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Invitation for Bid GSA-068-14
SCHOOL BUS (60 PASSENGER)

AMENDMENT #1

1. Amend to include page 22 “**GOVERNMENT OF GUAM, GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**” attached.

All others remains unchanged.

) *TRAHK 7/11/14*
CLAUDIA S. ACFALLE
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SEALED BID SOLICITATION AND AWARD

Only those Boxes checked below are applicable to this bid.

1. **AUTHORITY:** This solicitation is issued subject to all the provision of the Guam Procurement Act (5GCA, Chapter 5) and the Guam Procurement Regulations (copies of both are available at the Office of the Complier of laws, Department of Law, copies available for inspection at General Services Agency). It requires all parties involved in the Preparation, negotiation, performance, or administration of contracts to act in good faith.
2. **GENERAL INTENTION:** Unless otherwise specified, it is the declared and acknowledged intention and meaning of these General Terms and conditions for the bidder to provide the Government of Guam (Government) with specified services or with materials, supplies or equipment completely assembled and ready for use.
3. **TAXES:** Bidders are cautioned that they are subject to Guam Income Taxes as well as all other taxes on Guam Transactions. Specific information on taxes may be obtained from the Director of Revenue and Taxation.
4. **LICENSING:** Bidders are cautioned that the Government will not consider for award any offer submitted by a bidder who has not complied with the Guam Licensing Law. Specific information on licenses may be obtained from the Director of Revenue and Taxation.
5. **LOCAL PROCUREMENT PREFERENCE:** All procurement of supplies and services where possible, will be made from among businesses licensed to do business on Guam in accordance with section 5008 of the Guam Procurement Act (5GCA, Chapter 5) and Section 1-104 of the Guam Procurement Regulations.
6. **COMPLIANCE WITH SPECIFICATIONS AND OTHER SOLICITATION REQUIREMENTS:**
Bidders shall comply with all specifications and other requirements of the Solicitation.
7. **“ALL OR NONE” BIDS:** NOTE: By checking this item, the Government is requesting all of the bid items to be bided or none at all. The Government will not award on an itemized basis.
8. **INDEPENDENT PRICE DETERMINATION:** The bidder, upon signing the Invitation for Bid, certifies that the prices in his bid were derived at without collusion, and acknowledge that collusion and anti-competitive practices are prohibited by law. Violations will be subject to the provision of Section 5651 of that of the Guam Procurement Act. Other existing civil, criminal or administrative remedies are not impaired and may be in addition to the remedies in Section 5651 of the Government code.
9. **BIDDER'S PRICE:** The Government will consider not more than two (2) (Basic and Alternate) item prices and the bidder shall explain fully each price if supplies, materials, equipment, and/or specified services offered comply with specifications and the products origin. Where basic or alternate bid meets the minimum required specification, cost and other factors will be considered. Failure to explain this requirement will result in rejection of the bid.
10. **BID ENVELOPE:** Envelope shall be sealed and marked with the bidder's name, Bid number, time, date and place of Bid Opening.
11. **BID GUARANTEE REQUIREMENT:** Bidder is required to submit a Bid Guarantee Bond or standby irrevocable Letter of Credit or Certified Check or Cashier's Check in the same bid envelope to be held by the Government pending award. The Bid Guarantee Bond, Letter of Credit, Certified Check or Cashier's Check must be issued by any local surety or banking institution licensed to do business on Guam and made payable to the Treasurer of Guam in the amount of fifteen percent (15%) of his highest total bid offer. The Bid Bond must be submitted on Government Standard Form BB-1 (copy enclosed). Personal Checks will not be accepted as Bid Guarantee. If a successful Bidder (contractor) withdraws from the bid or fails to enter into contract within the prescribed time, such Bid guarantee will be forfeited to the Government of Guam. Bids will be disqualified if not accompanied by Bid Bond, Letter of Credit, Certified Check or Cashier's check. Bidder must include in his/her bid, valid copies of a Power of Attorney from the Surety and a Certificate of Authority from the Government of Guam to show proof that the surety company named on the bond instrument is authorized by the Government of Guam and qualified to do business on Guam. For detailed information on bonding matters, contact the Department of Revenue and Taxation. Failure to submit a valid Power of Attorney and Certificate of Authority on the surety is cause for rejection of bid. **Pursuant to 5 GCA § 5212, all competitive sealed bidding for the procurement of supplies or services exceeding \$25,000.00 a 15% Bid Security of the total bid price must accompany the bid package. The bid bond, Letter of Credit, Certified Check or Cashier's Check will serve as Bid Security for this procurement.**
12. **PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE:** Bidders who are awarded a contract under this solicitation, guarantee that goods will be delivered or required services performed within the time specified. Failure to perform the contract in a satisfactory manner may be cause for suspension or debarment from doing business with the Government of Guam. In addition, the Government will hold the Vendor liable and will enforce the requirements as set forth in Section 40 of these General Terms and Conditions.
13. **SURETY BONDS:** Bid and Bid Bonds coverage must be signed or countersigned in Guam by a foreign or alien surety's resident general agent. The surety must be an Insurance Company, authorized by the government of Guam and qualified to do business in Guam. Bids will be disqualified if the Surety Company does not have a valid Certificate of Authority from the Government of Guam to conduct business in Guam.
14. **COMPETENCY OF BIDDERS:** Bids will be considered only from the such bidders who, in the opinion of the Government, can show evidence of their ability, experience, equipment, and facilities to render satisfactory service.
15. **DETERMINATION OF RESPONSIBILITY OF BIDDERS:** The Chief Procurement Officer reserves the right for securing from bidders information to determine whether or not they are responsible and to inspect plant site, place of business; and supplies and services as necessary to determine their responsibility in accordance with Section 15 of these General Terms and Conditions. (2 GAR, Div. 4 § 3116)