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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 Supply, Delivery and Installation of Blade Server Expansion. 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 9, No. 1 Section 1 Invitation to Bid		Correction:  The Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) is Thirteen Million Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (PhP13,200,000.00) instead of Two Million Four Hundred Thousand Pesos (P2,400,000.00).
BB1-2	Page 48 Section III Bid Data Sheet		Clarification on the Bid Data Sheet: ITB Clause 1.1: The name of the contract is Procurement for the Supply, Delivery, and Installation of Blade Server Expansion.
BB1-3		Will it be beneficial to PSA if during implementation, only certified engineers will implement the project?	Certification issued by the company will be acknowledged but it should specifically state that the winning bidder will be liable for the damages caused by its personnel during the performance of his/her duties and responsibilities.
BB1-4	Page 88 Section VII Technical Specifications Under Other Accessories	Are the required transceivers (x12 Optical SFP transceivers compatible with Fortinet 1000D) is it 1GB or 10GB?  On X24 Copper and x24 Optical short ranged SFP compatible with Nexus 9300. What is the exact model?	The requirement for the SFP transceivers compatible with Fortinet 1000D is 10GB.  PSA cannot specify the specific model, it is up to the bidders to submit its proposal. However, the bandwidth throughput requirement is 10GB.
		On the X6 14 sockets C13 PDU, is this for a 42U Cabinet?  Will you require the same	No, as long as it is compatible.
		brand of PDU for the RACK?  DIMM Blanks, does this	The requirement is for the UCS.



		pertain to firewall or UCS?	
		May we request for the copy of the design so that we will be guided for the planned setup?	This will be discussed after the issuance of the Notice to Proceed (NTP).
		For the x24 optical short-range SFP transceivers for Catalyst 2960L, would this be 1GB or 10GB?	The requirement is 10GB.
		What are they going to connect on both ends of the 3m 10GB SFP+ Passive Direct Attached Copper Twinax Cables?	This will be discussed after the issuance of the Notice to Proceed (NTP).
BB1-5	Page 87 Section VII – Technical Specifications Under Software	On the X2 Backup and Recovery Software. May we know the capacity of the backup software?	The requirement is for at least 12Terabytes.
	Requirements	Since the title of the bidding is the supply, delivery, and installation of blade server expansion, Is the installation of other accessories included in the scope of work?	The requirement for the installation scope of work only covers the UCS blade server expansion.
BB1-6		Is it necessary that the vendor has been in the industry for fifteen (15) years?	It is not a requirement for the technical specifications. However, interested bidders are required to submit their track record for not less than five (5) years and not more than ten (10) years for the delivery of similar product/project.
BB1-7	Page 88 Section VII Technical Specifications Service Level Agreement		Additional specifications for Service Level Agreement:  • Must be supervised by a licensed professional during installation and maintenance.
BB1-8	Page 87 Section VII – Technical Specifications	Specifications for each blade server, Mezzanine adapter (rear):  nVIDIA P6 GPU rear	This is a specified requirement and will not be removed.
		mezzanine card	

