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(Procurement of Goods)

PROCUREMENT OF RT-PCR TESTING (REVERSE TRANSCRIPTION POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION) SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE PTNI EMPLOYEES

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Glossary of Acronyms, Terms, and Abbreviations

ABC – Approved Budget for the Contract.

BAC – Bids and Awards Committee.

Bid – A signed offer or proposal to undertake a contract submitted by a bidder in response to and in consonance with the requirements of the bidding documents. Also referred to as *Proposal* and *Tender*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[c])

Bidder – Refers to a contractor, manufacturer, supplier, distributor and/or consultant who submits a bid in response to the requirements of the Bidding Documents. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[d])

Bidding Documents – The documents issued by the Procuring Entity as the bases for bids, furnishing all information necessary for a prospective bidder to prepare a bid for the Goods, Infrastructure Projects, and/or Consulting Services required by the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[e])

BIR – Bureau of Internal Revenue.

BSP – Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas.

Consulting Services – Refer to services for Infrastructure Projects and other types of projects or activities of the GOP requiring adequate external technical and professional expertise that are beyond the capability and/or capacity of the GOP to undertake such as, but not limited to: (i) advisory and review services; (ii) pre-investment or feasibility studies; (iii) design; (iv) construction supervision; (v) management and related services; and (vi) other technical services or special studies. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[i])

CDA - Cooperative Development Authority.

Contract – Refers to the agreement entered into between the Procuring Entity and the Supplier or Manufacturer or Distributor or Service Provider for procurement of Goods and Services; Contractor for Procurement of Infrastructure Projects; or Consultant or Consulting Firm for Procurement of Consulting Services; as the case may be, as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.

CIF – Cost Insurance and Freight.

CIP – Carriage and Insurance Paid.

CPI – Consumer Price Index.

DDP – Refers to the quoted price of the Goods, which means “delivered duty paid.”

DTI – Department of Trade and Industry.

EXW – Ex works.

FCA – “Free Carrier” shipping point.

FOB – “Free on Board” shipping point.

Foreign-funded Procurement or Foreign-Assisted Project– Refers to procurement whose funding source is from a foreign government, foreign or international financing institution as specified in the Treaty or International or Executive Agreement. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[b]).

Framework Agreement – Refers to a written agreement between a procuring entity and a supplier or service provider that identifies the terms and conditions, under which specific purchases, otherwise known as “Call-Offs,” are made for the duration of the agreement. It is in the nature of an option contract between the procuring entity and the bidder(s) granting the procuring entity the option to either place an order for any of the goods or services identified in the Framework Agreement List or not buy at all, within a minimum period of one (1) year to a maximum period of three (3) years. (GPPB Resolution No. 27-2019)

GFI – Government Financial Institution.

GOCC – Government-owned and/or –controlled corporation.

Goods – Refer to all items, supplies, materials and general support services, except Consulting Services and Infrastructure Projects, which may be needed in the transaction of public businesses or in the pursuit of any government undertaking, project or activity, whether in the nature of equipment, furniture, stationery, materials for construction, or personal property of any kind, including non-personal or contractual services such as the repair and maintenance of equipment and furniture, as well as trucking, hauling, janitorial, security, and related or analogous services, as well as procurement of materials and supplies provided by the Procuring Entity for such services. The term “related” or “analogous services” shall include, but is not limited to, lease or purchase of office space, media advertisements, health maintenance services, and other services essential to the operation of the Procuring Entity. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[r])

GOP – Government of the Philippines.

GPPB – Government Procurement Policy Board.

INCOTERMS – International Commercial Terms.

Infrastructure Projects – Include the construction, improvement, rehabilitation, demolition, repair, restoration or maintenance of roads and bridges, railways, airports, seaports, communication facilities, civil works components of information technology projects, irrigation, flood control and drainage, water supply, sanitation, sewerage and solid waste management systems, shore protection, energy/power and electrification facilities, national

buildings, school buildings, hospital buildings, and other related construction projects of the government. Also referred to as *civil works or works*. (2016 revised IRR, Section 5[u])

LGUs – Local Government Units.

NFCC – Net Financial Contracting Capacity.

NGA – National Government Agency.

PhilGEPS - Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System.

Procurement Project – refers to a specific or identified procurement covering goods, infrastructure project or consulting services. A Procurement Project shall be described, detailed, and scheduled in the Project Procurement Management Plan prepared by the agency which shall be consolidated in the procuring entity's Annual Procurement Plan. (GPPB Circular No. 06-2019 dated 17 July 2019)

PSA – Philippine Statistics Authority.

SEC – Securities and Exchange Commission.

SLCC – Single Largest Completed Contract.

Supplier – refers to a citizen, or any corporate body or commercial company duly organized and registered under the laws where it is established, habitually established in business and engaged in the manufacture or sale of the merchandise or performance of the general services covered by his bid. (Item 3.8 of GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019, dated 23 May 2019). Supplier as used in these Bidding Documents may likewise refer to a distributor, manufacturer, contractor, or consultant.

