



**INVITATION TO BID FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF LEARNING
 EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS FOR THE 2021 REGIONAL TVET
 INNOVATION CENTERS (RTICS)**

1. The **Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA)**, through the **General Appropriations Act (GAA) FY 2022 Continuing Appropriation of Capital Outlay** intends to apply the sum of **One Hundred Ninety-Nine Million Nine Hundred Ninety Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Seventeen Pesos and 20/100 (₱199,999,917.20)** for the **Procurement of Learning Equipment and Systems for the 2021 Regional TVET Innovation Centers (RTICs)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for all items in each lot. Bids received in excess of the ABC for each lot shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

LOT NO.	LOT TITLE	ABC (IN PHILIPPINE PESO)
1	Food Processing Laboratory	79,146,840.89
2	Industrial Automation	62,130,609.66
3	Building Automation	4,355,995.68
4	Additional Devices for Industrial Automation	7,286,349.77
5	IT Equipment	22,053,414.51
6	IT Networks	1,999,704.96
7	Security Camera System	1,675,843.96
8	Office Furniture and Equipment	11,290,287.78
9	Air Conditioning System	7,647,162.87
10	Transport Refrigeration	2,413,707.12
TOTAL		₱199,999,917.20

2. The **TESDA** now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required within **sixty (60)** calendar days from receipt of the winning bidder of the 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).
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 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.

4. Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from TESDA and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during office hours from **8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. starting 11 August 2023.**
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders beginning **11 August 2023** from the given address and website(s) below and upon payment of the following applicable fees for the Bidding Documents:

Lot No.	ABC (in Philippine Peso)	Cost of Bidding Documents (in Philippine Peso)
1	79,146,840.89	50,000.00
2	62,130,609.66	50,000.00
3	4,355,995.68	5,000.00
4	7,286,349.77	10,000.00
5	22,053,414.51	25,000.00
6	1,999,704.96	5,000.00
7	1,675,843.96	5,000.00
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The fees for the Bidding Documents shall be applied for each lot based on the above schedule of fees. However, the total amount to be paid by the prospective bidder/s should not exceed **₱50,000.00** regardless of the number of lots being bid. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees in person.

6. The TESDA will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **18 August 2023 at 10:00 AM** through video conferencing or webcasting via **Zoom** which shall be open to prospective bidders.

Prospective bidders are advised to send a request to this link (https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdaFndmZHIS-Dpcw_RW5_DWLV7j04aKrLs6opu_moQLePz6gQ/viewform) or through <https://bit.ly/TESDABACCOZoomLinkRequestForm>) **NOT LATER THAN 17 AUGUST 2023** in order to acquire the Zoom link password.

For the Pre-Bid Conference, bidders are encouraged to send their authorized technical representatives or personnel who are familiar with the bidding requirements and who will prepare the documents for the bidder to minimize errors in the preparation of bids. The bidders' representative shall carefully consider all the discussions during the Pre-bid Conference and be guided by them in the preparation of bids. Only the **pre-registered representative/s or personnel** shall be allowed to attend during Zoom Video Conference.

Kindly register before the abovementioned meeting time. Before the meeting, each participant (bidder's representative) must indicate his/her full name and company name (e.g. Juan Dela Cruz, ABC123 Trading) in the Zoom screen name.

7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the office address indicated below on or before **31 August 2023 at 9:00 AM**. Online submission is not yet available. 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 **31 August 2023 at 10:00 AM** at the TESDA Development Institute (TDI) Conference Room, Gate 2, TESDA Complex, Building 2, East Service Road, South Luzon Expressway (SLEX), Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.

For the Opening of Bids, bidders are required to send their authorized technical representatives or personnel who are familiar with the bidding requirements and who prepared the documents for the bidder. The bidders' representative shall respond to the queries during the meeting if ever there will be relative the document/s of the bidder.

10. The **TESDA** 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:

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12. You may visit <https://www.tesda.gov.ph/About/TESDA/149> for downloading of Bidding Documents.

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