

Invitation to Bid for Fabrication and Installation of National Scientist Commemorative Marker

1. The *National Academy of Science and Technology (NAST)* through the *DOST Grants-in-Aid Funds* intends to apply the sum of *One Million Three Hundred Eighty Five Thousand Three Hundred Forty Seven and 49/100 (P1,385,347.49)* being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for *Fabrication and Installation of National Scientist Commemorative Marker (Contract 2017-05)*. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The *NAST* now invites bids for *removal of existing plants, demolition of existing sidewalks, fabrication and installation of dodecahedron structure, stamped concrete installation, ground laying of garden soil, planting of identified planting materials, and cleaning/hauling works*. Completion of the Works is required within *ninety (90) calendar days*. Bidders should have completed 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 non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion as specified in the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act 9184 (RA 9184), otherwise known as the “Government Procurement Reform Act.”

Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships, cooperatives, and partnerships or organizations with at least seventy five percent (75%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines.

4. Interested bidders may obtain further information from *NAST* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from *9:00 am – 4:00 pm*.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested bidders on *September 18 to October 13, 2017* from the address 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 Five Thousand Pesos (P5,000.00)*.

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of *NAST* (www.nast.ph), provided that bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.


6. The *NAST* will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on *September 26, 2017, 9:00 AM* at the *NAST Conference Room*, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat at the address below on or before *October 13, 2017, 10:00AM* at *NAST, Science Heritage Building, DOST Compound*,

Bicutan, Taguig City. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB Clause 18.**

Bid opening shall be on **October 13, 2017, 10:30AM** at *NAST Conference Room, Science Heritage Building, DOST Compound, Bicutan, Taguig City.* 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.

8. The *NAST* 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 Section 41 of RA 9184 and its IRR, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
9. For further information, please refer to:

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