

## Invitation to Bid

### Construction of Hibale Earthfill Dam and its Appurtenant Structures in Region 7 under Small Reservoir Irrigation Project Invitation to Bid No. R7-HSRIPD-C-41

1. The National Irrigation Administration, through the Government of the Philippines (GOP), GAA 2022-2024 (Fund 501) and CBI (GAA 2025-2027) intends to apply the sum of Five Hundred Ninety-Six Million Pesos (PhP 596,000,000.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for Construction of Hibale Earthfill Dam and its Appurtenant Structures in Region 7 under Small Reservoir Irrigation Project, Invitation to Bid No. R7-HSRIPD-C-41. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The National Irrigation Administration now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Completion of the Works is required within **1,300** calendar days inclusive of **300** unworkable days. Bidders should have completed 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.
4. Interested bidders may obtain further information from National Irrigation Administration and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM during office hours.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested bidders on **July 16, 2024 to August 9, 2024** from given address and website/s below and **upon presentation of (a) Letter of Intent (LOI) from the owner/authorized managing officer indicating the name of the employee authorized to purchase the bid documents, which should contain the official mailing address, contact number, and e-mail address of the company, (b) original copy of their valid PCAB License signed by the authorized managing officer, and (c) payment of the non-refundable applicable fee to the NIA Cashier from 7:00 AM to 2:30 PM (NIA OM No. 1 s. 2024) for the Bidding Documents**, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of Seventy Five Thousand Pesos (PhP 75,000.00). The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees to be presented in person.
6. The National Irrigation Administration will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **July 26, 2024; 10:00 A.M.** at NIA BAC-A Conference Room, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Building "A", NIA Complex, EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City which shall be open to prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC-A Secretariat through manual submission at the office address as indicated below on or before **August 9, 2024; 1:00 P.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 15.

9. Bid opening shall be on **August 9, 2024; 1:30 P.M.** at NIA BAC-A Conference Room, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Building "A", NIA Complex, EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
10. If at the time of the post-qualification procedure, the BAC verifies that any of the deficiencies is due to the contractor's fault and negligence pursuant to Section 34.3(b)(ii) of the RA 9184 and its 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations, the Procuring Entity shall disqualify the contractor from the award without any right to reimburse fees and incidental cost paid for the procurement of infrastructure contract subject of the Bid (NIA MC-101 series 2021).
11. The National Irrigation Administration 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.
12. For further information, please refer to:

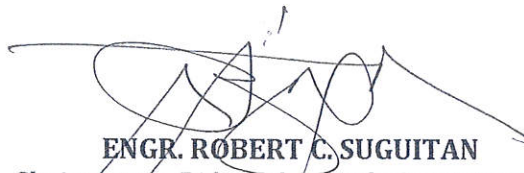
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13. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: <https://philgeps.gov.ph>

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**ENGR. ROBERT C. SUGUITAN**  
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