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PHILIPPINE COCONUT AUTHORITY

REGIONS I, II, III and CAR

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REGIONAL BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

**INVITATION TO BID FOR THE
Supply, Handling, Transport & Delivery of 11,290 Bags of Organic
Fertilizers, 1,383 Bags of Potassium Chloride/Muriate of Potash (0-0-60)
and 746 Bags of Ammonium Sulfate (21-0-0) under the Coconut
Fertilization Project CY 2022 & 2023 and Nutrient Support/Precision
Farming on Hybridization Project of the Coconut Farmers and Industry
Trust Fund**

1. The *Philippine Coconut Authority Regions I, II, III and CAR*, through the *Coconut Fertilization Project CY 2022 & 2023 and Coconut Farmers and Industry Trust Fund* intends to apply the sum of *Five million three hundred sixty two thousand seven hundred fifty pesos (Php 5,362,750.00)* for Lot 1 – Supply, Handling, Transport & Delivery of 11,290 bags of Organic Fertilizers and *Four million six hundred seventy three thousand one hundred forty pesos (Php 4,673,140.00)* for Lot 2 – Supply, Handling, Transport & Delivery of 1,383 bags of KCl (0-0-60) and 746 bags of Ammonium Sulfate (21-0-0), being the ABC to payments under the contract for each lot. Bids received in excess of the ABC for each lot shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The *Philippine Coconut Authority Regions I, II, III and CAR* now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required within *60 calendar days after receipt of Notice to Proceed*. Bidders should have completed, within a period of *five (5) 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 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 *Philippine Coconut Authority Regions I, II, III and CAR* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during *Monday to Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM*.

5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on *May 3, 2023 to May 23, 2023* from the given address below and website at <https://philgeps.gov.ph> and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, *in the amount of Php 10,000.00 for Lot 1 and Php 5,000.00 for Lot 2*. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees *in person or through electronic means*.
6. The *Philippine Coconut Authority Regions I, II, III and CAR* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference¹ on *May 11, 2023, 10:00 AM* at *Conference Room, 2nd Floor, Guest House Building, PCA Compound, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City* and/or *through video conferencing or webcasting via Zoom Meeting ID: 892 7911 9837, Passcode 686097*, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through *manual submission* at the office address indicated below on or before *May 23, 2023, 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 *May 23, 2023, 10:00 AM* at *Conference Room, 2nd Floor, Guest House Building, PCA Compound, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City* and/or *via Zoom Meeting ID: 833 9790 4075 Passcode: 757715*. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.

Below is the procurement activity schedule:

Pre-bid Conference	May 11, 2023, 10:00 AM <i>Join Zoom Meeting</i> Meeting ID: 892 7911 9837 Passcode: 686097
Submission of Bids	May 23, 2023, 9:00 AM
Bid Opening and Evaluation	May 23, 2023, 10:00 AM <i>Join Zoom Meeting</i> Meeting ID: 833 9790 4075 Passcode: 757715
Post-qualification	May 25, 2023 (tentative)
Issuance of Notice of Award	May 29, 2023 (tentative)
Contract Preparation and Signing	May 31, 2023 (tentative)

10. The *Philippine Coconut Authority Regions I, II, III and CAR* 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:

Ms. Michelle O. Villa
Head, BAC Secretariat

¹ May be deleted in case the ABC is less than One Million Pesos (PhP1,000,000) where the Procuring Entity may not hold a Pre-Bid Conference.

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12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: *http://www.philgeps.gov.ph*

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