

Invitation to Bid

Expansion & Improvement of General Santos Fish Port Complex – Package 1 (Design and Build)

1. The Philippine Fisheries Development Authority (PFDA), through the National Government Subsidy intends to apply the sum of **₱1,205,031,000.00** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the **Expansion & Improvement of General Santos Fish Port Complex – Package 1 (Design and Build)** located at Brgy. Tumbler, General Santos City. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at Bid Opening.
2. The PFDA now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Completion of the work is **1,170 calendar days**. Bidders should have completed a contract similar to the Project. The description of an eligible bidder is contained in the Instructions to Bidders (ITB).

Subject to existing rules, the PFDA adopts the Filipino First policy in the award of Government's procurement contracts.

3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
4. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested bidders on the following schedules and venue:

Schedules	Venue
September 12 – October 11, 2023	PFDA - Central Office, Diliman, Quezon City
October 12, 2023	Navotas Fish Port Complex (NFPC), Navotas City

The complete set of Bid Documents maybe acquired by interested bidders in the amount of **₱ 75,000.00**.

5. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the NFPC, GAD Center, Navotas City on or before **October 12, 2023; 8:00 AM. Late bids shall not be accepted.**
6. The PFDA will hold a Pre-Bid Conference **September 21, 2023; 9:30 AM** onwards at the **NFPC, GAD Center, Navotas City** which shall be open to prospective bidders.
7. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in the Bid Documents/ITB.
8. Bid opening shall be on **October 12, 2023; 9:30 AM** onwards at the given address above. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
9. The PFDA 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 the revised Implementing Rules



and Regulations (IRR) of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

10. The Department of Agriculture – PFDA does not condone any form of solicitation on any prospective winning and losing bidders by any of our staff/employees or any other party. Any sort of this kind shall be reported immediately to the Office of the General Manager or the National Bureau of Investigation for entrapment and proper investigation.

11. For further information, please refer below within official business hours:

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(02) 8925-6146

12. You may visit the following websites:

Copy of the Invitation to Bid will be uploaded here:

<https://pfda.gov.ph/index.php/bac/invitation-list>

Per PhilGEPS Advisory No. 11 - PhilGEPS Alternative Posting Tool, copy of the Bid Documents will be uploaded here:

<https://notices.ps-philgeps.gov.ph/main/index.php>

and

<https://pfda.gov.ph/index.php/bac/bid-documents>

September 12, 2023

JOSE A. RUIZ, JR.

Chairperson
Bids and Awards Committee