



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Agriculture  
**PHILIPPINE FIBER INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

**INVITATION TO BID FOR the Procurement of  
Spectrophotometer, Plant Growth Chamber, High-  
Performance Water Purification System, PCR Thermal  
Cycler and Analytical Balance  
(5 Lots)**

1. The Philippine Fiber Industry Development Authority, through the DA-BAR/BIOTECH Projects (R1906 and R1904) FY 2020 Funds and intends to apply the sum of Two Million Eight-Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (PhP 2,850,000.00) being the ABC to payments under the contract for the Procurement of Spectrophotometer, Plant Growth Chamber, High-Performance Water Purification System, PCR Thermal Cycler and Analytical Balance (5 Lots). Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

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<b>Lot No.</b>	<b>Contract No.</b>	<b>Name of Project</b>	<b>ABC (PhP)</b>
1	PhilFIDA BAC CA-2021-002A	Supply, Delivery and Installation of Branded and Brand New Spectrophotometer	950,000.00
2	PhilFIDA BAC CA-2021-002B	Supply, Delivery and Installation of Branded and Brand New Plant Growth Chamber	700,000.00
3	PhilFIDA BAC CA-2021-002C	Supply, Delivery and Installation of High- Performance Water Purification System	550,000.00
4	PhilFIDA BAC CA-2021-002D	Supply, Delivery and Installation of Branded and Brand New PCR Thermal Cycler	450,000.00
5	PhilFIDA BAC CA-2021-002E	Supply, Delivery and Installation of Branded and Brand New Analytical Balance	200,000.00
<b>Total</b>			<b>2,850,000.00</b>

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2. The Philippine Fiber Industry Development Authority now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Goods is required by shall be in accordance with the Delivery Schedule under Section VI. Schedule of Requirements. Bidders should have completed, within three (3) 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.
  - a. 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 Philippine Fiber Industry Development Authority and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents can be accessed on line starting June 17, 2021 and the hard copy can be purchased by interested Bidders starting June 25, 2021 (Friday) 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 amount of:


<b>Lot No.</b>	<b>Bid Docs Price (PhP)</b>
1	950.00
2	700.00
3	550.00
4	500.00
5	500.00
<b>Lots 1 to 5</b>	<b>2,850.00</b>

The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees in person, by facsimile, or through electronic means.

*[NOTE: For lot procurement, the maximum fee for the Bidding Documents for each lot shall be based on its ABC, in accordance with the Guidelines issued by the GPPB; provided that the total fees for the Bidding Documents of all lots shall not exceed the maximum fee prescribed in the Guidelines for the sum of the ABC of all lots.]*

6. The Philippine Fiber Industry Development Authority will hold a Pre-Bid Conference<sup>1</sup> on June 25, 2021, 9:00 A.M. through video conferencing or webcasting via Microsoft Office 365 Teams which shall be open to prospective bidders. Bidders should submit a valid email address one day before the Pre-Bid Conference.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at PhilFIDA Central Office: 3/F DA-PCAF Bldg., Department of Agriculture, Elliptical Rd., Diliman, Quezon City on or before July 8, 2021 at 9:00 A.M. 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 July 8, 2021, 9:30 A.M. on a combined virtual via MS Office 365 Teams and face to face meeting at PhilFIDA's Fiber Processing and Utilization Laboratory located at BAI Compound, Visayas Avenue, Quezon City. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity following physical distancing. Bidders may opt to attend virtually. Late bids shall not be accepted.
10. The Bidders shall drop three (3) copies of their duly accomplished eligibility requirement, technical and financial proposals in two (2) separate sealed envelopes in the bid box located at the PhilFIDA Central Office: 3/F DA-PCAF Bldg., Department of Agriculture, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City. Interested bidders are required to contact the BAC Secretariat at cellphone nos. 09189402419 and 09983243606 before submitting the bidding documents.
11. The Philippine Fiber Industry Development Authority 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.
12. For further information, please refer to:  
  
PhilFIDA BAC Secretariat  
Philippine Fiber Industry Development Authority  
3/F DA-PCAF Bldg., Department of Agriculture Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City  
Tel/Fax No. 8721-9813 Tel Nos. 89288756 to 65 loc. 2652  
Email Address: bac@philfida.da.gov.ph
13. You may visit the following websites:  
For downloading of Bidding Documents:  
[www.philgeps.gov.ph](http://www.philgeps.gov.ph) and/or [www.philfida.da.gov.ph](http://www.philfida.da.gov.ph)

*[Date of Issue]*  
June 25, 2021

  
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**JOSE L. CATALLA**  
BAC Chairperson

<sup>1</sup> May be deleted in case the ABC is less than One Million Pesos (PhP1,000,000) where the Procuring Entity may not hold a Pre-Bid Conference.