

INVITATION TO BID

SUPPLY, DELIVER AND INSTALLATION OF ONE RACK SERVER SOLUTION

— ITB No. GOP/14-DSWD-039 —
(RIS/PR No. 14092799)

1. The **Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD)**, through the **Pantawid Pamilya - Capital Outlay Funds**, intends to apply the sum of **Five Million Five Hundred Thousand Pesos (PhP 5,500,000.00)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for **Supply, Delivery and Installation of One Rack Server Solution**. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at the opening of the financial proposals.
2. The DSWD now invites bids for the **Supply, Delivery and Installation of One Rack Server Solution**. Delivery of the Goods shall be **within the schedule provided in 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 a non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion as specified in the 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 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.

4. Interested bidders may obtain further information from **DSWD Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) Secretariat** and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from **Mondays to Fridays at 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested Bidders on **13 December 2014 to 07 January 2014** from the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents in the amount of **Seven Thousand Five Thousand Pesos (PhP 7,500.00)**.

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 nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

5. The DSWD will hold a **Pre-Bid Conference** on **22 December 2014** at **04:00 p.m.**, at the **Directors Dormitory (Executive Lounge), DSWD Central Office, IBP Road, Constitution Hills, Quezon City** which shall be open only to all interested parties who have purchased the Bidding Documents.
6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **11:00 a.m.** of **07 January 2014**. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 18.

Bid opening shall be on **07 January 2014, 11:00 a.m.**, at the **Directors Dormitory (Executive Lounge), DSWD Central Office, IBP Road, Constitution Hills, Quezon City**. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend. Late bids shall not be accepted.

7. The DSWD reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
8. For further information, please refer to:

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