



SUPPLEMENTAL BID BULLETIN NO. 1
to the
BID DOCUMENTS
for the
Construction of Cabiao Water Impounding Project and Its Appurtenant Structures
ITB No. R3-CWIPD-C-1

- A. Please be advised of the following revisions in the procurement schedule for the above-captioned project:

Pre-bidding Conference	:	October 29, 2024; 1:30 P.M. BAC-A Conference Room 6 th Floor, NIA Building A EDSA, Quezon City
Deadline of Submission of Bids	:	November 14, 2024; 1:00 P.M. BAC-A Secretariat Office 6 th Floor, NIA Building A EDSA, Quezon City
Opening of Bids	:	November 14, 2024; 1:30 P.M. BAC-A Conference Room 6 th Floor, NIA Building A EDSA, Quezon City

- B. Please be advised of the following revisions in the Bidding Documents for the above-captioned project:

1. Delete Section I. Invitation to Bid of the Bid Documents, and substitute the herein Attachment Sheet Nos. "1" and "2";
2. Delete pages 11 to 13 under Section II. Instructions to Bidders of the Bid Documents, and substitute the herein Attachment Sheet Nos. "3" to "5"; and
3. Delete pages 18 and 21 under Section III. Bid Data Sheet of the Bid Documents, and substitute the herein Attachment Sheet Nos. "6" and "7".



- C. Receipt of this Notice must be acknowledged by the Bidders at the Office of the BAC-A Secretariat, 6th Floor, NIA Building "A", EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City.
- D. This Notice shall form part of the Bidding Documents.



ENGR. ROBERT C. SUGUITAN
BAC-A Chairperson



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
NATIONAL IRRIGATION ADMINISTRATION
CENTRAL OFFICE



Invitation to Bid

Construction of Cabiao Water Impounding Project and Its Appurtenant Structures

Invitation to Bid No. R3-CWIPD-C-1

1. The National Irrigation Administration, through the Government of the Philippines (GOP), GAA 2024 (Fund 501) and CBI (GAA 2025) intends to apply the sum of **Two Billion Ninety-Nine Million Two Hundred Thirty-Four Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty-Four Pesos and 37/100 (PhP 2,099,234,834.37)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for Construction of Cabiao Water Impounding Project and its Appurtenant Structures, Invitation to Bid No. R3-CWIPD-C-1. 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 **630 calendar days inclusive of 44 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 **October 15, 2024 to November 14, 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) Original copy of their valid PCAB License signed by the authorized managing officer;
 - c) Company ID of the authorized employee; and
 - d) Payment to the NIA Cashier a non-refundable fee 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).
6. The National Irrigation Administration will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **October 30, 2024; 1:30 P.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 as indicated below on or before **November 14, 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 **November 14, 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. 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 <https://philgeps.gov.ph> for downloading of Bidding Documents

Date of Issue: OCT 15 2024



ENGR. ROBERT C. SUGUITAN
 Chairperson, Bids and Awards Committee-A
 Senior Deputy Administrator

1. Scope of Bid

The Procuring Entity, **National Irrigation Administration (NIA)** invites Bids for the **Construction of Cabiao Water Impounding Project and its Appurtenant Structures**, with Project Identification Number, Invitation to Bid No. **R3-CWIPD-C-1**.

The Procurement Project (referred to herein as “Project”) is for the construction of Works, as described in Section VI (Specifications).

2. Funding Information

2.1. The GOP through the source of funding as indicated for GAA 2024 (Fund 501) and CBI (2025) (Fund 501) in the amount of **PhP 2,099,234,834.37**.

2.2. The source of funding is:

GOCC and GFIs, the proposed Corporate Operating Budget.

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 Manual 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 invitation to bid 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 inspected the site, determined the general characteristics of the contracted Works and the conditions for this Project, such as the location and the nature of the work; (b) climatic conditions; (c) transportation facilities; (c) nature and condition of the terrain, geological conditions at the site communication facilities, requirements, location and availability of construction aggregates and other materials, labor, water, electric power and access roads; and (d) 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 Contractors, 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. The Bidder must have an experience of having completed a Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC) that is similar to this Project, equivalent to at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC adjusted, if necessary, by the Bidder to current prices using the PSA's CPI, except under conditions provided for in Section 23.4.2.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

A contract is considered to be "similar" to the contract to be bid if it has the major categories of work stated in the **BDS**.

- 5.3. For Foreign-funded Procurement, the Procuring Entity and the foreign government/foreign or international financing institution may agree on another track record requirement, as specified in the Bidding Document prepared for this purpose.
- 5.4. The Bidders shall comply with the eligibility criteria under Section 23.4.2 of the 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.

6. Origin of Associated 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.

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 fifty percent (50%) of the Project.

The Procuring Entity has prescribed that:

- a. Subcontracting is allowed. The portions of Project and the maximum percentage allowed to be subcontracted are indicated in the **BDS**, which shall not exceed fifty percent (50%) of the contracted Works.
- 7.1. The Bidder must submit together with its Bid the documentary requirements of the subcontractor(s) complying with the eligibility criterion stated in **ITB** Clause 5 in accordance with Section 23.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 pursuant to Section 23.1 thereof.
- 7.2. The Supplier may identify its subcontractor during the contract implementation stage. Subcontractors identified during the bidding may be changed during the implementation of this Contract. Subcontractors must submit the documentary requirements under Section 23.1 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 and comply with the eligibility criteria specified in **ITB** Clause 5 to the implementing or end-user unit.