UN – United Nations.

Section I. Invitation to Bid



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INVITATION TO BID FOR

Procurement of RT-PCR Testing (Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction) Service Provider for the PTNI Employees ITB No. 2021-0010

1. The *People's Television Network, Inc.*, through the Corporate Budget (MOOE 2021) intends to apply the sum of **Three Million Two Hundred Four Thousand Pesos (Php 3,204,000.00)** being the ABC to payments under the contract for *Procurement of RT-PCR Testing (Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction) Service Provider for the PTNI Employees ITB NO. 2021-0010*. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The *People's Television Network, Inc.* now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. **Contract Duration is One (1) year and shall commence upon Receipt of the Notice to Proceed or until the 712 tests are Consumed**, whichever comes first.. Bidders should have completed, within **One (1) year** 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.
 - a. 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 *People's Television Network, Inc.* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during *office hours 9:00 am to 5:00 pm*.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **21 August 2021** from the given address and website(s) below upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by

the GPPB, in the amount of *Five Thousand Pesos (Php 5,000.00)*. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees presented in person, by facsimile, or through electronic means.

Interested Bidders may purchase the Bidding Documents through:

1. Cashier
 - Transaction will be done at entrance gate only.
 - Cashier is available from Mon-Fri, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM.
 - Kindly Inform the Secretariat at 0956-738-4512/0961-693-8333
2. PTNI's Bank Account (Land Bank of the Philippines).
 - Account Name: PTNI
 - Account Number: 3212100497
 - Email the proof of payment at bacsecretariat@ptni.gov.ph
6. The *People's Television Network, Inc.* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **31 August 2021** at **4:00 PM** through video conferencing or webcasting *via Zoom*, which shall be open to prospective bidders.

Meeting ID : 870 4233 7515
Passcode : 2021-0010

7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the office address indicated below on or before **13 September 2021** at **4:00 PM**. 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 **13 September 2021** at **4:30 PM** at **Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) Secretariat/Project Management Office (PMO), 3rd Floor, PTNI Broadcast Complex, Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City** and/or **Zoom**. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.

Meeting ID : 847 7812 1859
Passcode : 2021-0010

10. People's Television Network, Inc. (PTNI) Health and Safety Protocols during the following Procurement Activities

Pre-Bid Conference

1. Pre-bid Conference will be done through videoconferencing.
2. Interested bidders must send through email (bacsecretariat@ptni.gov.ph) a letter of intent with the name of the company representative and his/her contact detail (mobile/telephone number and email address) to participate in the conference.

3. Interested bidders must send their clarifications and queries through email (bacsecretariat@ptni.gov.ph) which will be answered through bid bulletin to be posted in PhilGEPS and Procuring Entity's Website.

Opening and Submission of Bids

1. PTNI will still require physical submission of bid tenders.
 2. The bidder must submit its bid on time with proper label or sealing.
 3. Bidder may have one (1) representative to attend physically during the Bid Opening whose shall enforce the following precautionary measures among themselves:
 - Observe physical distancing
 - Submit a Barangay Health Emergency Response Team (BHERT) Certificate.
 - Wear face mask (at least 3-ply surgical mask, preferably N95 mask) and face shield at all times.
 - Submit duly accomplished Health Declaration forms and COVID-19 Negative Rapid Antigen Test (AgT) or RT-PCR test results from within the last 48-hours before the date of Opening of Bids. Bidder may also participate virtually and watch the activity through video conferencing via Zoom.
11. The *People's Television Network, Inc.* 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.
 12. For further information, please refer to:

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Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City
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0956-738-4512 / 0961-693-8333
www.ptni.go.ph
 13. You may visit the following websites:

Bidding Documents: ptni.gov.ph/procurement/
Procurement forms: <https://www.gppb.gov.ph/downloadables.php>

21 August 2021

ATTY. JASON SHAHEER H. SALENDAB
Chairperson, Bids and Awards Committee

Section II. Instructions to Bidders

1. Scope of Bid

The Procuring Entity, *People's Television Network*, wishes to receive Bids for the ***Procurement of RT-PCR Testing (Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction) Service Provider for the PTNI Employees.***, with identification number ***ITB No. 2021-0010***

The Procurement Project (referred to herein as “Project”) is composed of the details of which are described in Section VII (Technical Specifications).

2. Funding Information

2.1. The GOP through the source of funding as indicated below for **2015** in the amount of **Three Million Two Hundred Four Thousand Pesos (Php 3,204,000.00)**.

2.2. The source of funding is:

a. NGA, the National Expenditure Program.

3. Bidding Requirements

The Bidding for the Project shall be governed by all the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including its Generic Procurement Manuals and associated policies, rules and regulations as the primary source thereof, while the herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source thereof.

Any amendments made to the IRR and other GPPB issuances shall be applicable only to the ongoing posting, advertisement, or **IB** by the BAC through the issuance of a supplemental or bid bulletin.

