



Republic of the Philippines  
 Department of Finance  
**Securities and Exchange Commission**  
 SEC Bldg. EDSA, Greenhills, Mandaluyong City

**Bids and Awards Committee**

**Bid Bulletin No. 1**

Subject: **Supply of Services for the Hosting/Co-Location Facility of SEC- (Re-Bidding)**  
**SEC PB No. 2016-013**

**All prospective bidders are hereby informed of the following:**

**CLARIFICATIONS:**

<b>Query</b>		<b>Clarification</b>
Page 49 Section VI. Schedule of Requirement		
Place of Delivery		
	<p>Please clarify the exact place of delivery. Will it be at the Mandaluyong office or PICC Pasay?</p> <p>During the pre-bid. conference, it was mentioned that the place of delivery for the connectivity will be at the PICC office, not the coloc. Please clarify.</p>	<p>SEC Office – PICC, Pasay</p> <p>Only the Connectivity of the Co-location is at SEC-PICC</p>
Pages. 51 – 56 Technical Specifications		
p. 52 Telecommunication facilities		
Secondary/redundant/back-up CIR 10 Mbps connection to the internet from third party	Does this mean that whole connectivity (last mile facility including port & IP) will be delivered by a (different) provider other than the bidder?	<b>Yes</b>
Dedicated Internet service with at least eight (8) direct international uplink.	Does this mean that SEC requires to submit only eight(8) direct international uplink, excluding local peering	<b>Yes</b>
Secondary/redundant/back-up leased circuit via a fiber optic cable with 10 Mbps which is active and readily available, once the primary line of service contractor encounters problem/becomes unavailable.	Does this mean that whole connectivity (end-to-end last mile facility) will be delivered by a different provider other than the bidder?	<b>Yes</b>
p. 53 Required Services -		
Turnkey equipment relocation from one site to another	<p>Do you have any authorized provider to do the disconnecting and dismantling?</p> <p>In connection with the turnkey equipment relocation, may we request for the contract person and contact numbers of the providers</p>	<p>Yes. We have authorized providers. SEC to provide information on the existing authorized providers (Yutivo, Infostorage and Solutions Exchange)</p> <p>We shall provide you with the list the soonest possible time.</p>

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	<p>If so, any damage to the equipment brought about by the disconnecting and dismantling will be borne by the authorized provider.</p> <p>During the pre-bid, it was advised that all cost for the transfer/relocation (mantling/dismantling) shall be shouldered by the winning bidder, also it will be in coordination with the existing vendor of SEC and all cost that will be pass-on by the vendor shall be on the expense of winning bidder.</p> <p>Please advise if the cost for monthly consumption for power/aircon is included on the ABC</p>	<p>You will be liable for any damage brought about by the disconnection and dismantling. It will depend on your arrangement with the existing authorized providers of SEC</p> <p>Yes, all expenses including those from the existing vendor/provider shall be borne by the winning bidder</p> <p>Yes, the power/aircon is included in the ABC</p>
<p>Assistance in the deployment of Application/DB/OS/etc In-house maintenance service Network Management Systems Gateway anti0virus protection</p>	<p>Please specify application/DB/OS/etc currently being used by SEC</p> <p>Please specify scope of work with regard to the assistance on the deployment of application/DB/OS/etc</p> <p>NMS, is this imbedded/installed on the monitoring tools?</p> <p>Will the NMS monitor the 20 Mbps internet provided at the collocated space?</p> <p>For the Gateway Anti-virus protection can this be shared infrastructure or required to be dedicated?</p>	<p>Operating Systems – Unix Solaris 8, 9, and 10; Linux (Ubuntu, Red Hat); Windows Server Database – Oracle 9i; MySQL, MS SQL</p> <p>All the necessary assistance to make the existing 3<sup>rd</sup> Party application/DB/OS/etc up and running.</p> <p>Yes, imbedded. SEC is using Axence Nvision NMS</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Shared Gateway Anti-virus Protection</p>
<p>p. 55 Training Requirement</p>	<p>May we request removal of Accredited Training Provider?</p> <p>If Accredited Training Provider cannot be removed, specify if accredited provider pertains to SEC accredited or winning bidder's accredited provider</p> <p>Network Administration/Management/ Configuration and Security is very vague can you please be more specific on the coverage of training.</p>	<p>No</p> <p>Any accredited training center of the bidder</p> <p>At least 24 hours of training to cover topics on network administration, network management, network</p>

