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BIDDING DOCUMENTS

**“PROCUREMENT OF SERVICES OF A
CONSULTING FIRM TO CONDUCT VALUATION
STUDY FOR CULTURAL AND OTHER
ECOSYSTEM SERVICES IN NINOY AQUINO
PARKS AND WILDLIFE CENTER UNDER THE
AFOCO-DENR FRESH PROJECT”**

ABC: P4,155,925.75

PART I

**BIDS AND AWARDS
COMMITTEE**

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Section I. Request for Expression of Interest



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST No. 2025-004

PROCUREMENT OF SERVICES OF A CONSULTING FIRM TO CONDUCT VALUATION STUDY FOR CULTURAL AND OTHER ECOSYSTEM SERVICES IN NINOY AQUINO PARKS AND WILDLIFE CENTER UNDER THE AFOCO-DENR FRESH PROJECT

1. The Government of the Philippines (GoP) has received a *Grant* from the *AFOCO-DENR Fresh Project*, through the *Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB) Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center (NAPWC)* toward the cost of *Four Million One Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Five Pesos and Seventy-Five Centavos (P4,155,925.75)*, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this *Grant* to payments under the contract for the *Procurement of Services of a Consulting Firm to Conduct Valuation Study for Cultural and Other Ecosystem Services Valuation Study in Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center under the AFOCO-DENR Fresh Project*.
2. The Biodiversity Management Bureau now calls for the submission of eligibility documents for the subject services. Eligibility documents of interested consultants must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat on or before **March 18, 2025**, not later than **1:00pm** at the *BAC Secretariat at the Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center, Quezon Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City*. Applications for eligibility will be evaluated based on a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion.
3. Interested bidders may obtain further information from BMB-BAC Secretariat and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from Monday to Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00p.m.
4. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **March 6, 2025** from the address below.

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

5. The BAC shall draw up the short list of consultants from those who have submitted Expression of Interest, including the eligibility documents, and have been determined as eligible in accordance with the provisions of Republic Act 9184 (RA 9184), otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act", and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR). The short list shall consist of top five (5) prospective bidders who will be entitled to submit bids. The criteria and rating system for shortlisting are:



<i>CRITERIA</i>	<i>WEIGHT</i>
<i>1. Track Record of Consulting Firm</i>	<i>70</i>
<i>2. Individual Qualifications of Team Members</i>	<i>30</i>
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>100</i>

6. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with relevant procedures for open competitive bidding as specified in the IRR of RA 9184 with some amendments, as stated in these bidding documents and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the applicable guidelines of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).
7. The Procuring Entity shall evaluate bids using the *Quality-Based Evaluation (QBE)*, procedure. The criteria and rating system for the evaluation of bids shall be provided in the Instructions to Bidders.
8. The contract shall be completed within six (6) months.
9. The *Biodiversity Management Bureau* 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:

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 ANSON M. TACTAG
 Chairperson, BAC

Section II. TERMS OF REFERENCE

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PROCUREMENT OF SERVICES OF A CONSULTING FIRM TO CONDUCT VALUATION STUDY FOR CULTURAL AND OTHER ECOSYSTEM SERVICES IN NINOY AQUINO PARKS AND WILDLIFE CENTER UNDER THE AFOCO-DENR FRESH PROJECT

I. Background

The Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), with funding from the Asian Forest Cooperation Organization (AFoCO), is implementing the Project entitled "Ensuring Functioning of Cultural Ecosystem Services in an Urban Setting: Assimilating Nature for Forest Healing and Experiential Learning in Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center" or the AFoCO-DENR FRESH Project. The Project's main goal is to contribute to the realization of various ecosystem services (ES) from the protection and development of NAPWC. Specifically, the project aims to:

- 1). Assess and value Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) in the NAPWC;
- 2). Assimilate nature in an urban setting and to establish a model for forest healing and experiential learning; promoting the contribution of forests and biodiversity to human health and well-being; and
- 3). Develop policy recommendations; enhancing policies relevant to urban forest development and protection (policies that promote cultural ecosystem services in urban setting).

