I/we filed a waiver to avail of said right; and
 - c. I am/we are declared the bidder with the Lowest Calculated Responsive Bid, and I/we have furnished the performance security and signed the Contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set my/our hand/s this _____ day of [month] [year] at [place of execution].

[Insert NAME OF BIDDER OR ITS AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE]
[Insert signatory's legal capacity]
Affiant

[Jurat]

[Format shall be based on the latest Rules on Notarial Practice]

Contract Agreement Form for the Procurement of Goods (Revised)

[Not required to be submitted with the Bid, but it shall be submitted within ten (10) days after receiving the Notice of Award]

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THIS AGREEMENT made the _____ day of _____ 20____ between [name of PROCURING ENTITY] of the Philippines (hereinafter called "the Entity") of the one part and [name of Supplier] of [city and country of Supplier] (hereinafter called "the Supplier") of the other part;

WHEREAS, the Entity invited Bids for certain goods and ancillary services, particularly [brief description of goods and services] and has accepted a Bid by the Supplier for the supply of those goods and services in the sum of [contract price in words and figures in specified currency] (hereinafter called "the Contract Price").

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to.
- 2. The following documents as required by the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184 shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as integral part of this Agreement, *viz.*:
 - i. Philippine Bidding Documents (PBDs);
 - i. Schedule of Requirements;
 - ii. Technical Specifications;
 - iii. General and Special Conditions of Contract; and
 - iv. Supplemental or Bid Bulletins, if any
 - ii. Winning bidder's bid, including the Eligibility requirements, Technical and Financial Proposals, and all other documents or statements submitted;

Bid form, including all the documents/statements contained in the Bidder's bidding envelopes, as annexes, and all other documents submitted (e.g., Bidder's response to request for clarifications on the bid), including corrections to the bid, if any, resulting from the Procuring Entity's bid evaluation;

- iii. Performance Security;
- iv. Notice of Award of Contract; and the Bidder's conforme thereto; and
- v. Other contract documents that may be required by existing laws and/or the Procuring Entity concerned in the PBDs. Winning bidder agrees that additional contract documents or information prescribed by the GPPB that are subsequently required for submission after the contract execution, such as the Notice to Proceed, Variation Orders, and Warranty Security, shall likewise form part of the Contract.

- 3. In consideration for the sum of [total contract price in words and figures] or such other sums as may be ascertained, [Named of the bidder] agrees to [state the object of the contract] in accordance with his/her/its Bid.
- 4. The [Name of the procuring entity] agrees to pay the above-mentioned sum in accordance with the terms of the Bidding.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with the laws of the Republic of the Philippines on the day and year first above written.

[Insert Name and Signature] [Insert Name and Signature]

[Insert Signatory's Legal Capacity] [Insert Signatory's Legal Capacity]

for: for:

[Insert Procuring Entity] [Insert Name of Supplier]

Acknowledgment

[Format shall be based on the latest Rules on Notarial Practice]

Omnibus Sworn Statement (Revised)

[shall be submitted with the Bid]

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)	
CITY/MUNICIPALITY OF) S.S.

AFFIDAVIT

I, [Name of Affiant], of legal age, [Civil Status], [Nationality], and residing at [Address of Affiant], after having been duly sworn in accordance with law, do hereby depose and state that:

1. [Select one, delete the other:]

[If a sole proprietorship:] I am the sole proprietor or authorized representative of [Name of Bidder] with office address at [address of Bidder];

[If a partnership, corporation, cooperative, or joint venture:] I am the duly authorized and designated representative of [Name of Bidder] with office address at [address of Bidder];

2. [Select one, delete the other:]

[If a sole proprietorship:] As the owner and sole proprietor, or authorized representative of [Name of Bidder], I have full power and authority to do, execute and perform any and all acts necessary to participate, submit the bid, and to sign and execute the ensuing contract for [Name of the Project] of the [Name of the Procuring Entity], as shown in the attached duly notarized Special Power of Attorney;

[If a partnership, corporation, cooperative, or joint venture:] I am granted full power and authority to do, execute and perform any and all acts necessary to participate, submit the bid, and to sign and execute the ensuing contract for [Name of the Project] of the [Name of the Procuring Entity], as shown in the attached [state title of attached document showing proof of authorization (e.g., duly notarized Secretary's Certificate, Board/Partnership Resolution, or Special Power of Attorney, whichever is applicable;)];

