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**INVITATION TO BID
FOR THE PROPOSED PUERTO PRINCESA PORT EXPANSION PROJECT
PORT OF PUERTO PRINCESA, PALAWAN**

The Philippine Ports Authority, through the Corporate Budget of the Authority for CY 2011, intends to apply the sum of **₱ 298,200,911.41** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the **Proposed Puerto Princesa Port Expansion Project, Port of Puerto Princesa, Palawan (LFP Soluz No. 005-2011)**. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

The Philippine Ports Authority now invites bids for **A. Back-Up Area B. Wharf Extension C. Port Lighting System**. Completion of the Works is required in **540 calendar days**. Bidders should have completed, within ten (10) years from the date of submission and receipt of bids, a contract similar to the Project. The description of an eligible bidder is contained in the Bidding Documents, particularly, in Section II. Instructions to Bidders.

Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using non-discretionary pass/fail criterion as specified in the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act 9184 (R.A. 9184), otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act."

Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships, partnerships or organizations with at least seventy five percent (75%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines.

Interested bidders may obtain further information from the Bids and Awards Committee and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday to Friday.

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested Bidders from the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee for the Bidding Documents in the amount of **EIGHTY THOUSAND PESOS (₱ 80,000.00)**.

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

The Philippine Ports Authority's Bids and Awards Committee for Engineering Projects will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **17 November 2011 at 2:00 p.m.** at the PPA Function Room, 7th Floor, PPA Bldg., Bonifacio Drive, South Harbor, Port Area, Manila, which shall be open to all interested parties who have purchased the Bidding Documents.

Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **9:00 a.m. 29 November 2011** at the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) Office, 5th Floor, PPA Bldg., Bonifacio Drive, South Harbor, Port Area, Manila. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the following acceptable forms and amount:

VISION

By 2010, PPA shall have met the international standards in port facilities and services in at least ten (10) ports in support of national development.

MISSION

We commit to provide reliable and responsive services in our ports, sustain development of our port communities and the environment, and be a model corporate agency of the government.

Form of Bid Security	Amount of Bid Security (Equal to Percentage of the ABC)
a) Cash or cashier's/ managers check bank draft/ guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit issued by a Universal or Commercial Bank	Two percent (2%)
b) Surety Bond callable upon demand Issued by a surety or insurance company duly certified by the Insurance Commission as authorized to issue such security	Five percent (5%)
c) Any combination of the foregoing	Proportionate to share of form with respect to total amount of security

Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the address below on **29 November 2011 at 10:00 a.m.** Late bids shall not be accepted.

- Required PCAB Registration : **Large A – Port, Harbor and Offshore Engineering**

The Philippine Ports Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

For further information, please refer to:

BAC Secretariat, 5th Floor, PPA Bldg.,
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