II. Objective

The Objective of this consultancy is to study and value Cultural and other Ecosystem Services (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) of the Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center, a 23.85-ha legislated Protected Area located within the metropolis.

III. Scope of Work

The scope of work of this Terms of Reference is beyond the optimum in-house capability of the procuring entity and is consistent with the Government's policy not to compete with the private sector as indicated in Item 2 Annex "B" of the 2016 Implementing Rules and Regulation of RA 9184.

Specifically, the scope of services is as follows:

1. Prepare and submit a work program which includes the time frame for each activities and output as required by the Biodiversity Management Bureau;
2. Conduct stocktaking on the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating,

- and Supporting) Valuation, including data from Quezon City – Local Government Unit;
3. Gather data relevant to the valuation of Cultural and other ES of the Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center (NAPWC);
 4. Develop the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) valuation instruments using but not limited to the following tools: Cost-Benefit Analysis (CBA), Contingent Valuation Method (CVM), Travel Cost Method (TCM) and Participatory Method, to be used for the actual conduct of data gathering and analysis;
 5. Submit monthly progress (milestone) reports to the end-user. All reports shall be in hard and electronic copy and addressed to the BMB Director;
 6. Prepare and finalize a Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report following this general outline:
 - i. Executive Summary
 - ii. Introduction
 - iii. Literature Review
 - iv. Methodology
 - v. Result of Ecosystem Valuation on:
 1. Cultural Ecosystem Services
 2. Provisioning Ecosystem Services
 3. Regulating Ecosystem Services
 4. Supporting Ecosystem Services
 - vi. References
 - vii. Annexes

*This shall include maps, photographs, minutes of meeting, documentations, questionnaires, raw data, local ordinances, DENR policies, etc.

7. Organize, conduct and facilitate the consultation workshop on the presentation, review and finalization of the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report;
8. Organize and convene the relevant stakeholders (including but not limited to the AFoCO FRESH Project Steering Committee (PSC), Project Technical Committee (PTC), Project Management Office (PMO), Project Site Management Office and NAPWC Management Board) and present the final result of the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report to the AFoCO – PSC, PTC, PMO, NAPWC Management Board during their regular or special meeting before the end of the contract.
9. Attend other activities related to the project as may be deemed necessary.

IV. Deliverables

1. Work Program for the period of six (6) months.
2. Monthly progress reports.
3. Report on the conducted stocktaking activity.
4. Proceedings of the Consultation Workshop.
5. Proceedings of the final workshop/forum convened to present the final result of the study.
6. Hard and electronic copy of the developed Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation instruments using but not limited to the following tools: Cost-Benefit Analysis (CBA), Contingent Valuation Method (CVM), Travel Cost Method (TCM) and Participatory Method, to be used for the actual conduct of data gathering and analysis;
7. Three (3) hard copies of the gathered raw data from various valuation tools used and its electronic copy.
8. Three (3) hard copies and an electronic copy of Draft Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report in NAPWC.
9. Three (3) hard copies and an electronic copy of Final Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report in NAPWC.

V. Minimum Qualifications and Requirements

To ensure that the outputs are achieved, this engagement must be conducted by consulting firm, specializing on ecosystem valuation with a qualified team of experts of the following:

Team Members	Minimum Qualification Requirements
Team Leader	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. At least Master's Degree in Economics, Environmental Economic, Statistics, Social Sciences and/or other related courses. 2. At least five (5) years of progressive experience in natural resources accounting and valuation, and/or planning and managing NRM. 3. At least two (2) years of practical experience in facilitating consultation workshops, FGD, conducting surveys, and developing survey questionnaires. 4. Prepared/Developed at least two (2) sample works natural resources accounting and valuation, and/or planning and managing NRM. 5. Must not have a current assignment/role similar in the nature of work or duties in other project(s) in current firm/other firm.
Forester (major in social-forestry)/ Socio-economist	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. At least a master's degree in forestry, sociology, economics, human ecology, or any related fields. 2. At least five (5) years of professional experience in social, cultural, and economic assessments, biodiversity assessment, natural resources valuation, community organizing and development, capacity-building and livelihood development. 3. At least three (3) years of experience dealing with local communities and other stakeholders. 4. At least two (2) years of practical experience in facilitating consultation workshops and FGD. 5. Prepared/Developed at least one (1) sample/report on social forestry, cultural and economic assessment, biodiversity assessments, and community organizing and development.