- 3. [Name of Bidder] is not "blacklisted" or barred from bidding by the Government of the Philippines or any of its agencies, offices, corporations, or Local Government Units, foreign government/foreign or international financing institution whose blacklisting rules have been recognized by the Government Procurement Policy Board, by itself or by relation, membership, association, affiliation, or controlling interest with another blacklisted person or entity as defined and provided for in the Uniform Guidelines on Blacklisting;
- 4. Each of the documents submitted in satisfaction of the bidding requirements is an authentic copy of the original, complete, and all statements and information provided therein are true and correct;
- 5. [Name of Bidder] is authorizing the Head of the Procuring Entity or its duly authorized representative(s) to verify all the documents submitted;

6. [Select one, delete the rest:]

[If a sole proprietorship:] The owner or sole proprietor is not related to the Head of the Procuring Entity, members of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), the Technical Working Group, and the BAC Secretariat, the head of the Project Management Office or the end-user unit, and the project consultants by consanguinity or affinity up to the third civil degree;

[If a partnership or cooperative:] None of the officers and members of [Name of Bidder] is related to the Head of the Procuring Entity, members of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), the Technical Working Group, and the BAC Secretariat, the head of the Project Management Office or the end-user unit, and the project consultants by consanguinity or affinity up to the third civil degree;

[If a corporation or joint venture:] None of the officers, directors, and controlling stockholders of [Name of Bidder] is related to the Head of the Procuring Entity, members of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), the Technical Working Group, and the BAC Secretariat, the head of the Project Management Office or the end-user unit, and the project consultants by consanguinity or affinity up to the third civil degree;

- 7. [Name of Bidder] complies with existing labor laws and standards; and
- 8. [Name of Bidder] is aware of and has undertaken the responsibilities as a Bidder in compliance with the Philippine Bidding Documents, which includes:
 - a. Carefully examining all of the Bidding Documents;
 - b. Acknowledging all conditions, local or otherwise, affecting the implementation of the Contract;
 - c. Making an estimate of the facilities available and needed for the contract to be bid, if any; and
 - d. Inquiring or securing Supplemental/Bid Bulletin(s) issued for the [Name of the Project].
- 9. [Name of Bidder] did not give or pay directly or indirectly, any commission, amount, fee, or any form of consideration, pecuniary or otherwise, to any person or official, personnel or representative of the government in relation to any procurement project or activity.
- 10. In case advance payment was made or given, failure to perform or deliver any of the obligations and undertakings in the contract shall be sufficient grounds to constitute criminal liability for Swindling (Estafa) or the commission of fraud with unfaithfulness or abuse of confidence through misappropriating or converting any payment received by a person or entity under an obligation involving the duty to deliver certain goods or services, to the prejudice of the public and the government of the Philippines pursuant to Article 315 of Act No. 3815 s. 1930, as amended, or the Revised Penal Code.

IN	WITNESS	WHEREOF,	I have	hereunto	set	my	hand	this	 day	of	,	20	at
	,	Philippines.											

[Insert NAME OF BIDDER OR ITS AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE]

[Insert signatory's legal capacity] Affiant

[Jurat]
[Format shall be based on the latest Rules on Notarial Practice]

Bank Guarantee Form for Advance Payment

To: [name and address of PROCURING ENTITY] [name of Contract]

Gentlemen and/or Ladies:

In accordance with the payment provision included in the Special Conditions of Contract, which amends Clause 10 of the General Conditions of Contract to provide for advance payment, [name and address of Supplier] (hereinafter called the "Supplier") shall deposit with the PROCURING ENTITY a bank guarantee to guarantee its proper and faithful performance under the said Clause of the Contract in an amount of [amount of guarantee in figures and words].

We, the [bank or financial institution], as instructed by the Supplier, agree unconditionally and irrevocably to guarantee as primary obligator and not as surety merely, the payment to the PROCURING ENTITY on its first demand without whatsoever right of objection on our part and without its first claim to the Supplier, in the amount not exceeding [amount of guarantee in figures and words].

We further agree that no change or addition to or other modification of the terms of the Contract to be performed thereunder or of any of the Contract documents which may be made between the PROCURING ENTITY and the Supplier, shall in any way release us from any liability under this guarantee, and we hereby waive notice of any such change, addition, or modification.

