

Reference No. 18BAC-135

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SUBJECT: Supplemental Bid Bulletin No. 1

Dear Prospective Bidder:

This serves as the official transmittal of Bid Bulletin No. 1 for the Procurement for the Design, Build and Maintenance of Sewage Treatment Plant for The Philippine Statistics Authority at PSA Complex, East Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City. This bulletin is being issued to amend the Bidding Documents and clarify queries from prospective bidders.

Please be informed that the contents of the Bidding Documents that have not been modified shall remain in full force and effect.

The bulletin will be posted on the websites of PhilGEPs and PSA.

Truly yours,

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Bid Bulletin Ref. No.	Specific Page/Section in the Bidding Docs.	Query/Issue	BAC Response/Clarification
BB1-1	Page 110 Section VI Technical Specifications	Regarding the requirement of two (2) units of mini-vacuum trucks, may we know the purpose of this?	The PSA Sewage Treatment Plant will service the proposed four (4) buildings of the PSA namely the CVEA Bldg., TAM Bldg., 9-Storey CRS Building, and the 23-Storey Office Bldg with Roof Deck. The 9-Storey CRS Building will cater about 10,000-12,000 clients per day and the septic tank would accumulate large amounts of sludge and require dislodging.
			The sludge level that will accumulate in a tank reduces the available volume and space in the tank for the wastewater treatment process that may cause failure or problems in its operation later. Thus, the two (2) mini vacuum tanker truck with a 5000li volume capacity will be used in removing the accumulated sludge and take it away for disposal to a proper location or further use in compliance to DENR rules and regulations and other laws.
BB1-2		Does PSA have a form of the "Affidavit of compliance to specifications of finishes and materials and Scope of Work"? If so, we would like to request for said form.	Attached in Annex A is the Affidavit of Compliance of finishes and materials and Scope of Work format for reference.
BB1-3		Regarding the architectural and engineering design, will submitting a preliminary design be sufficient for purposes of bid submission since the detailed design will be undertaken after the award of the contract?	Preliminary conceptual design shall be accepted for purposes of the bid submission in accordance with the degree of details as specified under the MPSS (Section 6 Technical Specifications Under 3.2.2 of the MPSS).
BB1-4		We would like to clarify the foregoing as we noticed an inconsistency between BDS vis-a-vis Technical Specifications.	The project shall cover the Design, Build, Operation and Maintenance (5 Years) of Sewage Treatment Plant for the Philippine Statistics Authority at PSA Complex, East Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City.



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BB1-5	Page 106 Section VI Technical Specifications	Can the personnel required in the design stage likewise be the same for, construction, O&M (as applicable)?	Yes provided that the personnel meet the qualifications as specified in the design and construction qualification requirements.
BB1-6	Page 104 Section VI Technical Specifications	Regarding the design architect, since the project involves a sewage treatment plant, we would like to propose that an experienced design engineer be sufficient.	PSA requires the qualification of the Design Engineer as: "The Design Architect must be duly-licensed with at least ten (10) years of experience in the design of residential, academic or institutional facilities, and shall preferably be knowledgeable in the application of Green Design Technology in construction".
BB1-7	Page 106 Section VI Technical Specifications	It is required for the Utility Crew, Pipe Cleaner Truck Operator, and Vacuum Truck Operator to be college graduates?	High school graduates with relevant certificates (NC-III or higher), or relevant certificate of trainings conducted by recognized government institutions will do. The truck operators must have relevant driver license.



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AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE				
I, of legal age, single/married residing at, for and in behalf of, after being sworn in accordance with law depose and say:				
That I am the President/Owner of (Name of the Company)				
That I attest to the fact that materials and all requirements from the Company complies with and will continue to comply with the specifications of the finishes, materials and including the Scope of Works for the Project as stipulated under Section VI-Technical Specifications under Bidding Documents Public Bidding No				
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this day of 20 in the City of, Philippines.				
(Signature of Affiant)				
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me, in the City of, this by the affiant who exhibited to me his, I certify further that I personally examined the affiant and understood the contents of this document.				
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