GIS Specialist	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. At least a bachelor's degree in information technology, civil engineering, computer science, forestry, environmental studies or other related fields. 2. At least five (5) years of professional experience in database, GIS system management and GIS mapping as well as experience in natural resources management, land management, or conservation planning information systems. 3. At least two (2) years of professional experience in gathering and processing data using drone technology. 4. Prepared/Developed at least two (2) sample maps on natural resources management, land management, or conservation planning information systems.
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Moreover, the consulting firm must to be engaged must have the following qualifications:

1. At least five years of experience specializing in ecosystem valuation and natural resource management (NRM).
2. Completed at least two similar projects within the past five years, demonstrating expertise in the valuation of natural resources, environmental economics, or related fields.
3. Well-rounded team consisting of experts in various fields such as economics, social sciences, forestry, and environmental studies, as specified in the individual team members' qualifications.
4. Have a proven track record in conducting research and developing methodologies in natural resources accounting, economic valuation, and environmental assessment.
5. Must have available equipment to be used for mapping activities.

VI. Timetable and Schedule of Activities

The consultant is expected to deliver outputs within six (6) months after acceptance of Notice to Proceed (NTP).

ACTIVITY	MONTH					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Prepare and submit a work program which includes the time frame for each activity and output as required by the Biodiversity Management Bureau.						
2. Conduct stocktaking on the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation.						
3. Gather data relevant to the valuation of Cultural and other ES of the Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center (NAPWC).						
4. Develop the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) valuation instruments using but not limited to the following tools: Cost-Benefit Analysis (CBA), Contingent Valuation Method (CVM), Travel Cost Method (TCM) and Participatory Method, to be used for the actual conduct of data gathering and analysis.						
5. Actual conduct of Data Gathering, processing and valuation activity.						
6. Prepare and finalize the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report for further review and assessment.						
7. Organize, conduct and facilitate the consultation workshop on the presentation, review and finalization of the Cultural and other ES Valuation Study Report.						
8. Organize and convene the relevant stakeholders (including but not limited to the AFoCO FRESH Project Steering Committee (PSC), Project Technical Committee (PTC), Project Management Office (PMO), Project Site Management Office and NAPWC Management Board) and present the final result of the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning,						

Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report to the AFoCO – PSC, PTC, PMO, NAPWC Management Board during their regular or special meeting before the end of the contract.						
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VII. Contract Price and Schedule of Payment

The approved budget for this Consultancy Services is equivalent to **Four Million One Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Five Pesos and Seventy-Five Centavos (PhP4,155,925.75) inclusive of tax**, which shall be paid in tranches based on the following:

PAYMENT TRANCHE	PERCENTAGE	AMOUNT IN PESO	Output/Deliverables
First Tranche	10%	PhP 415,592.58	After signing of contract and submission and acceptance of Inception Report
Second Tranche	20%	PhP 831,185.15	Upon the conduct of stocktaking, data gathering and after the submission and acceptance of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Stocktaking report; and b. Develop the Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation using but not limited to the following tools: Cost-Benefit Analysis (CBA), Contingent Valuation Method (CVM), Travel Cost Method (TCM) and Participatory Method.

Third Tranche	35%	PhP 1,454,574.01	Upon submission and acceptance of the following: a. Three (3) copies of gathered raw and electronic copy; and b. Three (3) copies of the draft Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report.
Fourth Tranche	35%	PhP 1,454,574.01	Upon conducting a consultation meeting to review, assess and finalize the ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report, and upon submission and acceptance of the three (3) hard copies and an electronic copy of Final Cultural and other ES (Provisioning, Regulating, and Supporting) Valuation Study Report in NAPWC.
TOTAL	100%	PhP 4,155,925.75	

VIII. Method of Evaluation

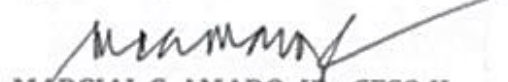
The proposal will be evaluated using Quality-Based Evaluation(QBE) based on RA 9184 and its IRR which will only consider the Technical Proposals in the ranking of consulting firms. The top three consulting firms will be shortlisted.

