

## INVITATION TO BID

The Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), through the General Appropriations Act for the CY2014, intends to apply the sum of Two Million One Hundred Ninety Five Thousand Twenty Four Pesos and 83/100 Only (Php 2,195,024.83) for the procurement of photocopying services for TESDA Central Office for CY 2014, being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC). Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at the bid opening.

TESDA now invites providers to apply for eligibility and to bid for the foregoing project:

Name of Project	:	Photocopying Services for TESDA Central Office for CY 2014
Location	:	TESDA Complex, Taguig City
Approved Budget for the Contract	:	Php 2,195,024.83
Price of Bidding Documents (Non-Refundable)	:	Php 10,000.00

Bidders should have at least two (2) completed and/or on-going similar projects within a five (5) year period from the date of the submission and receipt of bids. The description of an eligible bidder is contained in the Bidding Documents, particularly in Section II (Instructions to Bidders).

Bidding will be conducted through competitive bidding using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (RIRR) of Republic Act No. 9184, otherwise known as the Government Procurement Reform Act.

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested Bidders beginning on 25 October 2013 from the BAC Secretariat, TESDA Administration Building, Taguig City, upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Ten Thousand Pesos (Php 10,000.00) for the Bidding Documents.

TESDA will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on 07 November 2013 at 2:00 p.m. at the OCSA Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, TESDA Administration Building, Taguig City, which shall be open to all interested parties who have purchased the Bidding Documents.

Bids must be submitted to the BAC Secretariat, OCSA Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, TESDA Administration Building, Taguig City on or before 22 November 2013 at 2:00 p.m. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in Clause 18 of Section II (Instruction to Bidders).

Bid opening shall be held on 22 November 2013 at 2:00 p.m., OCSA Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, TESDA Administration Building, Taguig City where the bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives. Late bids shall not be accepted.

All particulars relative to the Eligibility Statement and Screening, Bid Security, Performance Security, Pre-Bidding Conference, Evaluation of Bids, Post-Qualification and

Award of Contract shall be governed by the pertinent provisions of Republic Act No. 9184 and its Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (RIRR).

TESDA reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

TESDA assumes no responsibility whatsoever to compensate or indemnify bidders for any expenses incurred in the preparation of their bids.

For further information, please refer to:

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