



## INVITATION TO BID FOR

### *Procurement of Meter Seals for Acceptance Test (2019)*

1. The **ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION (ERC)**, through the *2019 National Expenditure Program*, intends to apply the sum of **FOURTEEN MILLION PESOS (PhP14,000,000.00)**, **12% VAT inclusive** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the **Procurement of Meter Seals for Acceptance Test (2019)**, **Lot No. 2019-04**. Bids received in excess of the ABC for such lot shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The **ERC** now invites Bids for the **Procurement of Meter Seals for Acceptance Test (2019)**. Delivery of the Goods is required per Section VI Schedule of Requirements. Bidders should have completed, within the last five (5) 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) 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, pursuant to RA 5183.
4. Interested bidders may obtain further information from ERC-BAC Secretariat and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below, **Monday to Friday, 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. from 27 February 2019 (Wednesday) until 02:30 P.M. of 20 March 2019 (Wednesday)**.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents for the **Procurement of Meter Seals for Acceptance Test (2019)** may be acquired by interested Bidders starting **27 February 2019 (Wednesday), 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.** from the address below upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Twenty Five Thousand Pesos (PhP25,000.00)**.

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS), provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable (non-refundable) fee for the Bidding Documents not later than the submission of their bids.

6. The ERC-BAC will hold the **Pre-Bid Conference on 07 March 2019 (Thursday), 02:00 P.M. at the Mezzanine Floor, Pacific Center Building, San Miguel Avenue, Pasig City**, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat at the address below on or before **20 March 2019 (Wednesday) at 02:00 P.M.** 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 **20 March 2019 (Wednesday) at 02:30 P.M.** at the Mezzanine Floor, Pacific Center Building, San Miguel Avenue, Pasig 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. Please see attached **Annex "A"** for the Specifications.
9. The ERC 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.
10. For further information, please refer to:

**Ms. Cherry Lynn S. Gonzales**

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**MARIA CORAZON C. GINES**

BAC Chairperson

**Procurement of Meter Seals for Acceptance Test (2019)**  
**Lot No. 2019-04**

**Specifications:**

2,250,000 Pieces – Meter Seals for Acceptance Test (2019)

Polycarbonate suitable for temperature up to 110°C

Industrial outdoor type

Transparent Blue Color

Anchor-type w/ three (3) sets of locking arrow head

Unbreakable bridge connecting the body and arrow head

Embossed new ERC logo on the seal's body

Special Marking (embossed)

Ten (10) digit serial no., laser print black, #12 Arial,

w/ bar code against white background,

starting from 19L0000001 to 19L2000000

starting from 19V2000001 to 19V2100000

starting from 19M2100001 to 19M2250000

Length shall not be more than 30mm, width shall not be more than 13mm, and thickness shall not be more than 6mm

Sealing wire, not less than 19cm in length, copper material, Size #24 AWG with #26 AWG spiral twisted over it

Supplied in mat form w/ five (5) pieces per mat

One thousand (1,000) pieces per box

Sworn Statement from manufacturer that they shall not produce similar seals for Philippine consumption (Consularized)

Sworn Statement from local dealer that they shall not sell seals with similar design & color in the Philippines

10 samples of the proposed Plastic Meter Cover Seal