Criteria	Percentage
Qualification of Team (Track Record)	70%
Qualification of Team Members	30%
Total	100%

IX. Management and Reporting Arrangements

The Consultant shall be contracted by the AFoCO-DENR FRESH Project through the DENR - Biodiversity Management Bureau and shall be under the direct supervision of the AFoCO-DENR FRESH Project Site Manager.

Approved by:


MARCIAL C. AMARO, JR., CESO II
The Assistant Secretary for Biodiversity and Concurrent
Director, Biodiversity Management Bureau

Section III. Eligibility Documents

1. Eligibility Criteria

- 1.1. The following persons/entities shall be allowed to participate in the bidding for Consulting Services:
 - (a) Duly licensed Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships;
 - (b) Partnerships duly organized under the laws of the Philippines and of which at least sixty percent (60%) of the interest belongs to citizens of the Philippines;
 - (c) Corporations duly organized under the laws of the Philippines and of which at least sixty percent (60%) of the outstanding capital stock belongs to citizens of the Philippines;
 - (d) Cooperatives duly organized under the laws of the Philippines; or
 - (e) Persons/entities forming themselves into a joint venture, *i.e.*, a group of two (2) or more persons/entities that intend to be jointly and severally responsible or liable for a particular contract: Provided, however, That Filipino ownership or interest thereof shall be at least sixty percent (60%). For this purpose, Filipino ownership or interest shall be based on the contributions of each of the members of the joint venture as specified in their JVA.
- 1.2. When the types and fields of Consulting Services involve the practice of professions regulated by law, those who will actually perform the services shall be Filipino citizens and registered professionals authorized by the appropriate regulatory body to practice those professions and allied professions specified in the **EDS**.
- 1.3. If the Request for Expression of Interest allows participation of foreign consultants, prospective foreign bidders may be eligible subject to the conditions stated in the **EDS**.
- 1.4. Government owned or -controlled corporations (GOCCs) may be eligible to participate only if they can establish that they (a) are legally and financially autonomous, (b) operate under commercial law, and (c) are not attached agencies of the Procuring Entity.

2. Eligibility Requirements

- 2.1. The following eligibility requirements, together with the Eligibility Documents Submission Form, shall be submitted on or before the date of the eligibility check specified in the Request for Expression of Interest and Clause 5 for purposes of determining eligibility of prospective bidders:
 - (a) Class "A" Documents –

Legal Documents

- (i) PhilGEPS Certificate of Registration and Membership in accordance with Section 8.5.2 of the IRR, except for foreign bidders participating in the procurement by a Philippine Foreign Service Office or Post, which shall submit their eligibility documents under Section 24.1 of the IRR, provided, that the winning Consultant shall register with PhilGEPS in accordance with Section 37.1.4 of the IRR;

Technical Documents

- (ii) Statement of the prospective bidder of all its ongoing and completed government and private contracts, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any, whether similar or not similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid, within the relevant period provided in the **EDS**. The statement shall include, for each contract, the following:
 - (ii.1) the name and location of the contract;
 - (ii.2) date of award of the contract;
 - (ii.3) type and brief description of consulting services (with details of the final outputs/deliverables);
 - (ii.4) consultant's role (whether main consultant, subconsultant, or partner in a JV)
 - (ii.5) amount of contract;
 - (ii.6) contract duration (with details if extended or terminated); and
 - (ii.7) certificate of satisfactory completion or equivalent document specified in the **EDS** issued by the client, in the case of a completed contract;
- (iii) Statement of the consultant specifying its nationality and confirming that those who will actually perform the service are registered professionals authorized by the appropriate regulatory body to practice those professions and allied professions in accordance with Clause 1.2, including their respective curriculum vitae.