This guarantee shall remain valid and in full effect from the date of the advance payment received by the Supplier under the Contract until [date].

Signature and seal of the Guarantors

Yours truly,

[name of bank or financial institution] [address] [date]

Certification from Insurance Commission

NOTE: Use this template for the required "Certification from the Insurance Commission", which shall accompany surety bonds issued for purposes of Bid Security and Performance Security.

[Insurance Commission Letterhead]

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that <u>[insert Name of Insurance Company]</u> is an authorized insurance company and licensed to transact general insurance business in the Philippines for such lines as Fire, Marine, Casualty and Surety under <u>[insert Certificate of Authority Number]</u> effective <u>[insert date of period of effectivity]</u>, unless sooner revoked or suspended for cause.

It is certified, moreover, that <u>[insert Name of Insurance Company]</u> is likewise authorized under Administrative Order No. 30 to underwrite and issue Performance Bonds, Bidder's Bonds, and Surety Bonds, callable on demand in favor of the various agencies and instrumentalities of the government pursuant to the Revised Implementing Rules of RA.9184.

It is further certified that <u>[insert Name of Insurance Company]</u> issued a surety bond under <u>[insert Bond No.]</u> to <u>[insert Name of Service Provider or Supplier]</u> in favor of **Department of Social Welfare and Development** in the amount of <u>[insert amount]</u> for the <u>[insert Name of the Project)</u>.

This certification is issued upon the request of <u>[insert Name of the Authorized Representative]</u> of <u>[insert Name of Insurance Company]</u>, pursuant to Section 39.2(c) of the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA9184.

Issued on the [insert date] in [insert Place].

For the Insurance Commissioner [insert name of Authorized Representative] [insert Position and Office] Paid under[insert Official Receipt No.]

Statement of All On-Going Government and Private Contracts, Including Contracts Awarded but Not Yet Started, Whether Similar or Not Similar in Nature and Complexity to the Contract to be Bid

Business Business	Name: Address:								
A. Gove	rnment								
Nature of Contract	a. Owner's Name b. Address	Project Cost	-		a. Date Awarded b. Date Started	% of Accompl	ishment	Value of Outstanding Works	
(Project Title)	c. Contact Nos.		Description	%	c. Target Date of Completion	Planned	Actual	(Undelivered Portion)	
1.	a. b. c.				a. b. c.				
2.	a. b. c.				a. b. c.				
B. Privat	te								
Nature of Contract	a. Owner's Name b. Address	Project Cost	Bidder's Rol	e	a. Date Awarded b. Date Started	% of Accompl	ishment	Value of Outstanding Works	
(Project Title)	c. Contact Nos.		Description	%	c. Target Date of Completion	Planned	Actual	(Undelivered Portion)	
1.	a. b. c.				a. b. c.				
2.	a. b. c.				a. b.				
Committee to support	ee (BAC) or o	designate ent: (a)	ed Technical Contract or	l Wo Pui	uilable upon re rking Group (T rchase Order, (e/Completion	WG) duri	ng Post	-Qualification	
Name:									
Legal cap	oacity:								
Signature	:								
Duly auth	norized to sig	n the Bio	d for and bel	nalf (of:				
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Statement of Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC)³ Similar to the Contract to be Bid

Nature of Contract (Project Title)	a. Owner's Name b. Address c. Contact Nos.	Project Cost	Bidder's Role		a. Date Awarded b. Date Started
				a.	
	b.				b.
	c.				c.
v	•		* *		statement: (a) Offici
Receipt(s) or Sale	ving documents must es Invoice or (b) User	's Certific	* *		, , ,
Receipt(s) or Salo	es Invoice or (b) User	's Certific	ate of Acceptai	nce/Co	ompletion
Receipt(s) or Sale Name: Legal capacity: _	es Invoice or (b) User	's Certifico	ate of Acceptai	nce/Co	ompletion
Receipt(s) or Sale Name: Legal capacity: _ Signature:	es Invoice or (b) User	's Certifico	ate of Acceptai	nce/Co	ompletion

³ The Bidder must have completed, within the period specified in the Invitation to Bid and ITB Clause 5.3, a single contract that is similar to the project to be bid, equivalent to a percentage (%) of the ABC specified in ITB Clause 5.3.

