



**INVITATION TO BID**

**2020-05**

**INVITATION TO BID FOR THE PROJECT: Procurement of Laboratory Equipment and Supplies for the Project, Multiplication of Garlic Clean Planting Materials Through Tissue-Culture and Bulbil Approaches**

1. The **MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY**, through the Special Purpose Fund 2020 intends to apply the sum of One Million Seven Hundred Eighty-Nine Thousand Fifty-Nine Pesos only (PhP1,789,059.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract of the above project. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected during bid opening.
2. The **MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY** now invites bids for the above project. Delivery or completion, as the case maybe, shall be within 30 days from receipt of Notice to Proceed. To qualify, a prospective bidder must have completed an undertaking similar to this **PROJECT** within two (2) years immediately prior to the date the bid is scheduled to be submitted, and must be eligible in accordance with the qualifications and requirements set forth in the bid documents.
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) 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act,".

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, in accordance with Republic Act 5183.

4. Interested bidders may obtain further information from **MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY** and inspect the Bid Documents at the address below, during regular office hours.



5. A complete set of bid documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on May 12, 2020 from the address below upon payment of the corresponding fee in the amount of Ten Thousand Pesos (P5,000.00).

Bidding Documents may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and the website of **the MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY**, provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

6. The **MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY** will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on May 19, 2020 at 10:00 AM open to all prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat at the address below on or before June 1, 2020 at 2:00 PM. 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 June 1, 2020 at 2:00 PM, at the 2/F Conference Room, FEM Hall, Mariano Marcos State University, City of Batac. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late bids shall not be accepted.

8. **The MARIANO MARCOS STATE UNIVERSITY 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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