



National Center for Mental Health

SUPPLEMENTAL BID BULLETIN

ADDENDUM NO. 1

Public Bidding: One (1) Lot of Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing, and Commissioning of Branded and Brand-new Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) System inclusive of All Integral and Critical Components

This Supplemental Bid Bulletin No. 1 dated **September 26, 2024** is issued to clarify, modify or amend items in the Bid Documents. This shall form an integral part of the Bid Documents.

A. Amendments / Clarifications:

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<p>ON LIST OF ITEMS / TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS</p> <p>SPECIFICATIONS:</p> <p>F. PATIENT TABLE</p> <p>3. Should be able to withstand patient load of 200 kg</p> <p><u>Recommend Specification:</u></p> <p>➤ "Range of patient Max patient weight (excluding embedded coils and accessories): from 175 kg to 200 kg</p> <p>Max weight capacity (including posterior coils and accessories): 250kg (550 lbs)."</p>	<p>ON LIST OF ITEMS / TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS</p> <p>SPECIFICATIONS:</p> <p>F. PATIENT TABLE</p> <p>3. Should be able to withstand patient load of 200 kg</p> <p><u>Answer:</u></p> <p>➤ "Provision will be retained"</p>
<p>G. MAIN COMPUTER CONSOLE AND WORK STATION (IMAGE PROCESSING AND APPLICATION SOFTWARES)</p> <p>1. Main Operator Console Computer System</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Image reconstruction speed of at least 60,000 FFT/second at 256x256 matrix <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <p>➤ 1. Main Operator Console Computer System</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Image reconstruction speed of <u>at least 2,000 FFT</u> 	<p>G. MAIN COMPUTER CONSOLE AND WORK STATION (IMAGE PROCESSING AND APPLICATION SOFTWARES)</p> <p>1. Main Operator Console Computer System</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Image reconstruction speed of at least 60,000 FFT/second at 256x256 matrix <p><u>Answer:</u></p> <p>➤ "Provision will be retained"</p>
<p>2. Application Software</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Metal Artifact Reduction and Correction <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <p>➤ "Metal Artifact Reduction and Correction / <u>optional</u>"</p>	<p>2. Application Software</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Metal Artifact Reduction and Correction <p><u>Answer:</u></p> <p>➤ "Provision will be retained"</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dynamic brain function which includes blood flow, blood volume, mean transit time, time to peak signal intensity <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>“Dynamic brain function which includes blood flow, blood volume, mean transit time, time to peak signal intensity – <u>to be removed</u>”</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dynamic brain function which includes blood flow, blood volume, mean transit time, time to peak signal intensity <p><u>Answer:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>“Provision will be retained”</i>
<p>3. MRI Workstation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> With three (3) sets of radiologist workstations with dual monitors and DICOM viewers with non-expiring licenses, Windows operating software, Microsoft Office, and tables and chairs. <p><u>Request:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>“Request to decrease into 2 set of Radiologist Workstation”</i> 	<p>3. MRI Workstation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> With three (3) sets of radiologist workstations with dual monitors and DICOM viewers with non-expiring licenses, Windows operating software, Microsoft Office, and tables and chairs. <p><u>Answer:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>“Provision will be retained”</i>
<p>H. OTHER REQUIREMENTS</p> <p>1. Accessories</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One (1) MRI compatible patient trolley One (1) MRI compatible stretcher/gurney <p><u>Request:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>“Omit the MRI compatible stretcher / gurney.”</i> 	<p>H. OTHER REQUIREMENTS</p> <p>1. Accessories</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One (1) MRI compatible patient trolley One (1) MRI compatible <u>patient stretcher/gurney/trolley</u>
<p>7. Others</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certification that the manufacturer has been in the business of manufacturing MRI for at least 20 years. <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>“Certification that the manufacturer has been in the business of manufacturing MRI for <u>at least 10 years or the bidder/supplier must be in the medical distribution industry for the past 20 years being an eligible party to enter the public bid.</u>”</i> 	<p>Others</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certification that the manufacturer has been in the business of manufacturing MRI for at least <u>10 years.</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certification that the brand being offered has at least 15 MRI installations in the Philippines in the last five (5) years and can be visited at End user's disposal. <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>“Certification that the brand being offered has at least 15 MRI installations in the <u>Philippines or international</u> in the last five</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certification that the brand being offered has at least <u>10</u> MRI installations in the Philippines in the last five (5) years and can be visited at End user's disposal.

<p>(5) years and can be visited at End user's Disposal.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>Certification that the brand being offered has at least one (1) MRI installation in the Philippines in the last five (5) years and can be visited at End user's Disposal.</p> <p>➤ "Certification that the brand being offered has at least 15 MRI installations international and local in the last five (5) years and can be visited at End user's disposal."</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certification that the brand that being offered has been in the local market for at least 15 years <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <p>➤ "Certification that the brand that being offered has been in the local market for at least 10 years."</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certification that the brand that being offered has been in the local market for at least 10 years
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certification that the manufacturer has a local office in the Philippines for the last 15 years with SEC registration. <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <p>➤ Certification that the manufacturer or bidder/supplier has a local office in the Philippines for the last 15 years with SEC registration.</p> <p>➤ <u>"Certification that the supplier / bidder has been in the market for the past 15 years."</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certification that the manufacturer has a local office in the Philippines for the last 10 years.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MRI machine should be US FDA approved. <p><u>Request to amend to:</u></p> <p>➤ "MRI machine should be at least CE or USFDA approved."</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MRI machine should be US FDA approved or CE approved.
<p><u>Bidder Request:</u></p> <p>➤ "The bidder/contractor must have an appropriate Philippine Contractors Accreditation Board (PCAB) License of at least Small B category."</p>	<p><i>The Bidder shall ensure that the Contractor of the infrastructure (civil works) component of the project shall comply with all statutory requirement issued by PCAB. A Certificate of Compliance shall be submitted by the LCB during post-qualification.</i></p>

Other Matters:

- A. Bid Security shall be 120 calendar days from the date of submission and opening of bids.
- B. Section VII: Technical Specifications - Please write "COMPLY" to indicate that requirements are met.

- C. *Eligibility requirements and technical proposal should be in one folder and financial proposal in a separate folder, with shoelace on top instead of fastener, table of contents and index tabs in words, not numbers.*
- D. *Folder of Eligibility requirements and technical proposal should be placed in one envelope. And folder of Financial proposal should be in another envelope. Both envelopes shall then be placed in one mother envelope marked as **"Original Bid"***
- E. Documents should be arranged chronologically according to the checklist issued.
- F. Color code for folders and envelope: **GREEN**
- G. Typographical error must be counter signed by the authorized representative.
- H. All other provisions on the bidding documents which are not affected shall remain in effect.
- I. The deadline for **Submission and Opening of Bids** is scheduled on **October 03, 2024, 9:00 AM**, at the **BAC Conference Room**, National Center for Mental Health Compound, Mandaluyong City.
- J. Any bid submitted after the deadline for submission shall be declared **"LATE"** and shall NOT be accepted.
- K. The BAC shall open the bids immediately after the deadline for submission and receipt of bids.
- L. Bidder is required for equipment demonstration within 10 calendar days upon receipt of Notice of Eligibility.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.


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