- 7.3. Subcontracting of any portion of the Project does not relieve the Contractor of any liability or obligation under the Contract. The Supplier will be responsible for the acts, defaults, and negligence of any subcontractor, its agents, servants, or workmen as fully as if these were the Contractor's own acts, defaults, or negligence, or those of its agents, servants, or workmen.

8. Pre-Bid Conference

The Procuring Entity will hold a pre-bid conference for this Project on the specified date and time at its physical address on **October 30, 2024; 1:30 P.M.** at NIA BAC-A Conference Room, 6th Floor, Building "A", NIA Complex, EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City 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 IX. Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents**.
- 10.2. 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. 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.
- 10.3. A valid special PCAB License in case of Joint Ventures, and registration for the type and cost of the contract for this Project. Any additional type of Contractor license or permit shall be indicated in the **BDS**.
- 10.4. A List of Contractor's key personnel (e.g., Project Manager, Project Engineers, Materials Engineers, and Foremen) assigned to the contract to be bid, with their complete qualification and experience data shall be provided. These key personnel must meet the required minimum years of experience set in the **BDS**.

Bid Data Sheet

ITB Clause										
5.2	<p>For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project refer to contracts which have the same major categories of work, which shall be:</p> <p>Construction of Dam/ Embankment Dam (for agricultural and/or hydropower projects) and/or Flood Control Projects (Protection Dikes and/or Sabo Dam and/or Floodway) and/or Irrigation Canal/Canal Structures, and/or other Major Hydraulic Structures and/or Structures for Irrigation with a value of at least fifty percent (50%) of ABC. All prospective bidders should possess a valid PCAB license with a Principal Classification and Category in General Engineering as “AAA” and Registration Particulars with respective size range of Large “B” in Dam, Reservoir or Tunneling, and/or Irrigation Facilities and Flood Control.</p>									
7.1	<p>Subcontracting is allowed, subject to evaluation and approval of the sub-contracting agreement in accordance with NIA MC No. 37, s.2014. The sub-contractor shall undertake not more than 50% of the contract works.</p> <p><i>NOTE: The contractor shall undertake not less than 50% of the contracted works with its own resources.</i></p>									
10.1	<p>a) The first envelope shall contain the eligibility and technical documents of the Bid as specified in Section IX. Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents.</p> <p>a.1) Bidder shall submit a Certificate of Site Inspection duly signed by the authorized NIA Region 3 employee/official.</p> <p>b) Bidders are required to use the NIA Prescribed Forms found at Section IX-A. Bidding Forms</p> <p>c) Bidders must completely and properly fill out all required details in the NIA prescribed forms and notarize all necessary documents accordingly.</p>									
10.3	No further instructions									
10.4	<p>The key personnel must meet the required minimum years of experience set below:</p> <table><tr><th><u>Key Personnel</u></th><th></th><th><u>Relevant Experience</u></th></tr><tr><td>1 – Project Manager</td><td>–</td><td>A licensed Civil Engineer (PRC License) with at least five (5) year experience as Project Manager in similar works ;</td></tr><tr><td>1 – Project Engineer</td><td>–</td><td>A licensed Civil Engineer (PRC License) with at least three (3) year experience as Project Engineer in similar works;</td></tr></table>	<u>Key Personnel</u>		<u>Relevant Experience</u>	1 – Project Manager	–	A licensed Civil Engineer (PRC License) with at least five (5) year experience as Project Manager in similar works ;	1 – Project Engineer	–	A licensed Civil Engineer (PRC License) with at least three (3) year experience as Project Engineer in similar works;
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15.1	<p>The bid security shall be in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration or any of the following forms and amounts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The amount of not less than PhP 41,984,696.69 (<i>Two percent (2%) of ABC</i>), if bid security is in cash, cashier's/manager's check, bank draft/guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit; b. The amount of not less than PhP 104,961,741.72 [Five percent (5%) of ABC] if bid security is in Surety Bond.
16	<p>Each Bidder shall submit one (1) original and two (2) copies of the first and second components of its bid. Original and copies 1 and 2 must reflect the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Table of contents; b. Should be in sequential order of documents in line with Section IX "Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents"; c. Proper tabbing and binding of the documents; and d. Copies 1 and 2 must be certified true copy of the original.
20	Other appropriate license/s and/or permit/s required by law: Certified True Copy of the valid Tax Clearance Certificate
21	Additional contract documents relevant to the Project that may be required by existing laws and/or the Procuring Entity, such as construction schedule in the form of PERT/CPM Network, Bar/Ghantt Chart, and S-curve, manpower schedule, construction methods, equipment utilization schedule, construction safety and health program approved by the DOLE, Contractor's Environmental Management Program, Materials Quality Control Program, and other acceptable tools of project scheduling.