



INVITATION TO BID FOR THE PROVISION OF FOOD AND SERVICES AT THE OWWA SEAFARERS' WELFARE HUB (OSWH)

1. The **OVERSEAS WORKERS WELFARE ADMINISTRATION REGIONAL WELFARE OFFICE-NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (OWWA RWO-NCR)**, in consistent with the **FY 2025 General Appropriations Act (GAA)** intends to apply the sum of **Fifteen Million Six Hundred Eleven Thousand Nine Hundred Four and 00/100 (Php 15,611,904.00)** being the ABC to payments under the contract. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The **OWWA RWO-NCR** now invites bids for the above Procurement Project. Delivery of the Services is required by **May 2025**. Bidders should have completed, within **the last two (2) 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 **OWWA RWO-NCR BAC Secretariat and/or End-User**. The Bidding Documents can be viewed at the OWWA website at www.owwa.gov.ph click the "Bids and Awards" icon.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **04 April 2025** 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 **Ten Thousand Pesos (Php10,000.00)**. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees in person, or by facsimile, or through electronic means. (See attached Guidelines on the Payment of Fees).
6. The **OWWA** will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **15 April 2025, 10:00 a.m.** through video conferencing or webcasting *via ZOOM*, which shall be open to prospective bidders. (See attached Guidelines on the Conduct of Pre-Bid Conference).

7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through online or electronic submission on or before **28 April 2025, 10:00 a.m.** Late bids shall not be accepted. (See attached Guidelines on Bid Submission).
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 **28 April 2025, 2:00 p.m.** via ZOOM. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
10. The **OWWA NCR** 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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Administrative and Finance Division
Address : 2nd Floor, STWLPC Bldg., Sen. Gil Puyat Ave.,
Pasay City
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Website address : www.owwa.gov.ph

Name of End-user : Ms. Maria Luisa D. Jaurigue
Name of office : Assistant Head, OWWA Seafarers' Welfare Hub
Contact number : 0925-737-2868
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12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: <http://www.bidding.owwa.gov.ph>

For online bid submission: Please check attached Guidelines on the bid submission


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