

## SECTION I. Invitation to Bid



Republic of the Philippines  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Department of Finance

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The Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), through its Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), intends to apply the sum of **Three Million Two Hundred Eighty Five Thousand Pesos (Php 3,285,000.00)** inclusive of VAT and other taxes being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) chargeable against the SEC Retention Income FY 2015 for the **Supply, Delivery and Installation of Various IT Equipment**. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected during the bid opening.

SEC now invites bids for the **Supply of Goods for the above-mentioned project**. Bidders should have completed, within three (3) years prior to the deadline for the submission and opening of bids for this project, 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.

Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA 9184), otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act".

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 5183 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.

A complete set of Bidding Document may be secured by Interested Bidders starting May 21, 2015 from the Procurement Division, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, SEC Building, EDSA Greenhills, Mandaluyong City, upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Five Thousand Pesos (Php 5,000.00), pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the Government Procurement Policy Board (GPPB).

The significant time and deadline for procurement activities are shown below:

BAC Activities	Schedule/Venue
1. Pre-Bid Conference <i>Note: Pre-bid conference is open only to interested bidders who have purchased the Bidding Documents.</i>	May 25, 2015, 10:00 A.M. at the BAC Conference Room, 9 <sup>th</sup> Floor, SEC Building.
2. Deadline for submission of any written request for clarification <i>Note: Prospective bidders are encouraged to submit written request for clarification/queries prior to the pre-bid conference.</i>	May 29, 2015, 5:00 P.M.
3. Deadline for the submission and receipt of Bids	June 8, 2015, on or before 10:00 A.M. at the BAC Conference Room, 9 <sup>th</sup> Floor, SEC Building.
4. Opening of Bids	Immediately after the deadline for submission of bids

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security in any acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB clause 18. It will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address stated above. Late Bids shall not be accepted.

The SEC 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.

For further information, please refer to:

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**JUSTINA F. CALLANGAN**  
**Chairman, Bids and Awards Committee**