



Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Western Visayas
Parola, Iloilo City

INVITATION TO BID FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF BIO-FERTILIZER & SOIL AMELIORANTS (BY LOT)

1. The Department of Agriculture-Western Visayas, through the General Appropriations Act of 2022 intends to apply the sum of **Ninety Five Million One Hundred Ninety Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty Pesos (Php95,198,880.00)** being the ABC to payments under the contract for **Procurement of Supply and Delivery of Bio-Fertilizer & Soil Ameliorants (By Lot)/IB 2022-55 (GAS)**.

Description	ABC
Lot 1 Bio-Fertilizer	₱31,733,500.00
Lot 2 Soil Ameliorants	₱31,732,380.00
Lot 3 Soil Ameliorants	₱31,733,000.00
TOTAL	₱95,198,880.00

Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

2. The Department of Agriculture-Western Visayas now invites bids for the **Procurement of Supply and Delivery of Bio-Fertilizer & Soil Amendments (By Lot)** with the following specifications:

Bio-Fertilizer

Lot 1:

Quantity/Unit	Description
126,934 packs	Microbial based bio-fertilizer: (<i>Azospirillum spp.</i>) with soil and charcoal carrier (200 grams/pack)

Terms and Conditions for Lot 1:

- With Certificate of Product Registration (FPA);
- Delivery should be at least 5 months prior to the expiration date;
- Must submit a quality control test result from the National Institute of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology (BIOTECH) during delivery



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Soil Ameliorants

Lot 2:

Quantity/Unit	Description
30,395 packs	Soil Ameliorants @ 4kg/pack with nutrient contents of the following percentages: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sulfur: 8 – 17%, Zinc: 12 – 15% with micro elements

Terms and Conditions for Lot 2:

- With Certificate of Product Registration (FPA)
- To include laboratory analysis of sample product
- With expiration date of at least one (1) year from the date of delivery

Lot 3:

Quantity/Unit	Description
45,333 packs	Organic Plant Supplement with nutrient content N: 0.5% - 1%; P ₂ O ₅ : 0.5% - 1%; K ₂ O: 0.01% - 0.05% and with trace elements (100 grams/pack)

Terms and Conditions:

- With Certificate of Product Registration (FPA or BAFS)
- With expiration date of at least one (1) year from the date of delivery

Delivery of the Goods is required **within 30 calendar days from receipt of Notice to Proceed** and to be delivered at the following sites:

PROVINCE	Bio-Fertilizer / Soil Ameliorants			
	Lot 1	Lot 2	Lot 3	TOTAL
Guimaras (POAS)	18,463	3,537	2,638	24,638
Iloilo (DA WESVIARC)	108,471	26,858	42,695	178,024
TOTAL	126,934	30,395	45,333	202,662

Bidders should have completed, within three (3) years (**2019-present**) 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.

4. 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 No. 5183.

The prospective Bidder must be registered in the PhilGEPS.

Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from **Department of Agriculture-Western Visayas** and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during office hours, **8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **June 7, 2022 – June 28, 2022** from the given address and website(s) below and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the following amount:

LOT	Cost of Bidding Documents
Lot 1	₱25,000.00
Lot 2	₱25,000.00
Lot 3	₱25,000.00

The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees to be presented **in person**.

6. The **Department of Agriculture-Western Visayas** will hold a Pre-Bid Conference at **11:00 a.m.** on **June 15, 2022** at the **RCPC Library, RCPC Building, DA WESVIARC Compound, Brgy. Buntatala, Hamungaya, Jaro, Iloilo City**, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through **manual submission** at the office address indicated below or **online or electronic (pdf file) submission** as indicated below, on or before **9:00 a.m.** on **June 28, 2022**. Late bids shall not be accepted. In case of online submission, submission shall follow the provision GPPB Reso. No. 09-2020 Section 4.2.
8. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Securing Declaration **or** Bid Security in the amount of any of the acceptable forms and in the following amount:

LOT	ABC	Bid Security	
		form of cash, cashier's/manager's check, bank draft/guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit (2%)	form of surety bond (5%)
Lot 1	₱31,733,500.00	₱634,670.00	₱1,586,675.00
Lot 2	₱31,732,380.00	₱634,647.60	₱1,586,619.00
Lot 3	₱31,733,000.00	₱634,660.00	₱1,586,650.00

In lieu of a bid security, the bidder may submit a duly notarized **Bid Securing Declaration** that is an undertaking which states, among others, that the bidder shall enter into contract with the procuring entity and furnish the required performance security within 10 calendar days from receipt of the notice of award, and committing to pay the corresponding fine and be suspended for a period of time from being qualified to participate in any government procurement activity in the event that it violates any of the conditions stated therein as required in the guidelines issued by the GPPB.

9. Bid opening shall be at **9:00 a.m.** on **June 28, 2022** at the given address below. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
10. The **Department of Agriculture-Western Visayas** 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. **Department of Agriculture-Western Visayas** 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 Secretary or the National Bureau of Investigation (NBI) for entrapment and proper investigation.
12. For further information, please refer to:

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13. You may visit the following websites:
For downloading of Bidding Documents: PhilGEPS
For online bid submission: dawvbacgas@gmail.com

June 7, 2022

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