




Republic of the Philippines
BATANES STATE COLLEGE
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INVITATION TO BID FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF INTERNET SERVICE CONNECTION FOR COLLEGE LIBRARY

1. The BATANES STATE COLLEGE,¹ intends to apply the sum of **THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND & 00/100 PESOS ONLY (Php300,000.00)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for *THE ESTABLISHMENT OF INTERNET SERVICE CONNECTION FOR COLLEGE LIBRARY /IAEB#16-002*. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The *BATANES STATE COLLEGE* now invites bids for *THE ESTABLISHMENT OF INTERNET SERVICE CONNECTION FOR COLLEGE LIBRARY/IAEB#16-002*.² Delivery of the Goods is required within THIRTY (30) calendar days upon receipt of Purchase Order or 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 Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the “Government Procurement Reform Act”.
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 5183 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.
5. Interested bidders may obtain further information from *BATANES STATE COLLEGE* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during *office hours, from Monday to Friday*.
6. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested Bidders on *November 8, 2016* from the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee for

¹ In the case of National Government Agencies, the General Appropriations Act and/or continuing appropriations; in the case of GOCCs, GFIs, and SUCs, the Corporate Budget for the contract approved by the governing Boards; in the case of LGUs, the Budget for the contract approved by the respective Sanggunian. (Section 5(a), R.A. 9184)

² A brief description of the type(s) of Goods should be provided, including quantities, location of project, and other information necessary to enable potential bidders to decide whether or not to respond to the invitation.

the Bidding Documents in the amount of FIVE HUNDRED & 00/100 PESOS ONLY (Php500.00).

7. It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of the Procuring Entity, provided that Bidders shall pay the nonrefundable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.
8. The *BATANES STATE COLLEGE* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on *November 16, 2016, 10:00AM* at the Bids & Awards Committee (BAC) room, Batanes State College, which shall be open only to all interested parties who have purchased the Bidding Documents.
9. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before *November 28, 2016 at 10 AM*. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 18.
10. Bid opening shall be on *November 28, 2016, 10 AM* at Bids & Awards Committee (BAC) room, Batanes State College. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late bids shall not be accepted.
11. *The BATANES STATE COLLEGE regrets to inform the prospective On-line Bidders that Electronic Bidding as provided for in Government Procurement Policy Board (GPPB) Resolution No. 23-2013 is hereby temporarily suspended pending to PhilGEPS trainings for the operation of the system by the members of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC).*
12. The *BATANES STATE COLLEGE* 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.
13. For further information, please refer to:

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