



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**  
**PHILIPPINE COCONUT AUTHORITY**  
**REGIONS I, II, III and CAR**  
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**IB No. 2023-05**  
**REGIONAL BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

**INVITATION TO BID FOR THE**  
**Supply, Handling, Transport and Delivery of 79,079 PCS OPV**  
**Tall Coconut Seedlings under ACPRP CY 2019 and RA 8048 CY**  
**2018 & 2019 and 41,470 PCS OPV Dwarf Coconut Seedlings**  
**under ACPRP CY 2021 and SPRLCP CY 2022 Funds**

1. The *Philippine Coconut Authority Regions I, II, III and CAR*, through the *RA 8048 CY 2018 & 2019, ACPRP CY 2019 & 2021 and SPRLCP CY 2022 Funds* intends to apply the sum of *Php 5,140,135.00 for Lot 1 - Supply, Handling, Transport and Delivery of 79,079 pcs OPV Tall Coconut Seedlings under the ACPRP CY 2019 and RA 8048 CY 2018 & 2019 Funds* and the sum of *Php 3,400,540.00 for Lot 2- Supply, Handling, Transport and Delivery of 41,470 pcs OPV Dwarf Coconut Seedlings under the ACPRP CY 2021 and SPRLCP CY 2022 Funds* being the ABC to payments under the contract for each lot/item. 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 seedlings is required within *one hundred eighty (180) calendar days*, respectively, upon the receipt of Notice to Proceed (NTP). 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 *April 29, 2023 to May 22, 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 Conference<sup>1</sup> on *May 9, 2023, 2:00 PM* 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: 831 153 9653, Passcode 616044*, 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 22, 2023, 1:00 PM*. 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 22, 2023, 2:00 PM* at *Conference Room, 2nd Floor, Guest house building, PCA Compound, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City* and/or via *Zoom Meeting ID: 870 5811 7592 Passcode: 025997*. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.

Below is the procurement activity schedule:

<b>Pre-bid Conference</b>	May 9, 2023, 2:00 PM Join Zoom Meeting Meeting ID: 831 153 9653 Passcode: 616044
<b>Submission of Bids</b>	May 22, 2023, 1:00 PM
<b>Bid Opening and Evaluation</b>	May 22, 2023, 2:00 PM Join Zoom Meeting Meeting ID: 870 5811 7592 Passcode: 025997
<b>Post-qualification</b>	May 25, 2023 (tentative)
<b>Issuance of Notice of Award</b>	May 29, 2023 (tentative)
<b>Contract Preparation and Signing</b>	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*

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<sup>1</sup> 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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