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**INVITATION TO BID
BID REFERENCE NO. 2023-043**

**“SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 59,000 KILOS SEAWEED PROPAGULES
USE FOR SEAWEED GROW-OUT CULTURE IN SUPPORT TO THE
AFFECTED HOUSEHOLD’S BY THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
CLOSED FISHING SEASON IN CEBU PROVINCE”**

1. The DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Region VII, through the General Appropriations Act (GAA) FY 2023 intends to apply the sum of **TWO MILLION SIXTY FIVE THOUSAND PESOS ONLY (Php 2,065,000.00)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payment under the contract for **“SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 59,000 KILOS SEAWEED PROPAGULES USE FOR SEAWEED GROW-OUT CULTURE IN SUPPORT TO THE AFFECTED HOUSEHOLD’S BY THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CLOSED FISHING SEASON IN CEBU PROVINCE”**.

Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

P.R. No./Account Code	Lot No.	ITEM/DESCRIPTION	Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) (PHP)
23-04-845	1	59,000 kilos Seaweed Propagules (K. cottonii & E. denticulatum) FREE ON-SITE DELIVERY (Bogo City- 8,000 kilos; Medellin- 10,000 kilos; Daanbantayan- 4,000 kilos & Bantayan Island Cebu-37,000 kilos) Delivery Period : 30 Calendar Days	2,065,000.00

2. The DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Region VII now invites bids for the procurement indicated above. Completion of the Works is required within **Thirty (30) Calendar Days** upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed. Prospective 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 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”.

Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorship, partnership, 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 right or privileges to Filipino citizens, pursuant to RA 5183.

4. Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from BFAR-7 BAC Secretariat and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during 8AM to 4PM /Mondays to Fridays except holidays.

5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders on **May 15-23, 2023; 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. BFAR-7 BAC Office, 3rd floor, Arellano Blvd., Cebu City**, and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB in the amount of Php 5,000.00. The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees *Official Receipt (OR)* along with the submission of their bids.
6. The Department of Agriculture – Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Region VII, will hold a **Pre-Bid Conference on May 12, 2023, 2:00 PM** at **BFAR-7 BAC Office, 3rd floor, Arellano Blvd., Cebu City** which shall be opened to prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through (i) manual submission at **BFAR-7 BAC Office, 3rd floor, Arellano Blvd., Cebu City**, (ii) online or electronic submission on or before **May 24, 2023, 2:00 PM**. Late bids shall not be accepted.
8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 14.1.
9. Bid opening shall be on **May 24, 2023, 2:00 PM** at **BFAR-7 BAC Office, 3rd floor, Arellano Blvd., Cebu City**. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
10. The DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Region VII 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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12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: www.region7@bfar.da.gov.ph
www.philgeps.gov.ph

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Original signed
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