



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR THE
PROCUREMENT OF CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR THE
DEVELOPMENT, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, AND
MAINTENANCE OF THE 2022 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE AND
FISHERIES INFORMATION SYSTEM (CAF-IS)**

1. The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), through the CY 2022 General Appropriations Act (GAA) intends to apply the sum of Two Hundred Thirty Four Million and Nine Hundred Seventy Two Pesos (P234,972,000.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the Procurement of Consultancy Services for the Development, Supply, Delivery, Installation, and Maintenance of the 2022 Census of Agriculture and Fisheries Information System (CAF-IS) under Public Bidding No. 2022-11. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at the opening of the financial proposals.
2. The PSA now calls for the submission of eligibility documents for the Procurement of Consultancy Services for the Development, Supply, Delivery, Installation, and Maintenance of the 2022 Census of Agriculture and Fisheries Information System (CAF-IS) under Public Bidding No. 2022-11. Eligibility documents of interested consultants must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat on or before November 24, 2022 at the BAC Secretariat, PSA, 11th Floor, Cyberpod Centris One, Eton Centris, EDSA corner Quezon Avenue, Quezon City. Applications for eligibility will be evaluated based on a non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion.
3. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the PSA and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given above during 8:00AM to 5:00PM, Monday to Friday.
4. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on November 24, 2022 from the address above and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of Seventy-Five thousand pesos (P75,000.00).

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the PSA at <https://procurement.psa.gov.ph> , provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

5. The BAC shall draw up the short list of consultants from those who have submitted Expression of Interest, including the eligibility documents, and have been determined as eligible in accordance with the provisions of Republic Act 9184 (RA 9184), otherwise

known as the “Government Procurement Reform Act”, and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR). The short list shall consist of five (5) prospective bidders who will be entitled to submit bids. The criteria and rating system for short listing are:

- a. Applicable Experience of the Firm - 30%
- b. Qualification of Personnel Assigned in the Project - 50%
- c. Current Workload - 20%

Only the top three (3) ranked Consultants with at least 70% points based on the short listing criteria will be invited to submit the Technical and Financial Proposals. Should less than the required number apply for eligibility and short listings pass the eligibility check, and/or pass the minimum score required in the short listing, the BAC shall consider the same.

6. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion as specified in the IRR of RA 9184.

Bidding is open to all interested bidders, whether local or foreign, subject to the conditions for eligibility provided in the IRR of RA 9184.

7. The Procuring Entity shall evaluate bids using the Quality Cost Based Evaluation (QCBE) procedure. The criteria and rating system for the evaluation of bids shall be provided in the Instructions to Bidders.
8. The contract shall be completed within one (1) year from the issuance of the Notice to Proceed (NTP).
9. 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 Section 41 of RA 9184 and its IRR, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
10. For further information, please refer to:

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