



Republic of the Philippines

## Office of the Solicitor General

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### INVITATION TO BID FOR

#### **Supply, Delivery, Installation, and Configuration of: OSG Data Center with Wide Area Network Solution & Next Generation Firewall for multi-branch setup and OSG Relocated Division's Data and Network Infrastructure**

1. The Office of the Solicitor General (OSG), through Republic Act (RA) No. 11936 or the General Appropriations Act of FY 2023 intends to apply the sum of **Seventeen Million Four Hundred Sixty Thousand Pesos (Php17,460,000.00)** being the ABC to payments under the contract for **Supply, Delivery, Installation, and Configuration of: OSG Data Center with Wide Area Network Solution & Next Generation Firewall for multi-branch setup and OSG Relocated Division's Data and Network Infrastructure / OSG PR No. 023-10-173**. Bids received in excess of the Approved Budget for the contract (ABC) shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The OSG now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. The Supplier has **thirty (30) calendar days (inclusive of Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays) from the date of receiving the Notice to Proceed (NTP)** to deliver and install all equipment to the designated location and complete the scope of work. The Supplier shall follow the health and safety protocols imposed by the OSG and/or the concerned Building Administrator. Bidders should have completed, within **five (5) years** prior to the deadline for the 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 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 **OSG** and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during **Monday to Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm**.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders from Monday to Friday, between 8:00am to 5:00pm starting **14 November 2023** until 10:30am of **4 December 2023**, from the given address and website(s) below and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of **Twenty-Five Thousand Pesos (Php25,000.00)**. Interested bidders may purchase the bidding documents by depositing the amount of **Twenty-Five Thousand Pesos (Php25,000.00)** with the **OSG Trust Fund 101 Account Number 1802-1016-23**, Office of the Solicitor General, Land Bank of the Philippines, Paseo de Roxas Branch, Makati City and submitting the proof of deposit at [fms@osg.gov.ph](mailto:fms@osg.gov.ph), or by paying directly with the Cashier's Office at the Office of the Solicitor General, 134 Amorsolo Street, Legaspi Village, Makati City.
6. The **OSG** will hold a Pre-Bid Conference open to prospective bidders on **21 November 2023 @ 2:30pm** at the **9<sup>th</sup> floor, Padilla Hall, OSG Building, 134 Amorsolo St., Legaspi Village, Makati City** and/or through video conferencing or webcasting *via Microsoft Teams*.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat/Procurement through manual submission at the office address indicated below on or before **10:25am** of **4 December 2023**. **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 **10:30am** of **4 December 2023** at **9<sup>th</sup> floor, Padilla Hall, OSG Building, 134 Amorsolo St., Legaspi Village, Makati City** and/or *via Microsoft Teams*. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to personally attend the activity.
10. Prospective Bidders are required to submit (1) one additional hard copy of their bid as allowed in **ITB** Clause 15.

Also, for purposes of videoconferencing, prospective bidders are advised to provide their email addresses not later than thirty (30) minutes before the activity at the email address below. While the BAC can conduct face-to-face pre-bid conference and opening of the bids, prospective bidders are enjoined to send at most two (2) representatives due to the limited space of the conference room.

11. The **OSG** 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.

12. For further information, please refer to:

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13. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: <https://osg.gov.ph/page?call=proc-biditems>

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