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Supplemental / Bid Bulletin No. 2

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Procurement of 177,696 ea Magazine Assembly of Rifle, M16 Series, Carbine, M653 and M4 Series (30 Rounds Capacity)

A. This Supplemental Bid Bulletin is issued to inform prospective bidders to the amendments/inclusions that shall form part of the bidding documents for the Procurement of 177,696 ea Magazine Assembly of Rifle, M16 Series, Carbine, M653 and M4 Series (30 Rounds Capacity):

	Reference	Amendments/Inclusions
Section II. Bid Instruction to Bidders (5.3.i –ii)	<p>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 of the ABC for this Project; and</p> <p>The largest of these similar contracts must be equivalent to at least half of the percentage of the ABC as required above.</p>	For the procurement of Non-expendable Supplies: The Bidder must have completed a single contract that is similar to this Project, equivalent to at least fifty percent (50%) of the ABC.
Section V. Special Conditions of Contract	<p>The inspections and tests that will be conducted are:</p> <p>A. POST-QUALIFICATION:</p> <p>The Lowest Calculated Bidder shall under-go post-qualification to determine whether the bidder complies with and is responsive to all the requirements and conditions as specified in the Bidding Documents. The examination involves documents validation, plant/office visit, and inspection and functional testing of sample goods.</p> <p>Post Qualification Inspection and Testing through Alternative</p>	<p>Inspection and Test</p> <p>A. POST-QUALIFICATION involving documents validation and plant/office visit and inspection of sample goods shall be conducted by the Procuring Entity or its designated representatives (PQ Team designated by the BAC) to determine the compliance to the requirements of the end-user as required in the bidding documents. Manufacturer’s plant inspection will be conducted, subject to the approval of the Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE). The Manufacturer/Supplier shall be made to provide pieces of evidence of the compliance of items offered to the specifications as stated in Section VII Technical Specifications of the</p>

	<p>Procedures may be conducted in reference to the following basis:</p> <p>(a) OJ4 Directive dated 18 Oct 2023 with subject: SND Guidance on the Conduct of PQI and PDI for AFP Procurement Projects;</p> <p>(b) OJ4 Letter Directive dated 09 Oct 2023 with subject: SND Guidance on AFP’s Acquisition and Procurement for Modernization and Non-Modernization Project; and</p> <p>(c) CGPA Letter Directive dated 05 Nov 2022 with subject: Conduct of Alternative Procedures for PQ Inspection in Compliance to Successful EPA.</p> <p>B. PRE-DELIVERY INSPECTION AND TEST:</p> <p>All items shall be subjected to Pre-Delivery Inspection (PDI) by the Philippine Army.</p> <p>Pre-Delivery Inspection and Testing through Alternative Procedures may be conducted in reference to the following basis:</p> <p>(a) OJ4 Directive dated 18 Oct 2023 with subject: SND Guidance on the Conduct of PQI and PDI for AFP Procurement Projects;</p> <p>(b) OJ4 Letter Directive dated 09 Oct 2023 with subject: SND Guidance on AFP’s Acquisition and Procurement for Modernization and Non-Modernization Project; and</p> <p>(c) CGPA Letter Directive dated 05 Nov 2022 with subject: Conduct of Alternative Procedures for PQ Inspection in Compliance to Successful EPA.</p>	<p>bidding documents and his capability to manufacture/supply the goods/items being required. Expenses incurred related hereto particularly travel and board and lodging expenses shall be borne by the Procuring Entity.</p> <p>Considering the travel restrictions brought by COVID-19 outbreak, the alternative PQ may be conducted through “table post qualification” and/or by VTC or other electronic means; and the adoption of previous PQ Reports with independent referencing even beyond six (6) months validity period.</p> <p>Conduct of Post Qualification abroad is subject to the issued guidelines regarding Foreign Travel of Public Official/Officers during State of Calamity or Implementation of Community Quarantine or Similar Restrictions. Considering restrictions for foreign travel during the quarantine period, the Procuring Entity or PQ Team may conduct “table post qualification” within the office, or utilize the Office of the Philippine Defense and Armed Forces Attaché (Office of PhilDAFA) of the country where the foreign bidder/proponent is based to conduct post qualification.</p> <p>B. PRE-SHIPMENT/PRE-DELIVERY INSPECTION AND TEST:</p> <p>The,Manufacturer/Distributor/Dealer shall ensure that the PA Inspection Team will be allowed to participate in the conduct of the testing procedures.</p> <p>All incidental and related expenses relative to inspection shall be for the account of the Manufacturer/Authorized Distributor based on AFP Log Ltr Dir Nr 2020-04, GHQ, AFP dated 21 October 2020.</p>
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C. The Supplemental/Bid Bulletin No. 2 shall be considered an integral part of the bidding documents.


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