

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

FDA-BAC Ref. No. ITB No. 2021-0022-ATQAL

INVITATION TO BID

Supply and Delivery of Various Laboratory Standards, Reagents, and Media for Common Services Laboratory (CSL) – Alabang Testing and Quality Assurance Laboratory (ATQAL)

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA), through the General Appropriations Act (GAA) amounting to Four Million Two Hundred Seventy Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty One Pesos and 30/100 (Php 4,272,651.30) and FDA-Special Account in the General Fund (SAGF) amounting to Seven Million Three Hundred Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty Seven Pesos and 94/100 (Php 7,308,787.94) for FY 2021 intends to apply the aggregate/total sum of Eleven Million Five Hundred Eighty One Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Nine Pesos and 24/100 (Php 11,581,439.24) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) for the payment of the Supply and Delivery of Various Laboratory Standards, Reagents, and Media for Common Services Laboratory (CSL) – Alabang Testing and Quality Assurance Laboratory (ATQAL) - (ITB No. 2021-0022-ATQAL). Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

- 1. The Food and Drug Administration now invites bids for Supply and Delivery of Various Laboratory Standards, Reagents, and Media for Common Services Laboratory (CSL) Alabang Testing and Quality Assurance Laboratory (ATQAL). The Delivery of the Goods/Services and completion thereof is required upon receipt of Notice to Proceed. Bidders should have completed, within *five (5) years* 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.
- 2. 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) 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.

- 3. Interested bidders may obtain further information from Bids and Awards Committee Secretariat, and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during 8:00AM to 5:00 PM weekdays.
- 4. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders from the address below and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of Twenty Five thousand pesos only (Php25,000.00).

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) (www.philgeps.gov.ph) and the website of the Procuring Entity (www.fda.gov.ph), provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

- 5. The **Food and Drug Administration** will hold a <u>virtual Pre-Bid Conference</u> on <u>19 April 2021</u>, <u>9:00AM</u> at <u>via zoom using this link:</u> <u>https://zoom.us/j/98823903763?pwd=cStOZkphcUs0eExmeEdsSXBiUHY1QT09</u>, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
- 6. <u>Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat at the address below on or before 03</u>

 <u>May 2021, 08:30AM</u>. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 18. <u>Late bids shall not be accepted.</u>

Bid opening shall be on 3 May 2021, 9:00AM at FDA-BAC Secretariat Room, Annex Bldg., Food and Drug Administration, Civic Drive, Filinvest Corporate City, Alabang, Muntinlupa City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below.

- 7. The **Food and Drug Administration** 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 Section 41 of RA 9184 and its IRR, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
- 8. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the FDA, please call, **MARIA ESSA C. TUASON**, of the BAC Secretariat at Tel. No. 632-857-1900 local 8307, respectively, *during office hours*, or email at <u>bacsec@fda.gov.ph</u> and visit the website at <u>https://www.fda.gov.ph</u>.

ENGR. ANA/TRINIDAD F. RIVERA, MSc Chairperson, FDA-Bids and Awards Committee

Date: 08 April 2021