(b) Class “B” Document –

If applicable, the Joint Venture Agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is already in existence, or duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners in accordance with Section 24.1(b) of the IRR of RA 9184.

- 2.2. The eligibility requirements or statements, the bids, and all other documents to be submitted to the BAC must be in English. If the eligibility requirements or statements, the bids, and all other documents submitted to the BAC are in foreign language other than English, it must be accompanied by a translation of the documents in English. The documents shall be translated by the relevant foreign government agency, the foreign government agency authorized to translate documents, or a registered translator in the foreign bidder’s country; and shall be authenticated by the appropriate Philippine foreign service establishment/post or the equivalent office having jurisdiction over the foreign bidder’s affairs in the Philippines. The English translation shall govern, for purposes of interpretation of the bid.
- 2.3. Prospective bidders may obtain a full range of expertise by associating with individual consultant(s) and/or other consultants or entities through a JV or subcontracting arrangements, as appropriate. However, subconsultants may only participate in the bid of one short listed consultant. Foreign Consultants shall seek the participation of Filipino Consultants by entering into a JV with, or subcontracting part of the project to, Filipino Consultants.

3. Format and Signing of Eligibility Documents

- 3.1. Prospective bidders shall submit their eligibility documents in **hard copy** through their duly authorized representative on or before the deadline specified in Clause 5. Electronic submission of eligibility documents will not be accepted.
- 3.2. Prospective bidders shall prepare an original and copies of the eligibility documents. In the event of any discrepancy between the original and the copies, the original shall prevail.
- 3.3. The Eligibility Documents Submission Form shall be signed by the duly authorized representative/s of the Bidder. Failure to do so shall be a ground for the rejection of the eligibility documents.
- 3.4. Any interlineations, erasures, or overwriting shall be valid only if they are signed or initialed by the duly authorized representative/s of the prospective bidder.

4. **Sealing and Marking of Eligibility Documents**

- 4.1. Prospective bidders shall enclose their original eligibility documents described in Clause 2.1, in a sealed envelope marked “ORIGINAL – ELIGIBILITY DOCUMENTS”. Each copy thereof shall be similarly sealed duly marking the envelopes as “COPY NO. ___ - ELIGIBILITY DOCUMENTS”. These envelopes containing the original and the copies shall then be enclosed in one single envelope.
- 4.2. The original and the number of copies of the eligibility documents as indicated in the **EDS** shall be typed or written in ink and shall be signed by the prospective bidder or its duly authorized representative/s.
- 4.3. All envelopes shall:
 - (c) contain the name of the contract to be bid in capital letters;
 - (d) bear the name and address of the prospective bidder in capital letters;
 - (e) be addressed to the Procuring Entity’s BAC specified in the **EDS**;
 - (f) bear the specific identification of this Project indicated in the **EDS**; and
 - (g) bear a warning “DO NOT OPEN BEFORE...” the date and time for the opening of eligibility documents, in accordance with Clause
- 4.4 Eligibility documents that are not properly sealed and marked, as required in the bidding documents, shall not be rejected, but the bidder or its duly authorized representative shall acknowledge such condition of the documents as submitted. The BAC shall assume no responsibility for the misplacement of the contents of the improperly sealed or marked eligibility documents, or for its premature opening.

5. **Deadline for Submission of Eligibility Documents**

Eligibility documents must be received by the Procuring Entity’s BAC at the address and on or before the date and time indicated in the Request for Expression of Interest and the **EDS**.

6. **Late Submission of Eligibility Documents**

Any eligibility documents submitted after the deadline for submission and receipt prescribed in Clause 0 shall be declared “Late” and shall not be accepted by the Procuring Entity. The BAC shall record in the minutes of submission and opening of eligibility documents, the Bidder’s name, its representative and the time the eligibility documents were submitted late.