The Bidder, by the act of submitting its Bid, shall be deemed to have verified and accepted the general requirements of this Project, including other factors that may affect the cost, duration and execution or implementation of the contract, project, or work and examine all instructions, forms, terms, and project requirements in the Bidding Documents.

4. Corrupt, Fraudulent, Collusive, and Coercive Practices

The Procuring Entity, as well as the Bidders and Suppliers, shall observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of the contract. They or through an agent shall not engage in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, and obstructive practices defined under Annex “I” of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 or other integrity violations in competing for the Project.

5. Eligible Bidders

- 5.1. Only Bids of Bidders found to be legally, technically, and financially capable will be evaluated.
- 5.2. Foreign ownership limited to those allowed under the rules may participate in this Project.
- 5.3. Pursuant to Section 23.4.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No.9184, the Bidder shall have an SLCC that is at least one (1) contract similar to the Project the value of which, adjusted to current prices using the PSA's CPI, must be at least equivalent to:
 - a. The Procuring Entity has determined that the imposition of either (a) or (b) will likely result to failure of bidding or monopoly that will defeat the purpose of public bidding: hence, the Bidder should comply with the following requirements:
 - i. Completed at least two (2) similar contracts, the aggregate amount of which should be equivalent to at least *fifty percent (50%) in the case of non-expendable supplies and services* of the ABC for this Project; and
 - ii. The largest of these similar contracts must be equivalent to at least half of the percentage of the ABC as required above.
- 5.4. The Bidders shall comply with the eligibility criteria under Section 23.4.1 of the 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.

6. Origin of Goods

There is no restriction on the origin of goods other than those prohibited by a decision of the UN Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the UN, subject to Domestic Preference requirements under **ITB** Clause 18.

7. Subcontracts

- 7.1. The Bidder may subcontract portions of the Project to the extent allowed by the Procuring Entity as stated herein, but in no case more than twenty percent (20%) of the Project.

The Procuring Entity has prescribed that:

- a. Subcontracting is not allowed.
- 7.2. Subcontracting of any portion of the Project does not relieve the Supplier of any liability or obligation under the Contract. The Supplier will be responsible for the acts, defaults, and negligence of any subcontractor, its agents, servants, or workmen as fully as if these were the Supplier's own acts, defaults, or negligence, or those of its agents, servants, or workmen.

8. Pre-Bid Conference

The Procuring Entity will hold a pre-bid conference for this Project on the specified date and time and either at its physical address through **Zoom** as indicated in paragraph 6 of the **IB**.

9. Clarification and Amendment of Bidding Documents

Prospective bidders may request for clarification on and/or interpretation of any part of the Bidding Documents. Such requests must be in writing and received by the Procuring Entity, either at its given address or through electronic mail indicated in the **IB**, at least ten (10) calendar days before the deadline set for the submission and receipt of Bids.

10. Documents comprising the Bid: Eligibility and Technical Components

- 10.1. The first envelope shall contain the eligibility and technical documents of the Bid as specified in **Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents)**.
- 10.2. The Bidder's SLCC as indicated in **ITB** Clause 5.3 should have been completed within **One (1) Year** prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
- 10.3. If the eligibility requirements or statements, the bids, and all other documents for submission to the BAC are in foreign language other than English, it must be accompanied by a translation in English, which shall be authenticated by the appropriate Philippine foreign service establishment, post, or the equivalent office having jurisdiction over the foreign bidder's affairs in the Philippines. Similar to the required authentication above, for Contracting Parties to the Apostille Convention, only the translated documents shall be authenticated through an apostille pursuant to GPPB Resolution No. 13-2019 dated 23 May 2019. The English translation shall govern, for purposes of interpretation of the bid.

11. Documents comprising the Bid: Financial Component

- 11.1. The second bid envelope shall contain the financial documents for the Bid as specified in **Section VIII (Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents)**.
- 11.2. If the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity, a certification issued by DTI shall be provided by the Bidder in accordance with Section 43.1.3 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 11.3. Any bid exceeding the ABC indicated in paragraph 1 of the **IB** shall not be accepted.

- 11.4. For Foreign-funded Procurement, a ceiling may be applied to bid prices provided the conditions are met under Section 31.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

12. Bid Prices

- 12.1. Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall be entered separately in the following manner:
- a. For Goods offered from within the Procuring Entity's country:
 - i. The price of the Goods quoted EXW (ex-works, ex-factory, ex-warehouse, ex-showroom, or off-the-shelf, as applicable);
 - ii. The cost of all customs duties and sales and other taxes already paid or payable;
 - iii. The cost of transportation, insurance, and other costs incidental to delivery of the Goods to their final destination; and
 - iv. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, listed in the **BDS**.
 - b. For Goods offered from abroad:
 - i. Unless otherwise stated in the **BDS**, the price of the Goods shall be quoted delivered duty paid (DDP) with the place of destination in the Philippines as specified in the **BDS**. In quoting the price, the Bidder shall be free to use transportation through carriers registered in any eligible country. Similarly, the Bidder may obtain insurance services from any eligible source country.
 - ii. The price of other (incidental) services, if any, as listed in the **BDS**.

