



Invitation to Bid

**Supply and Delivery of One (1) Year Subscription to Advanced Weather
Forecasting Solutions (Smart Farming Programme)
Invitation to Bid No. NIACOEMD-S-1**

1. The National Irrigation Administration (NIA), through the Government of the Philippines (GOP), Fund 501-LFPs intends to apply the sum of **Four Hundred Fifty Million Pesos Only (PhP450,000,000.00)** to payments under the contract for the **Supply and Delivery of One (1) Year Subscription to Advanced Weather Forecasting Solutions (Smart Farming Programme)**, Invitation to Bid No. NIACOEMD-S-1. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The NIA now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Supply/Delivery of Services is required within Sixty (60) calendar days. Bidders should have completed a single contract similar to the Project within Three (3) years from the date of submission and receipt of bids, with a value of at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC. 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 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. Interested Bidders may obtain further information, and inspect the Bidding Documents at the BAC-A Secretariat Office, 6th Floor, NIA Building A, EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City, during office hours 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Mondays to Fridays.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **September 18, 2024 to October 22, 2024** from the given address and upon presentation of the following requirements:
 - a) Letter of Intent (LOI) from the owner/authorized managing officer indicating the name of the employee authorized to purchase the bid documents. The LOI must contain the official mailing address, contact number, and e-mail address of the company;
 - b) Company ID of the authorized employee; and
 - c) Payment of the non-refundable applicable fee to the NIA Cashier from 7:00 AM to 2:30 PM, Mondays to Fridays (NIA OM No. 1 s. 2024) for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of PhP50,000.00

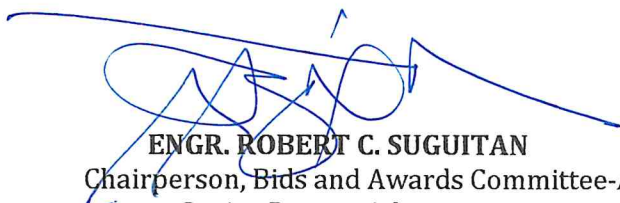
6. The National Irrigation Administration will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **October 2, 2024; 10:00 A.M.** at NIA BAC-A Conference Room, 6th Floor, Building "A", NIA Complex, EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City which shall be open to prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC-A Secretariat through manual submission at the office address indicated below on or before **October 22, 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 14.
9. Bid opening shall be on **October 22, 2024; 1:30 P.M.** at NIA BAC-A Conference Room, 6th 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. 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 IRR of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
11. For further information, please refer to:

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12. You may visit <https://philgeps.gov.ph> for downloading of Bidding Documents

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