



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SEC Building, EDSA, Greenhills
City of Mandaluyong, Metro Manila

INVITATION TO APPLY FOR ELIGIBILITY AND TO BID

The Securities and Exchange Commission, through its Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), invites qualified local bidders to apply for eligibility and to bid for the supply and delivery of the following newspapers (broadsheet) and international magazines for a period of One (1) year:

Items	Quantity	ABC
Local Newspapers (broadsheet)	1 lot	P 195,306.30
Foreign Newspapers (broadsheet)	1 lot	P 32,800.00
International Magazines	1 lot	P 32,333.00

The Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) is **TWO HUNDRED SIXTY THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY NINE PESOS AND 30/100 CVTS. (P260,439.30).**

A complete set of bidding documents may be obtained starting **July 22, 2009** at the General Services Division, 4th floor, SEC Building, EDSA, Greenhills, Mandaluyong City, upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Five Hundred Pesos (**P500.00**). For further details, please contact Mr. Norlan M. De las Alas at Tel. No. 584-5330. Only those bidders who purchased the Bid Documents are allowed to attend the Pre-Bid Conference.

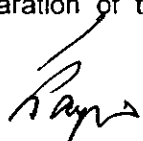
Pre-Bid conference will be on **July 28, 2009, 10:00 A.M.** at the Conference Room of the Economic Research and Information Department (ERID), 7th Floor, SEC Building, EDSA, Greenhills, Mandaluyong City.

The deadline for submission of sealed bids will be on **August 11, 2009 at 10:00 A.M.** to General Services Division at the 4th floor, SEC Building and immediately thereafter, opening of bids will be held at the Conference Room of the Economic Research and Information Department (ERID), 7th Floor, SEC Building.

Republic Act No. 9184 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations shall govern all particulars relative to Eligibility, Bid Bond, Pre-Bid Conference, Bid Evaluation, Post Qualification and Awards of Contracts.

The SEC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to waive any required formalities or defects found therein and to annul the bidding process, and reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder/s and to accept only such bids most advantageous to the Commission.

SEC assumes no obligation whatsoever to compensate or indemnify the bidder for any expense or loss that may be incurred in the preparation of the bids, nor does it guarantee that any award will be made.


JOSE AQUINO
Chairman
Bids and Awards Committee