13. Bid and Payment Currencies

- 13.1. For Goods that the Bidder will supply from outside the Philippines, the bid prices may be quoted in the local currency or tradeable currency accepted by the BSP at the discretion of the Bidder. However, for purposes of bid evaluation, Bids denominated in foreign currencies, shall be converted to Philippine currency based on the exchange rate as published in the BSP reference rate bulletin on the day of the bid opening.
- 13.2. Payment of the contract price shall be made in:
- a. Philippine Pesos.

14. Bid Security

- 14.1. The Bidder shall submit a Bid Securing Declaration or any form of Bid Security in the amount indicated in the **BDS**, which shall be not less than the percentage of the ABC in accordance with the schedule in the **BDS**.
- 14.2. The Bid and bid security shall be valid until **One Hundred Twenty (120) Calendar Days from the date of the Opening of Bids**. Any Bid not accompanied by an acceptable bid security shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.

15. Sealing and Marking of Bids

Each Bidder shall submit one copy of the first and second components of its Bid.

The Procuring Entity may request additional hard copies and/or electronic copies of the Bid. However, failure of the Bidders to comply with the said request shall not be a ground for disqualification.

If the Procuring Entity allows the submission of bids through online submission or any other electronic means, the Bidder shall submit an electronic copy of its Bid, which must be digitally signed. An electronic copy that cannot be opened or is corrupted shall be considered non-responsive and, thus, automatically disqualified.

16. Deadline for Submission of Bids

- 16.1. The Bidders shall submit on the specified date and time and either at its physical address or through online submission as indicated in paragraph 7 of the **IB**.

17. Opening and Preliminary Examination of Bids

- 17.1. The BAC shall open the Bids in public at the time, on the date, and at the place specified in paragraph 9 of the **IB**. The Bidders' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance. In case videoconferencing, webcasting or other similar technologies will be used, attendance of participants shall likewise be recorded by the BAC Secretariat.

In case the Bids cannot be opened as scheduled due to justifiable reasons, the rescheduling requirements under Section 29 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 shall prevail.

- 17.2. The preliminary examination of bids shall be governed by Section 30 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

18. Domestic Preference

- 18.1. The Procuring Entity will grant a margin of preference for the purpose of comparison of Bids in accordance with Section 43.1.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

19. Detailed Evaluation and Comparison of Bids

- 19.1. The Procuring Entity's BAC shall immediately conduct a detailed evaluation of all Bids rated "*passed*," using non-discretionary pass/fail criteria. The BAC shall consider the conditions in the evaluation of Bids under Section 32.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 19.2. If the Project allows partial bids, bidders may submit a proposal on any of the lots or items, and evaluation will be undertaken on a per lot or item basis, as the case may be. In this case, the Bid Security as required by **ITB** Clause 14 shall be submitted for each lot or item separately.
- 19.3. The descriptions of the lots or items shall be indicated in **Section VII (Technical Specifications)**, although the ABCs of these lots or items are indicated in the **BDS** for purposes of the NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.2.6 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184. The NFCC must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.
- 19.4. The Project shall be awarded as follows:

One Project having several items that shall be awarded as one contract.
- 19.5. Except for bidders submitting a committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation, all Bids must include the NFCC computation pursuant to Section 23.4.1.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, which must be sufficient for the total of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder. For bidders submitting the committed Line of Credit, it must be at least equal to ten percent (10%) of the ABCs for all the lots or items participated in by the prospective Bidder.

20. Post-Qualification

- 20.2. Within a non-extendible period of five (5) calendar days from receipt by the Bidder of the notice from the BAC that it submitted the Lowest Calculated Bid, the Bidder shall submit its latest income and business tax returns filed and paid through the BIR Electronic Filing and Payment System (eFPS) and other appropriate licenses and permits required by law and stated in the **BDS**.

21. Signing of the Contract

- 21.1. The documents required in Section 37.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 shall form part of the Contract. Additional Contract documents are indicated in the **BDS**.

Section III. Bid Data Sheet

Bid Data Sheet

ITB Clause	
5.3	<p>For this purpose, contracts similar to the Project shall be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <i>Provision of RT-PCR Testing (Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction)</i> b. Completed within One (1) year prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids.
7.1	Subcontracting is not allowed.
12	The price of the Goods shall be quoted DDP <i>Quezon City</i> or the applicable International Commercial Terms (INCOTERMS) for this Project.
14.1	<p>The bid security shall be in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration, or any of the following forms and amounts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The amount of not less <i>two percent (2%) of ABC</i>, if bid security is in cash, cashier's/manager's check, bank draft/guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit; or b. The amount of not less than <i>five percent (5%) of ABC</i> if bid security is in Surety Bond.
19.3	Not Applicable.
20.2	None.
21.2	None.

