



**BID BULLETIN NO. 2**  
21 December 2022

Rebid of Provision of Foreign Newswire for the People's Television Network, Inc. (PTNI)  
ITB No. 2022-0019

This bulletin is being issued to revise/clarify certain portions of the bidding documents. This shall form an integral part of the bidding document for the above-stated project.

Item No.	Queries/Questions	Response
1	<p>Valid PhilGEPS Registration Certificate (Platinum Membership) (all pages) in accordance with Section 8.5.2 of the IRR;</p> <p>Do we need to register? If so, where can we? I have managed to register on the website but didn't see anything for Platinum Membership.</p>	<p>Yes, the bidder shall be a PhilGEPS member and shall submit PhilGEPS Platinum Membership Certificate:</p> <p>You may refer to this link PhilGEPS FAQ: <a href="https://notices.philgeps.gov.ph/help.html">https://notices.philgeps.gov.ph/help.html</a> &amp; <a href="https://notices.philgeps.gov.ph/help1_5.html">https://notices.philgeps.gov.ph/help1_5.html</a></p>
2	<p>The bid security shall be in the form of a Bid Securing Declaration, or any of the following forms and amounts: a. The amount of not less than two percent (2%) of ABC, 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 five percent (5%) of ABC if bid security is in Surety Bond.</p> <p>Is this mandatory? As we don't have any financial staff in Bangkok bureau, it's difficult arrange all these especially over the holiday season as a lot of people are on leave.</p>	<p>Yes, Bid Security is mandatory to submit.</p> <p>You may submit a Notarized "Bid Securing Declaration" if you can't provide other form of Bid Security.</p> <p>"Bid Securing Declaration" form is on pg. 24 of Bidding Documents and may download at <a href="https://www.gppb.gov.ph/downloadables.php">https://www.gppb.gov.ph/downloadables.php</a> under "Forms/Template tab.</p>
3	<p>Could you also send the forms from page 25 to 30 in word document format, so we can fill it out and also put them on our letterheaded papers on the required ones, please?</p>	<p>Please refer to this link: <a href="https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1-Zxp5ms03u9GHWBp9YUgW05eWdzX0V0?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1-Zxp5ms03u9GHWBp9YUgW05eWdzX0V0?usp=sharing</a></p>
4	<p>In the "Statement of Single Largest Completed Contract" is it in the Philippines only or we can submit an International contract?</p>	<p>The bidder may submit either a Local or International Contract.</p> <p>Please be reminded that the Bidder must have completed a single contract that is similar (stated in ITB Clause 5.3 of Bid Data Sheet) to this Project, equivalent to at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC.</p>

Also, in connection with the Notice of Postponement posted earlier, the bidders are also given until 23 December 2022 to submit their queries and clarifications.



All other information in the Bidding Documents inconsistent with the above is hereby revised accordingly. All other provisions which are not affected shall remain in effect.

For further guidance and information of all concerned.

Thank you.

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