7. Modification and Withdrawal of Eligibility Documents

- 7.1. The prospective bidder may modify its eligibility documents after it has been submitted; provided that the modification is received by the Procuring Entity prior to the deadline specified in Clause 5. The prospective bidder shall not be allowed to retrieve its original eligibility documents, but shall be allowed to submit another set equally sealed, properly identified, linked to its original bid marked as "ELIGIBILITY MODIFICATION" and stamped "received" by the BAC. Modifications received after the applicable deadline shall not be considered and shall be returned to the prospective bidder unopened.
- 7.2. A prospective bidder may, through a letter of withdrawal, withdraw its eligibility documents after it has been submitted, for valid and justifiable reason; provided that the letter of withdrawal is received by the Procuring Entity prior to the deadline prescribed for submission and receipt of eligibility documents.
- 7.3. Eligibility documents requested to be withdrawn in accordance with this Clause shall be returned unopened to the prospective bidder concerned. A prospective bidder that withdraws its eligibility documents shall not be permitted to submit another set, directly or indirectly, for the same project. A prospective bidder that acquired the eligibility documents may also express its intention not to participate in the bidding through a letter which should reach and be stamped by the BAC before the deadline for submission and receipt of eligibility documents.

8. Opening and Preliminary Examination of Eligibility Documents

- 8.1. The BAC will open the envelopes containing the eligibility documents in the presence of the prospective bidders' representatives who choose to attend, at the time, on the date, and at the place specified in the **EDS**. The prospective bidders' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance.

In case the submitted eligibility envelopes cannot be opened as scheduled due to justifiable reasons, the BAC shall take custody of the said envelopes and reschedule the opening on the next working day or at the soonest possible time through the issuance of a Notice of Postponement to be posted in the PhilGEPS website and the website of the Procuring Entity concerned.

- 8.2. Letters of withdrawal shall be read out and recorded during the opening of eligibility documents and the envelope containing the corresponding withdrawn eligibility documents shall be returned unopened to the withdrawing prospective bidder.

- 8.3. The eligibility documents envelopes and modifications, if any, shall be opened one at a time, and the following read out and recorded:
- (h) the name of the prospective bidder;
 - (i) whether there is a modification or substitution; and
 - (j) the presence or absence of each document comprising the eligibility documents vis-à-vis a checklist of the required documents.
- 8.4. The eligibility of each prospective bidder shall be determined by examining each bidder's eligibility requirements or statements against a checklist of requirements, using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion, as stated in the Request for Expression of Interest, and shall be determined as either "eligible" or "ineligible." If a prospective bidder submits the specific eligibility document required, he shall be rated "passed" for that particular requirement. In this regard, failure to submit a requirement, or an incomplete or patently insufficient submission, shall be considered "failed" for the particular eligibility requirement concerned. If a prospective bidder is rated "passed" for all the eligibility requirements, he shall be considered eligible to participate in the bidding, and the BAC shall mark the set of eligibility documents of the prospective bidder concerned as "eligible." If a prospective bidder is rated "failed" in any of the eligibility requirements, he shall be considered ineligible to participate in the bidding, and the BAC shall mark the set of eligibility documents of the prospective bidder concerned as "ineligible." In either case, the BAC chairperson or his duly designated authority shall countersign the markings.

9. Short Listing of Consultants

- 9.1. Only prospective bidders whose submitted contracts are similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid as provided in the **EDS** shall be considered for short listing.
- 9.2. The BAC shall draw up the short list of prospective bidders from those declared eligible using the detailed set of criteria and rating system to be used specified in the **EDS**.
- 9.3. Short listed consultants shall be invited to participate in the bidding for this project through a Notice of Eligibility and Short Listing issued by the BAC.

10. Protest Mechanism

Decision of the Procuring Entity at any stage of the procurement process may be questioned in accordance with Section 55 of the IRR of RA 9184.