Section IV. General Conditions of Contract

1. **Scope of Contract**

This Contract shall include all such items, although not specifically mentioned, that can be reasonably inferred as being required for its completion as if such items were expressly mentioned herein. All the provisions of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR, including the Generic Procurement Manual, and associated issuances, constitute the primary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract, and thus, applicable in contract implementation. Herein clauses shall serve as the secondary source for the terms and conditions of the Contract.

This is without prejudice to Sections 74.1 and 74.2 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184 allowing the GPPB to amend the IRR, which shall be applied to all procurement activities, the advertisement, posting, or invitation of which were issued after the effectivity of the said amendment.

Additional requirements for the completion of this Contract shall be provided in the **Special Conditions of Contract (SCC)**.

2. **Advance Payment and Terms of Payment**

2.1. Advance payment of the contract amount is provided under Annex “D” of the revised 2016 IRR of RA No. 9184.

2.2. The Procuring Entity is allowed to determine the terms of payment on the partial or staggered delivery of the Goods procured, provided such partial payment shall correspond to the value of the goods delivered and accepted in accordance with prevailing accounting and auditing rules and regulations. The terms of payment are indicated in the **SCC**.

3. **Performance Security**

Within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of the Notice of Award by the Bidder from the Procuring Entity but in no case later than the signing of the Contract by both parties, the successful Bidder shall furnish the performance security in any of the forms prescribed in Section 39 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

4. **Inspection and Tests**

The Procuring Entity or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the Goods to confirm their conformity to the Project specifications at no extra cost to the Procuring Entity in accordance with the Generic Procurement Manual. In addition to tests in the **SCC, Section VII (Technical Specifications)** shall specify what inspections and/or tests the Procuring Entity requires, and where they are to be conducted. The Procuring Entity shall notify the Supplier in writing, in a timely manner, of the identity of any representatives retained for these purposes.

All reasonable facilities and assistance for the inspection and testing of Goods, including access to drawings and production data, shall be provided by the Supplier to the authorized inspectors at no charge to the Procuring Entity.

5. Warranty

- 5.1 In order to assure that manufacturing defects shall be corrected by the Supplier, a warranty shall be required from the Supplier as provided under Section 62.1 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.
- 5.2 The Procuring Entity shall promptly notify the Supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty. Upon receipt of such notice, the Supplier shall, repair or replace the defective Goods or parts thereof without cost to the Procuring Entity, pursuant to the Generic Procurement Manual.

6. Liability of the Supplier

The Supplier's liability under this Contract shall be as provided by the laws of the Republic of the Philippines.

If the Supplier is a joint venture, all partners to the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable to the Procuring Entity.

Section V. Special Conditions of Contract

Special Conditions of Contract

GCC Clause	
1	<p><i>[List here any additional requirements for the completion of this Contract. The following requirements and the corresponding provisions may be deleted, amended, or retained depending on its applicability to this Contract:]</i></p> <p>Delivery and Documents –</p> <p>For purposes of the Contract, “EXW,” “FOB,” “FCA,” “CIF,” “CIP,” “DDP” and other trade terms used to describe the obligations of the parties shall have the meanings assigned to them by the current edition of INCOTERMS published by the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris. The Delivery terms of this Contract shall be as follows:</p> <p><i>[For Goods supplied from abroad, state:]</i> “The delivery terms applicable to the Contract are DDP delivered Quezon City. In accordance with INCOTERMS.”</p> <p><i>[For Goods supplied from within the Philippines, state:]</i> “The delivery terms applicable to this Contract are delivered Quezon City. Risk and title will pass from the Supplier to the Procuring Entity upon receipt and final acceptance of the Goods at their final destination.”</p> <p>Delivery of the Goods shall be made by the Supplier in accordance with the terms specified in Section VI (Schedule of Requirements).</p> <p>For purposes of this Clause the Procuring Entity’s Representative at the Project Site is Personnel Section</p> <p>Incidental Services –</p> <p>The Supplier is required to provide all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in Section VI. Schedule of Requirements:</p> <p><i>Select appropriate requirements and delete the rest.</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or start-up of the supplied Goods; b. furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied Goods; c. furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied Goods; d. performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied Goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the Supplier of any warranty obligations under this Contract; and

- e. training of the Procuring Entity’s personnel, at the Supplier’s plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied Goods.
- f. *[Specify additional incidental service requirements, as needed.]*

The Contract price for the Goods shall include the prices charged by the Supplier for incidental services and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the Supplier for similar services.

Spare Parts –

The Supplier is required to provide all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the Supplier:

Select appropriate requirements and delete the rest.

