

Section I. Invitation to Bid



Republika ng Pilipinas
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Kagawaran ng Tanggulang Pambansa
 Department of National Defense

Invitation to Bid
for
81mm Mortar Acquisition Project

1. The Department of National Defense/Armed Forces of the Philippines (DND/AFP), through the AFP Modernization Act Trust Fund with *Special Allotment Release Order (SARO) No. D-10-02850 dated February 23, 2010* intends to apply the sum of **ONE HUNDRED NINTEY MILLION THREE HUNDRED TWENTY THOUSAND PESOS (PHP 190,320,000.00)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the **81mm Mortar Acquisition Project**. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at Bid opening.

2. The DND/AFP now invites Bids from eligible Bidders for the *acquisition of Aerial Camera*. The project involves the acquisition of the following:

Lot	Particulars	Quantity	ABC	Delivery
1	81mm Mortar w/ Integrated Logistics Support	100 units	P 170,320,000.00	NLT 240 Calendar Days after opening of L/C
2	81mm Ammunition	2,000 rounds	P 20,000,000.00	NLT 240 Calendar Days after opening of L/C
TOTAL			P 190,320,000.00	

Bidders are invited to inspect the site of the project and to visit the project office at the Department of National Defense, Office of the Secretary, Manila. The Bidding Documents are available for inspection at the Department of National Defense, Office of the Secretary, Manila. Bidding is open to all interested parties, local or foreign, subject to the conditions for eligibility provided in the Bidding Documents.

Bidding will be conducted through open competitive procedures, using non-discriminatory judicial criteria as specified in the Constitution and Regulations of the Republic Act 9164, otherwise known as "Government Procurement Reform Act". Bidding is open to all interested parties, local or foreign, subject to the conditions for eligibility provided in the Bidding Documents.

Interested bidders may obtain further information from DND Office of the Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Manila. The Bidding Documents are available for inspection at the Department of National Defense, Office of the Secretary, Manila. Bidding is open to all interested parties, local or foreign, subject to the conditions for eligibility provided in the Bidding Documents.

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5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested Bidders on **24 November 2010** from the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee for the bidding documents in the amount of **TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND PESOS (Php 25,000.00)**.

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

6. The AFP/DND will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **December 02, 2010, 2:00 PM** at DND Conference Room, 3rd Floor, DND Bldg., Camp General Emilio Aguinaldo, Quezon City which shall be open to all interested parties who have purchased the Bidding Documents.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **December 16, 2010, 10:00 AM**. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 18.


Bid opening shall be on **December 16, 2010, 10:00 AM**. at DND Conference Room, 3rd Floor, DND Bldg., Camp General Emilio Aguinaldo, Quezon City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late Bids shall not be accepted.

8. To facilitate eligibility checking, interested bidders may apply for registration with the DND BAC, through the BAC Secretariat not later than ten (10) days from the scheduled submission and opening of bids for the Project.

9. The DND/AFP reserves the right to accept or reject any Bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all Bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected Bidder or Bidders.

10. For further information, please refer to:

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