Section III. Eligibility Data Sheet

Eligibility Data Sheet

Eligibility Documents	
1.2	<i>PROCUREMENT OF SERVICES OF A CONSULTING FIRM TO CONDUCT VALUATION STUDY FOR CULTURAL AND OTHER ECOSYSTEM SERVICES IN NINOY AQUINO PARKS AND WILDLIFE CENTER UNDER THE AFOCO-DENR FRESH PROJECT</i>
1.3	<p>Foreign consultants may be eligible to participate in this Project, subject to the following conditions to be complied within ten (10) days upon receipt of the Notice of Award:</p> <p>a) must be registered with the SEC and/or any agency authorized by the laws of the Philippines;</p> <p>b) when the types and fields of consulting services in which the foreign consultant wishes to engage involve the practice of regulated professions, the foreign consultant must be authorized by the appropriate GoP professional regulatory body specified in Clause 1.2 to engage in the practice of those professions and allied professions: <i>Provided, however,</i> That the limits of such authority shall be strictly observed.</p>
2.1(a)(ii)	The statement of all ongoing and completed government and private contracts shall include all such contracts within <i>Five (5) years</i> prior to the deadline for the submission and receipt of eligibility documents.
2.1(a)(ii.7)	<i>Performance Evaluation and Rating from clients Certificate of Acceptance</i>
4.1	Each prospective bidder shall submit one (1) original and two (2) copies of its eligibility documents.
(e)	<p><i>State the Bids and Awards Committee of the Procuring Entity concerned with the Project.</i></p> <p><i>Anson M. Tagtag - Chairperson</i> <i>Nancy R. Corpuz - Vice-Chairperson</i> <i>Joy M. Navarro - Member</i> <i>Ryan A. Cuanan - Member</i> <i>John Erick B. Avelino - Member</i> <i>Fides Lenore B. Sandoval - End-user</i></p>

4.1(f)	<p><i>State specific details concerning the identification of the Project</i></p> <p><i>REI No. 2025-004</i></p>
4.3(c)	<p>The address for submission of eligibility documents is:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>The Chairperson Bids and Awards Committee Biodiversity Management Bureau Ninoy Aquino Parks and Wildlife Center Quezon Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City Telephone NO. 8924 6031 to 35 local 221</i></p> <p>The deadline for submission of eligibility documents is</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>March 18, 2025, 1:00 P.M.</i></p>
9.1	<p>Similar contracts shall refer to :</p> <p>Resource Valuation; Environmental & Natural Resource Accounting; Environmental Economics</p>

9.3

Insert here the detailed set of criteria and rating system to be used by the Procuring Entity for the short listing of consultants. The criteria shall consider the applicable individual experiences of the principal and key staff in case of new firms.

<i>CRITERIA</i>	<i>WEIGHT</i>
<i>1. Track Record of Consulting Firm</i>	<i>70</i>
<i>2. Qualification of Team Member</i>	<i>30</i>
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>100</i>
<i>PASSING RATE</i>	<i>70</i>

CHECKLIST OF REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

LEGAL DOCUMENTS

Class "A" Documents

1. PHILGEPS Certificate of Registration (Platinum)

TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS

2. Statement of prospective bidder of all its ongoing and completed government and private contracts, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any whether similar or not similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid, within the relevant period provided in the EDS. The statement shall include, for each contract, the following:
 - 2.1 the name and location of the contract;
 - 2.2 date of award of the contract;
 - 2.3 type and description of consulting services;
 - 2.4 consultant's role (whether main consultant, sub consultant, or partner in a JV)
 - 2.5 amount of contract
 - 2.6 contract duration; and
 - 2.7 certificate of satisfactory completion or equivalent document specified in the EDS issued by the client, in the case of a completed contracts
3. Statement of the consultant specifying its nationality and confirming that those who will actually perform the service are registered professionals authorized by the appropriate regulatory body to practice those professions and allied professions in accordance with Clause 1.2, including their respective curriculum vitae.