1. such spare parts as the Procuring Entity may elect to purchase from the Supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the Supplier of any warranty obligations under this Contract; and
2. in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
 - i. advance notification to the Procuring Entity of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the Procuring Entity to procure needed requirements; and
 - ii. following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the Procuring Entity, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

The spare parts and other components required are listed in **Section VI (Schedule of Requirements)** and the costs thereof are included in the contract price.

The Supplier shall carry sufficient inventories to assure ex-stock supply of consumable spare parts or components for the Goods for a period of Not Applicable

Spare parts or components shall be supplied as promptly as possible, but in any case, Not Applicable.

	<p>Packaging –</p> <p>The Supplier shall provide such packaging of the Goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in this Contract. The packaging shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packaging case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the Goods’ final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.</p> <p>The packaging, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the Contract, including additional requirements, if any, specified below, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the Procuring Entity.</p> <p>The outer packaging must be clearly marked on at least four (4) sides as follows:</p> <p>Name of the Procuring Entity Name of the Supplier Contract Description Final Destination Gross weight Any special lifting instructions Any special handling instructions Any relevant HAZCHEM classifications</p>
	<p>A packaging list identifying the contents and quantities of the package is to be placed on an accessible point of the outer packaging if practical. If not practical the packaging list is to be placed inside the outer packaging but outside the secondary packaging.</p> <p>Transportation –</p> <p>Where the Supplier is required under Contract to deliver the Goods CIF, CIP, or DDP, transport of the Goods to the port of destination or such other named place of destination in the Philippines, as shall be specified in this Contract, shall be arranged and paid for by the Supplier, and the cost thereof shall be included in the Contract Price.</p> <p>Where the Supplier is required under this Contract to transport the Goods to a specified place of destination within the Philippines, defined as the Project Site, transport to such place of destination in the Philippines, including insurance and storage, as shall be specified in this Contract, shall be arranged by the Supplier, and related costs shall be included in the contract price.</p>

	<p>Where the Supplier is required under Contract to deliver the Goods CIF, CIP or DDP, Goods are to be transported on carriers of Philippine registry. In the event that no carrier of Philippine registry is available, Goods may be shipped by a carrier which is not of Philippine registry provided that the Supplier obtains and presents to the Procuring Entity certification to this effect from the nearest Philippine consulate to the port of dispatch. In the event that carriers of Philippine registry are available but their schedule delays the Supplier in its performance of this Contract the period from when the Goods were first ready for shipment and the actual date of shipment the period of delay will be considered force majeure.</p> <p>The Procuring Entity accepts no liability for the damage of Goods during transit other than those prescribed by INCOTERMS for DDP deliveries. In the case of Goods supplied from within the Philippines or supplied by domestic Suppliers risk and title will not be deemed to have passed to the Procuring Entity until their receipt and final acceptance at the final destination.</p> <p>Intellectual Property Rights –</p> <p>The Supplier shall indemnify the Procuring Entity against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the Goods or any part thereof.</p>
2.2	<i>Partial payment is not allowed</i>
4	The inspections and tests that will be conducted are: None

TERMS OF REFERENCE

<p>PROJECT</p>	<p>PROCUREMENT OF RT-PCR TESTING (Reverse transcription polymerase chain reaction) SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE PTNI EMPLOYEES</p>
<p>BACKGROUND</p>	<p>The PTNI is the primary Broadcast vehicle of the State in delivering government news and information. In view of realizing its mandate, the Network has embarked on its “Para Sa Bayan” campaign to provide timely news and information that will foster national pride and identity among the Filipinos at all cost and at all times.</p> <p>Being the main provider of Government Broadcast and information, the Network and its employees shall always be on its toes every time there are events and happenings in the State those needs to be covered and/or featured—even amidst the dangers of the COVID19 pandemic.</p> <p>With the easing quarantine restrictions in the country and implementation of Skeletal work arrangement, the risk of exposure and getting contracted with the COVID19 disease among its employees is higher. Moreover, due to the nature of work of the Network, most of our employees under the Operations group are being deployed to other Agencies and other places outside the Metro to cover news, affairs, and events of the State.</p> <p>In line with this, the Network incorporated the procurement of the RT-PCR test service provider in its Health and Wellness program project to ensure that the employees who will be deployed in the field are equipped with the required RT-PCR tests by other Agencies and LGUs. This is to also prevent the spread of the COVID19 disease among the Network employees.</p>
<p>TARGET PARTICIPANTS</p>	<p>This project will cover the procurement of a service provider who shall conduct the RT-PCR tests among the PTNI employees, regardless of employment status by the following circumstances:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Officers and employees with pre-departure requirement for official travels which require the presentation of negative Covid-19 tests results; 2. Officers and employees who will be deployed for official activities such as coverages, attendance to summits, meetings, seminars which requires the presentation of negative COVID19 test results; 3. Officers and employees who in the discharge of official duty contacted with the virus