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		configuration and network security to enhance the knowledge of SEC staff
P.56 Technical Documents for submission		
	Must be a Local Telecommunications company in the Philippines for at least fifteen (15) years, providing voice (landline), internet & data services, with certification form National Telecommunications Commission.	Only certification issued by NTC is acceptable.
p.54 Service Level Agreement		
Table of Rebate (based on monthly IDS/no. of days in a month)... Less than 0.5 hr ---- none, etc.	<p>-Please note that 99.5% uptime requirement would instead yield the following Table of Rebate. For your consideration.</p> <p>Less than 4 hrs --- none  4-5.99 --- 1/5  6-8.99 --- 2/5  9-11.99 --- 3/5  12-14.99 --- 4/5  15-24 --- 1/1</p>	Yes, considered
p. 55 Technical Documents for submission		
<p>Must be a local Telecommunications company in the Philippines for at least 15 years, providing voice(landline), Internet &amp; Data services. With certification from National Telecommunications Commission.</p> <p>Must be a member from at least one (1) Local internet exchange, e.g. PIX, MIX, CORE, PHOPENIX, etc.</p>	<p>Please advise if the aim of SEC requiring us (bidder) to submit certification is to make sure that local internet traffic will not pass through International peering then go back to Philippines? If yes, the only Internet neutral IX in the Philippines is PHOPENIX which can support the aim of SEC, as such, will SEC require us bidder to specifically provide a certification from PHOPENIX(Multi-Lateral peering and not Bilateral Peering to address above requirement). Also the same with the requirement for Telecommunications company(servicing for 15 years), will you require minimum number of years for multi-lateral peering with PHOPENIX?(Note: PHOPENIX is commercially open since 2009).</p> <p>Please note that ETPI is operating and hosting the PHIX and MIX in its building in Telecom Plaza situated at 316 Sen. Gil Puyat Ave., Salcedo Village, Makati City. There is no other entity that could certify ETPI's membership of PHIX and MIX, except itself being the host and operator of these internet exchanges. AS part of your notice of post-disqualification to ETPI, please clarify what else should we be submitting to satisfy this requirement for membership certification for</p>	Certification from an Internet Exchange or certification from an Internet Exchange member.

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	PHIX or MIX, except for its own self-serving certification?	
p. 54 Other Facilities		
Available transportation from IDC to drop-off points	Is the available transport public or assumed to be provided by the winning bidder?  How frequent is the visit to the back-up facility?  Clarification on drop-off points – please specify location	Yes, the transport shall be provided by the winning bidder  Quarterly  From SEC Office to Back up Site and vice versa
Use of overnight rooms to SEC designated engineers working overtime at no cost to SEC	Why does SEC need to go to back-up site when bidder/provider will be the one to deliver the back-up tapes?  Transport shall be provided by the bidder for the transport of back-up tapes	For security reason, to ensure that SEC back up tapes are properly transported and stored  Yes, transport shall be provided by the winning bidder
p. 56 Monitoring tools - Two (2) units of Monitoring Tools for remote monitoring	Will the monitoring tools be considered as an outright purchase or lease during the contract term	Yes, outright purchase
p. 56 Technical Documents for submission	Can the bidder provide one omnibus certification for all notarized statement required on the BDS?	Yes, for all required technical documents for submission but separate from the Omnibus Sworn Statement per Section 25.2(a)(iv) of the IRR of RA 9184


#### **AMENDMENTS**

<b>PARTICULARS</b>	<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>
Deadline for Submission	June 6, 2016 on or before 1:00 PM BAC Secretariat Office, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, SEC Building	June 8, 2016 on or before 9:00 AM BAC Secretariat Office, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, SEC Building
Opening of Bids	June 6, 2016 1:00 PM BAC Secretariat Office, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, SEC Building	June 8, 2016 9:00 AM BAC Secretariat Office, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, SEC Building

This Bid Bulletin No. 1 shall form an integral part of the Bid Document.


May 31, 2016.

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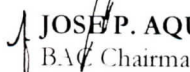
  
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