MINUTES OF THE PREBID CONFERENCE

Procurement of Tools and Dies for M855 Bullet Assembly
(IB# GA-BAC-2018C-IA-24-R)
July 3, 2019 10:00 A.M.

Present were:

Bids and Awards Committee
Ms. Teresita L. Vitug - Chairperson
Ms. Avelina C. Aliangan - Vice Chairperson
Ms. Amelia Q. Omadto - Member
Engr. Jopari P. Noceda - Member
Engr. Jeffrey T. Lavinia - End-user / Provisional Member

Technical Working Group
Engr. Kathleen Donnah P. Reotutar - Chairperson
Mr. Joseph Michael S. Patague - Legal Officer
Ms. Wilma M. Espino - Financial Officer
Mr. Florencio R. Cruz - Technical Officer
Engr. Rowena N. Pineda - Technical Officer

BAC Secretariat
Ms. Rosario R. Tuazon - Head
Ms. Willabelle S. Bulan - Member
Mr. Argel Joseph Bagtas - Member
Ms. Kimberly Abbey M. Perez - Member
Ms. Johanna N. Oliveria - Member

Prospective Bidder/s
Mr. Jomar A. Vitug - Springtech Industrial Supply
Mr. Milchior Bonite - Springtech Industrial Supply
Ms. Norie Padua - Springtech Industrial Supply
Ms. Charis Francisco - NSB Engineering Design and Fabrication
Ms. Nelsa Amoto - Techline, Inc.
Mr. Ronald Bernardino - Techline, Inc.
Mr. Andy Remolin - Techline, Inc.

A. Administrative Briefing

1. The Pre-Bid Conference for the re-bidding of Procurement of Tools and Dies for M855 Bullet Assembly with an ABC amounting to PhP1,400,000.00 was held on 03 July 2019, 10:00 A.M. at the Government Arsenal, DND Conference Room, Camp General Antonio Luna, Lamao, Limay, Bataan. The Chairperson of the Bids and Awards Committee presided over the conference.

2. Three (3) prospective bidders, namely; Springtech Industrial Supply, NSB Engineering Design and Fabrication and Techline, Inc. attended the conference.

3. Mr. Patague, TWG III Legal Officer, presented the briefing on the bidding procedures. After which, the bidders were given the opportunity to raise their concerns, to wit:
B. Issues and Concerns

4. Steel Inserting Punch (Station #9)

Ms. Francisco of NSB Engineering noticed that the material to be used for this item is Caldie, per Dwg. No. AM855T2-09a, and not M2 which was used on previous procurement. Engr. Lavina responded that the material was modified during the updating of the drawings. C, BAC informed the bidders that they may submit an equivalent offer for the type of material during the submission and opening of bids, subject to evaluation by the TWG.

5. Mr. Patague asked the bidders if there are concerns on the delivery period. To this, attendees were all amenable with the schedule. As to other concerns, Mr. Bernardo of Techline responded that they have no more question since they are clarified that the equivalent material for tools and dies may be offered with literature for evaluation as stated in the Technical Specifications of the Bidding Document.

6. C, BAC reminded the prospective bidders that the documents to be submitted should be properly tabbed and that they must be very cautious on the computation of their bids.

7. Having no other matters to discuss, C, BAC adjourned the meeting at 11:25 A.M.

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Secretariat

Noted by:

MS. TERESITA L. VITUG
Chairperson, GA - BAC