	Officers and employees who are exposed to or had close contact with someone with confirmed COVID19 during their report to work.
APPROVED BUDGET FOR THE CONTRACT	THREE MILLION TWO HUNDRED FOUR THOUSAND PESOS (PhP 3,204,000.00)
NUMBER OF TESTS AND VENUE	The total administration of PT_PCR test is Seven Hundred Twelve (712) thru the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Walk-in (Off Site) of service provider 2. Drive Thru 3. On Site at PTNI
QUALIFICATIONS/TECHNICAL EXPERTISE OF THE COVID 19 TESTING FACILITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Must be a Department of Health (DOH) accredited/certified testing center/facility to administer swab tests for COVID19. A proof or certification of accreditation must be submitted during the opening of bids. ● The testing kits to be used must be FDA approved. A proof or documentation showing that the test kits are FDA approved must be submitted during the opening of bids. ● Has duly trained licensed medical practitioners to perform the test. Licenses and certification must be submitted during the opening of bids. ● Capable of provided high level of technical and proficient testing methods and can provide accurate test results with a minimum requirement of within 12 hours and maximum of 48 hours from the time of administration. ● Can provide brief orientation before the administration of RT-PCR tests to employees; ● Must be on call and can perform test within 24 hours of notification from PTNI authorized personnel from Monday to Sundays including holidays. ● The testing site (offsite) must be in Metro Manila and must be not more than ten (10)-kilometer radial distance from PTNI Compound, Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City ● Must be PhilGEPS registered.
RESPONSIBILITIES OF SERVICE PROVIDER	The service provider shall: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Be responsible for the storage and supply of testing kits to

	<p>be used;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure that the testing kits be provided are FDA approved; • Administer nasopharyngeal or oropharyngeal swab (RT-PCR) to PTNI officers and employees to determine Covid-19 infection; • Ensure that in the conduct of tests, the use of personal protective equipment by medical practitioners is observed at all times; • provide materials, medical suppliers, and other necessary paraphernalia for the testing; • adhere to the guidelines on swab testing set by the Department of Health; • Responsible for the proper waste disposal of all used materials in the on-site and off-site administration of tests. • Provide the results of the RT-PCR tests through email to the PTNI focal person within 24 hours or earlier if so required by PTNI; • Ensure that no other additional fees will be collected to PTNI in the administration of RT-PCR tests; • Ensure and guarantee that all information, data, test results of the PTNI officers and employees who underwent RT-PCR test shall be kept confidential and secured in accordance with RA 10173 of the Data Privacy Act of 2012.
ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS	DOH license to operate a COVID19 Testing Laboratory; Certification of FDA Approved RT-PCR Test Kit
TERMS OF PAYMENT	Payment shall be based on the actual number of tests conducted for the month and shall be processed upon receipt of the official billing statement. The mean of verification shall be the numbers of test result received by PTNI.
CONTRACT DURATION	The duration of the contract shall be for one year and shall commence upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed or until the 712 tests are consumed, whichever comes first.

Section VI. Schedule of Requirements

The delivery schedule expressed stipulates hereafter a delivery date which is the date of delivery to the project site.

<i>Item</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Delivery</i>
1	PROCUREMENT OF RT-PCR TESTING (Reverse transcription polymerase chain reaction) SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE PTNI EMPLOYEES	712	As scheduled by PTNI. Contract Duration is One year and shall commence upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed or until the 712 tests are consumed, whichever comes first.

Section VII. Technical Specifications

Bidders must state here either “Comply” or “Not Comply” against each of the individual parameters of each Specification stating the corresponding performance parameter of the equipment offered. Statements of “Comply” or “Not Comply” must be supported by evidence in a Bidders Bid and cross-referenced to that evidence. Evidence shall be in the form of manufacturer’s un-amended sales literature, unconditional statements of specification and compliance issued by the manufacturer, samples, independent test data etc., as appropriate. A statement that is not supported by evidence or is subsequently found to be contradicted by the evidence presented will render the Bid under evaluation liable for rejection. A statement either in the Bidder’s statement of compliance or the supporting evidence that is found to be false either during Bid evaluation, post-qualification or the execution of the Contract may be regarded as fraudulent and render the Bidder or supplier liable for prosecution subject to the applicable laws and issuances.]

