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**BID BULLETIN NO. 1**  
**September 20, 2024**

**PROJECT TITLE: RENEWAL OF VMWARE SUBSCRIPTION FOR ONE (1) YEAR /**  
**ITB NO. 2024-41**

Please be advised of the following modifications/amendments to the Bidding Documents.

1. Section VII. Technical Specifications shall now read as follows:

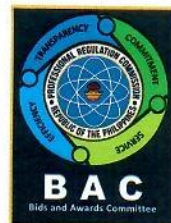
Item	Qty	Specification	Statement of Compliance Statements of “Comply” or “Not Comply”									
RENEWAL OF VMWARE SUBSCRIPTI ON FOR ONE (1) YEAR	1 lot	<p><i>Minimum specifications for subscription and scope:</i></p> <p><b>1. Virtual Machines</b></p> <p>1.1.Upgrade all the existing VSphere Software Licenses</p> <table><tr><th>Product Name</th><th>Qty</th><th>Unit of Measurement</th></tr><tr><td>vSphere 8 Standard</td><td>172</td><td>Cores</td></tr><tr><td>vCenter Server 8 Standard</td><td>1</td><td>Instance</td></tr></table> <p>1.2.Installation and configuration of virtual machines</p> <p>1.3.Adding/ replacing ESXI Host to the existing Datacenter and / or Cluster object of current Server Management software</p> <p>1.4.Configuration of Virtual Networks and Storage Integration</p> <p>1.5. Testing of Virtual Machines</p> <p><b>2. Server Management Software</b></p> <p>2.1.Installation and configuration of server management server appliance</p> <p>2.2.Creation of Datacenter and / or Cluster object.</p> <p>2.3.Replacement of existing ESXi Host to Datacenter and / or Cluster object (if Applicable)</p> <p>2.4. Testing of Virtual Machines</p> <p>2.5.Configuration of HA (if Applicable)</p>	Product Name	Qty	Unit of Measurement	vSphere 8 Standard	172	Cores	vCenter Server 8 Standard	1	Instance	
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**3. Maintenance and Support**

- 3.1. Unlimited email, chat, phone or remote support for one (1) Year
- 3.2. 5-Incident onsite support with same day dispatch of Engineer if problem cannot be resolved remotely.
- 3.3. Scheduled Annual Health Maintenance per Year, log capturing, device physical Checking and backup of configuration
- 3.4. Annual Hardware Cleaning
- 3.5. Firmware and software update based on principal's recommendation to fix certain Bug/s
- 3.6. 24x7 support coverage with 4-hours remote or phone response time covers the following:
  - a. VMware Host
  - b. VCenter Host
  - c. Physical Server
  - d. Storage
  - e. Expansion Storage

**4. Certificates**

- 4.1 At least Four (4) VMware Certified Professionals
- 4.2 At least Two (2) VMware Certified Advance Professional.
- 4.3 At least One (1) VMware Certified Professional (VCP for Network Virtualization)
- 4.4 Bidder must provide a Certificate of Employment and a letter from the Bidder's HR Department that engineers in the certificates are hired on that company
- 4.5 Bidder must provide a Manufacturer's Certificate and Reseller Certificate.
- 4.6 Provide upgrade license and maintenance support subscription certificates.
- 4.7 At least have two (2) VMware VTSP-BC Business continuity Certificates 5/5.8
- 4.8 Bidder must provide detailed Service Escalation Procedure, including hotline Numbers.
- 4.9 Bidder must have their own or with partnership to a cloud services and infrastructure running on similar virtualization that can be used for future disaster recovery or cloud migration of the agency.

**5. Training**

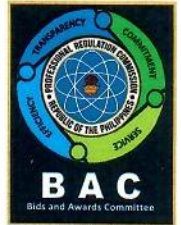
- 5.1 Winning bidder must provide VMware vSphere training with certification to at least (one) 1 NIISD Personnel.





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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The training shall be scheduled upon receipt of the signed NTP.</li><li>The winning bidder shall schedule the earliest available training within the contract period.</li></ul>	
<b>Duration : 1 year</b>			
<b>Delivery Period: Within Sixty (60) calendar days upon receipt of the signed Notice to Proceed.</b>			

1. Compliance with the statements must be supported by evidence in a Bidder's Bid and cross-referenced to that evidence. Evidence shall be in the form of the manufacturer's un-amended sales literature, unconditional statements of specification and compliance issued by the manufacturer, samples, independent test data, brochures, etc., as appropriate.
2. A statement that is not supported by evidence or is subsequently found to be contradicted by the evidence presented will render the Bid under evaluation liable for rejection.
3. A statement either in the bidder's statement of compliance or the supporting evidence that is found to be false either during Bid evaluation, post-qualification or the execution of the Contract may be regarded as fraudulent and render the Bidder or supplier liable for prosecution subject to the provisions of ITB Clause 4.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND COMPLIANCE WITH THE TERMS OF  
REFERENCE FOR THE RENEWAL OF VMWARE SUBSCRIPTION  
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SIGNATURE OVER PRINTED NAME  
OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE,  
DESIGNATION AND PRINTED NAME OF COMPANY

Please be guided accordingly.

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