INVITATION TO BID FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (150) MID-RANGE LAPTOPS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PHILIPPINE IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM (PHILSYS) API-ENABLED SERVICES IN THE CIVIL REGISTRATION SYSTEM (CRS)

- 1. The *Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA)*, through the *FY 2022 General Appropriations Act* to apply the sum of *Ten Million Five Hundred Thousand Pesos (P10,500,000.00)*, being the ABC to payments under the above-named contract. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The *PSA* now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required *within sixty (60) calendar days upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed (NTP)*. Bidders should have completed, within *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 Statistics Authority (PSA) and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during working hours from 8AM 5PM weekdays except holidays.

PSA BAC Secretariat 11th floor, Cyberpod Centris One, Eton Centris EDSA corner Quezon Avenue, Quezon City

5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on 27 April 2022 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 (P25,000.00). The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees by person or through electronic means.

- 6. The *PSA* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference¹ on *05 May 2022 at 10:00 A.M.* through video conferencing or webcasting *via Zoom*. Meeting links will be provided to the respective email addresses provided to the BAC Secretariat by the interested bidders,
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the office address indicated below on or before 17 May 2022 at 09:00 A.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 17 May 2022 at 10:00 A.M. The link for Zoom conference will be sent to the respective email addresses given by the interested bidders. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to participate in the activity or witness the opening of the bids through video conferencing via Zoom platform. Bidders interested to participate shall coordinate and register with the BAC Secretariat for the link through email address indicated below.
- 10. The *PSA* 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:

Mr. Joseph P. Cajita

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PSA Bids and Awards Committee
11th Floor, Cyberpod Centris One, Eton Centris
EDSA corner Quezon Avenue, Quezon City
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12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: www.psa.gov.ph or https://procurement.gov.ph

SGD.
MINERVA ELOISA P. ESQUIVIAS
Chairperson, Bids and Awards Committee

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.