Item	Specification	Statement of Compliance
1	NUMBER OR TESTS AND VENUE	
	<p>The total administration of RT-PCR test is Seven Hundred Twelve (712) thru the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Walk-in (Off Site) of service provider • Drive Thru • On Site at PTNI 	
	QUALIFICATIONS/TECHNICAL EXPERTISE OF THE COVID 19 TESTING FACILITY	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a Department of Health (DOH) accredited/certified testing center/facility to administer swab tests for COVID 19. A proof or certification of accreditation must be submitted during the opening of bids. • The testing kits to be used must be FDA approved. A proof or documentation showing that the test kits are FDA approved must be submitted during the opening of bids. • Has duly trained licensed medical practitioners to perform the test. Licenses and certification must be submitted during the opening of bids. • Capable of provided high level of technical and proficient testing methods and can provide accurate test results with a minimum requirement of within 12 hours and maximum of 48 hours from the time of administration. 	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Can provide brief orientation before the administration of RT-PCR tests to employees; ● Must be on call and can perform test within 24 hours of notification from PTNI authorized personnel from Monday to Sundays including holidays. ● The testing site (offsite) must be in Metro Manila and must be not more than ten (10)-kilometer radial distance from PTNI compound, Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City 	
<p>RESPONSIBILITIES OF SERVICE PROVIDER</p>	
<p>The service provider shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Be responsible for the storage and supply of testing kits to be used; ● Ensure that the testing kits be provided are FDA approved; ● Administer nasopharyngeal or oropharyngeal swab (RT-PCR) to PTNI officers and employee to determine Covid-19 infection; ● Ensure that in the conduct of tests, the use of personal protective equipment by medical practitioners is observed at all times; ● Provide materials, medical suppliers, and other necessary paraphernalia for the testing; ● Adhere to the guidelines on swab testing set by the Department of Health; ● Responsible for the proper waste disposal of all used materials in the on-site and off-site administration of tests. ● Provide the results of the RT-PCR tests through email to the PTNI focal person within 24 hours or earlier if so required by PTNI; ● Ensure that no other additional fees will be collected to PTNI in the administration of RT-PCR tests; ● Ensure and guarantee that all information, data, test results of the PTNI officers and employees who underwent RT-PCR test shall be kept confidential and secured in accordance with RA 10173 of the Data Privacy Act of 2012. 	
<p>TERMS OF PAYMENT</p>	

<p>Payment shall be based on the actual number of tests conducted for the month and shall be processed upon receipt of the official billing statement. The mean of verification shall be the numbers of test result received by PTNI.</p>	
<p>CONTRACT DURATION</p>	
<p>The duration of the contract shall be for one year and shall commence upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed or until the 712 tests are consumed, whichever comes first.</p>	

Section VIII. Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

Checklist of Technical and Financial Documents

I. TECHNICAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE

Class “A” Documents

Legal Documents

- ☐ (a) Valid PhilGEPS Registration Certificate (Platinum Membership) (all pages);
or
- ☐ (b) Registration certificate from Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) for sole proprietorship, or Cooperative Development Authority (CDA) for cooperatives or its equivalent document,
and
- ☐ (c) Mayor’s or Business permit issued by the city or municipality where the principal place of business of the prospective bidder is located, or the equivalent document for Exclusive Economic Zones or Areas;
and
- ☐ (d) Tax clearance per E.O. No. 398, s. 2005, as finally reviewed and approved by the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR).

Technical Documents

- ☐ (e) Statement of the prospective bidder of all its ongoing government and private contracts, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any, whether similar or not similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid; **and**
- ☐ (f) Statement of the bidder’s Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC) similar to the contract to be bid, except under conditions provided for in Sections 23.4.1.3 and 23.4.2.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, within the relevant period as provided in the Bidding Documents; **and**
- ☐ (g) Original copy of Bid Security. If in the form of a Surety Bond, submit also a certification issued by the Insurance Commission;
or
Original copy of Notarized Bid Securing Declaration; **and**
- ☐ (h) Conformity with the Technical Specifications, which may include production/delivery schedule, manpower requirements, and/or after-sales/parts, if applicable; **and**
- ☐ (i) Original duly signed Omnibus Sworn Statement (OSS);
and if applicable, Original Notarized Secretary’s Certificate in case of a corporation, partnership, or cooperative; or Original Special Power of Attorney of all members of the joint venture giving full power and authority to its officer to sign the OSS and do acts to represent the Bidder.
- ☐ (j) Additional Requirements
 - DOH license to operate a COVID19 Testing Laboratory; **and**
 - Certification of FDA Approved RT-PCR Test Kit

Financial Documents

- ☐ (k) The Supplier’s audited financial statements, showing, among others, the Supplier’s total and current assets and liabilities, stamped “received” by the

BIR or its duly accredited and authorized institutions, for the preceding calendar year which should not be earlier than two (2) years from the date of bid submission; **and**

- ☐ (l) The prospective bidder's computation of Net Financial Contracting Capacity (NFCC);

or

A committed Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NFCC computation.

Class "B" Documents

- ☐ (m) If applicable, a duly signed joint venture agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is already in existence;

or

duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners stating that they will enter into and abide by the provisions of the JVA in the instance that the bid is successful.

II. FINANCIAL COMPONENT ENVELOPE

- ☐ (n) Original of duly signed and accomplished Financial Bid Form; **and**
- ☐ (o) Original of duly signed and accomplished Price Schedule(s).

Other documentary requirements under RA No. 9184 (as applicable)

- ☐ (p) *[For foreign bidders claiming by reason of their country's extension of reciprocal rights to Filipinos]* Certification from the relevant government office of their country stating that Filipinos are allowed to participate in government procurement activities for the same item or product.
- ☐ (q) Certification from the DTI if the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity.

