



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Agriculture  
Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources-VII  
**BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE OFFICE**  
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## INVITATION TO BID BID REFERENCE NO. 2023-098

### “SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 30,000 KILOS SEAWEED PROPAGULES FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SEAWEED GROW-OUT/NURSERY CULTURE TECHNOLOGY UNDER TARGET PROJECT FY 2024 IN CEBU PROVINCE”

1. The DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Region VII, through the General Appropriations Act (GAA) FY 2024 intends to apply the sum of **ONE MILLION FIFTY THOUSAND PESOS ONLY (Php 1,050,000.00)** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payment under the contract for “**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 30,000 KILOS SEAWEED PROPAGULES FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SEAWEED GROW-OUT/NURSERY CULTURE TECHNOLOGY UNDER TARGET PROJECT FY 2024 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)
23-10-1993	1	30,000 kilos Seaweed Propagules Delivery Period: 30 Calendar Days	1,050,000.00

2. The DA-Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Region VII now invites bids for the procurement indicated above. Prospective bidders should have experience in undertaking similar project within the last five (5) years. 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 5PM /Mondays to Fridays except holidays.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders on **November 20, 2023 to December 06, 2023; 8:00A.M. to 4:00P.M. at BFAR-7 BAC Office, 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 **November 24, 2023, 02:00 PM** at BFAR-7 BAC Office, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Arellano Blvd., Cebu City and/or through video conferencing or webcasting *via Google Meet (link will be provided upon submission of LOI)*, 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 **December 06, 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 **December 06, 2023, 2:00 PM at BFAR-7 Conference Room, 4<sup>th</sup> 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](http://www.region7@bfar.da.gov.ph)  
[www.philgeps.gov.ph](http://www.philgeps.gov.ph)

*Issued this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023*

*Original signed*  
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