



INVITATION TO BID FOR *PROCUREMENT OF EIGHT (8) UNITS CAD/ CAE SOFTWARE*

1. The *METALS INDUSTRY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER*, through the *MIRDC FY 2021 GIA Project “ Establishment of Metals and Engineering Innovation Centers in Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), Regions I, II, III and X” - Machinery and Equipment Outlay* - intends to apply the sum of **Two Million Eight Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php 2,800,000.00)** being the ABC to payments under the contract for Procurement of eight (8) units CAD/ CAE Software; PR# 21040363. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The *METALS INDUSTRY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER* now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is sixty (60) calendar days from the date of acceptance of the Notice to Proceed (NTP). 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).
3. 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) No. 9184.

Bidding is open to all interested bidders, whether local or foreign, subject to the conditions for eligibility provided in the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

4. Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from *Ms. Mary Grace B. Opon/ Kristine A. Gealan, BAC Secretariat, MIRDC* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during *office hours, from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.*
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on April 16, 2021 from the address and website 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 Two Thousand Eight Hundred Pesos (Php2,800.00) only.* The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees *in person.*
6. The *METALS INDUSTRY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on *April 26, 2021, 9:00am* physically and through video conferencing via ZOOM application, which shall be open to prospective bidders.



7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through (i) manual submission at the office address indicated below, or (ii) online/electronic submission thru a password-protected bidding documents on or before *May 10, 2021; 9:00AM*. Late bids shall not be accepted.
8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 14.
9. Bid opening shall be *on May 10, 2021; 9:00AM* at the given address below or via *zoom application*. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
10. The *METALS INDUSTRY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER* 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 Sections 35.6 and 41 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
11. For further information, please refer to:
Ms. Mercedita G. Abutal
BAC Chairperson
Metals Industry Research and Development Center
MIRDC Compound, Gen. Santos Ave., Bicutan, Taguig City
Tel. No. 837-0431 local 442 and 444
bac@mirdc.dost.gov.ph Fax No. 837-0430
www.mirdc.dost.gov.ph
12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: www.mirdc.dost.gov.ph

Engr. Robert O. Dizon
Executive Director