



**SUPPLEMENTAL/BID BULLETIN**

**BID BULLETIN NO. 02**  
**5 November 2020**

Name of Project: **Procurement of Starter Toolkits for the Implementation of FY 2020 Special Training for Employment Program (STEP) – Processed Food and Beverages Sector**

Pursuant to Section 22.5 of the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184, this Bid Bulletin No. 2 is being issued to further clarify the provisions in the Bidding Documents with reference to the queries/concerns raised by the bidder/s.

**A. CLARIFICATION IN THE INVITATION TO BID:**

**1. On the schedule of the bid submission (Paragraph 7)**

<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>AMENDED</b>
Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the <b>office address indicated below on or before 10 November 2020 at 4:00 p.m.</b> Online submission is not yet available. Late bids shall not be accepted.	Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the <b>Main Lobby, TESDA Women’s Center (TWC), Gate 1, TESDA Complex, Building 2, East Service Road, South Luzon Expressway (SLEX), Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City 1630 on or before <u>12 November 2020 at 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.</u></b> Online submission is not yet available. Late bids shall not be accepted.

**1. On the schedule of the opening of bids (Paragraph 9)**

<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>AMENDED</b>
Bid opening shall be on <b>10 November 2020 at 4:15 p.m.</b> , at the Tandang Sora Hall, TESDA Women's Center, Gate 1, TESDA Complex, Building 2, East Service Road, South Luzon Expressway (SLEX), Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City 1630. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.  XXX	Bid opening shall be on <b><u>12 November 2020 at 9:00 a.m. onwards</u></b> , at the Tandang Sora Hall, TESDA Women's Center, Gate 1, TESDA Complex, Building 2, East Service Road, South Luzon Expressway (SLEX), Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City 1630. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representative who choose to attend the activity.  XXX





**B. CLARIFICATION IN THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS:**

**1. On the validity of Bid Security (Clause 14.2 of the Instructions to Bidders [ITB])**

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The Bid and bid security shall be valid until <b>10 March 2021</b> . Any Bid not accompanied by an acceptable bid security shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.	The Bid and bid security shall be valid until <b>12 March 2021</b> . Any Bid not accompanied by an acceptable bid security shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.

**2. On the requirement for product certification (ITB Clause 20.1 of Section III. Bid Data Sheet and GCC Clause 4 of Section V. Special Conditions of the Contract)**

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xxx  Products covered by BPS Mandatory Product Certification Schemes, whether locally manufactured or imported or required to bear ICC and PS marks before being distributed in the Philippine market, as applicable. For ready reference, attached as Annex A is the list of items requiring ICC and PS marks.  Imported products (for electronic products) should pass international quality control product standards and have international quality control product markings such as CE, ISO, ASTM, ASQC, AFCIQ, ASQ, DGQ, EOQC, IQA, and the like.	xxx  Products covered by BPS Mandatory Product Certification Schemes, whether locally manufactured or imported should pass the Local Quality Control Product and bear ICC and PS marks, as applicable. For ready reference, attached as Annex A is the list of items requiring ICC and PS marks.  Imported products (for electronic products) should pass the international quality control product standards and have international quality control product markings such as but not limited to CE, ISO, ASTM, ASQC, AFCIQ, ASQ, DGQ, EOQC, and IQA.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

  
**DDG LINA C. SARMIENTO,**  
 Chairperson  
 Bids and Awards Committee