Class "B" Document

If applicable

4. Joint Venture Agreement (JVA) in case the joint venture is already existence, or duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners in accordance with Section 24.1(b) of the IRR R.A. 9184

Statement of Completed Contracts

This is to certify that _____ has the following completed contracts for the period CY _____

Name and Location of the Contract	Date of Award of the Contract	Type and Brief Description of Consulting Services	Consultant's Role (Main Consultant, Sub-Contractor Partner in a JV, etc.)	Amount of Contract	Contract Duration	Proof/ Certificate of Satisfactory Completion or Equivalent Document Issued by at Least One (1) Client (Separate Sheet)
			Note: Include description of the activities conducted/ undertaken by the consultant		Note: Include month/s and years/s for studies and day/s and hour/s for trainings /workshops/seminars	

Name and Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Instructions:

- a) Cut-off date : The day before the deadline of submission of eligibility documents.
- b) State completed contracts for the last five (5) years contracts that are similar to the project being procured/bid in terms of nature and amount shall be prioritized in inclusion in the list

STATEMENT OF ONGOING AND AWARDED BUT NOT YET STARTED CONTRACTS

This is to certify that _____ has the following ongoing and awarded but not yet started contracts:

Name and Location of the Contract	Date of Award of the Contract	Type and Brief Description of Consulting Services	Consultant's Role (Main Consultant, Sub-Contractor Partner in a JV, etc.	Amount of Contract	Contract Duration	Remarks
			Note: Include description of the activities to be conducted/undertaken by the consultant		Note: Include month/s and years/s for studies and day/s and hour/s for trainings / workshops/ seminars	

Name and Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Instructions:

- a) State all ongoing contracts including those awarded but not yet started (government and private contracts which may be similar or not similar to the project called for procurement/bidding) as of the day before the deadline of submission of eligibility documents.
- b) If there is no ongoing contract including awarded but not yet started as of the aforementioned period, state none or equivalent term.

FORMAT OF CURRICULUM VITAE (CV)

Proposed Position: _____

Name of Firm: _____

Name of Staff: _____

Profession: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Years with Firm/Entity: _____ Nationality: _____

Membership in Professional Societies: _____

Detailed Tasks Assigned: _____

Key Qualifications:

[Give an outline of staff member's experience and training most pertinent to tasks on project (in months and years with detailed description/discussion on the nature and scope of work). Describe degree of responsibility held by staff member on relevant previous projects and give dates and locations.]

Education:

[Summarize college/university and other specialized education of staff members, giving names of schools, dates attended, and degrees obtained.]

Employment Record:

[Starting with present position, list in reverse order every employment held. List all positions held by staff member since graduation, giving dates, names of employing organizations, titles of positions held, and locations of projects. For experience in last 20 years 9in-man-months for evaluation studies and man-hours/man-days for trainings/seminars/workshops conducted/provided), also indicate role played and types of activities performed and client references, where appropriate. Failure to indicate details of role and duration shall merit zero points.]

Trainings Attended:

[Summarize trainings/seminars attended as participant indicating topic and specific duration 9in hours/days). Attach certificates, if any. Failure to indicate details shall merit zero points.]

Languages:

[For each language, indicate proficiency: excellent, good, fair, or poor in speaking, reading, and writing.]

Certification:

I, the undersigned, certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, these data correctly describe me, my qualifications, and my experience.

_____ Date : _____
(Signature of staff member and authorized representative of the firm) Date/Month/Year

Full name of staff member:

Full name of authorized representative:

STATEMENT OF KEY STAFF FOR CONSULTING SERVICES

Name of Consultant: _____

Business Address : _____

Field of Expertise/Name of Personnel	Name of Related Study Involved	Position/Involvement in the Related Study	Nationality	Years with the Firm	Number of Study Currently Involved
1. Team Leader					
1					
to					
n					
2. Forester (major in social-forestry/ socio-economist)					
1					
to					
n					
3. GIS Specialist					
1					
to					
n					

It is hereby confirmed that the above consultants are registered professionals authorized by the appropriate regulatory body to practice their profession.

Note:

- Should the personnel mentioned above are "on-call" or not a permanent employee of the consulting firm, please provide evidence and said personnel agreed to be nominated and once the firm is shortlisted, the personnel will submit letter of commitment.

Submitted by: _____

Name of Representative of Bidders: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____