## SIARGAO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. (S I A R E L C O)

## CATABAAN, DAPA, SURIGAO DEL NORTE

## Invitation to Bid for the Supply, Delivery, Construction and Commissioning of Distribution Lines for SMILE Projects at Brgy. Halian, Del Carmen, SDN and Brgy. Anajawan, General Luna, SDN

1. The *Siargao Electric Cooperative*, *Inc.*, through the *EU-ASEP SMILE Project*, intends to apply the sum of *PHP8,411,957.40* being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for each lot shown below. Bids received in excess of the ABC for each lot shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.

LOT NO.	PARTICULARS	APPROVED BUDGET FOR THE CONTRACT (ABC)
Lot 1	Supply, delivery, construction and commissioning of distribution line at Brgy. Halian, Del Carmen, SDN (co-funded by EU-ASEP)	4,366,850.25
Lot 2	Supply, delivery, construction and commissioning of distribution line at Brgy. Anajawan, General Luna, SDN (co-funded by EU-ASEP)	4,045,107.15

2. The Siargao Electric Cooperative, Inc. now invites bids for the Supply, Delivery, Construction and Commissioning of Distribution Lines for SMILE Projects at Brgy. Halian, Del Carmen, SDN and Brgy. Anajawan, General Luna, Completion of the Works is required as shown in the table below. Bidders should have completed 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.

LOT NO.	PARTICULARS	CALENDAR DAYS
Lot 1	Supply, delivery, construction and commissioning of distribution line at Brgy. Halian, Del Carmen, SDN	180
Lot 2	Supply, delivery, construction and commissioning of distribution line at Brgy. Anajawan, General Luna, SDN	180

3. Bidding will be conducted through simplied bidding and negotiated procurement procedures using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act 9184 (RA 9184), otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act" and in accordance with the NEA Revised Procurement Guidelines and Simplied Bidding Procedures for Electric Cooperative IRR-RA10531 (2017).

Interested bidders may obtain further information from *Siargao Electric Cooperative*, *Inc.* and inspect the Bidding Documents at SIARELCO Main Office, Catabaan, Brgy. 12, Dapa, SDN from 7:30am -12nn, 1:30pm - 5:00pm, or contact Ms. Jane O. Ascaño at e-mail siarelco\_dapa@yahoo.com.

4. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested bidders starting on **August 4, 2020** at SIARELCO Main Office, Catabaan, Brgy. 12, Dapa, SDN or from *Ms. Jane O. Ascaño* at e-mail <u>siarelco\_dapa@yahoo.com</u>. in either case accompanied by a written expression of interest to bid and request the complete set of the Bidding Documents. Payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents per lot pursuant to the latest Guideline issued by the GPPB, in the amount shown below, shall be made upon submission of bids.

LOT NO.	PARTICULARS	COST OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS (PHP)
Lot 1	Supply, delivery, construction and commissioning of distribution line at Brgy. Halian, Del Carmen, SDN	5,000.00
Lot 2	Supply, delivery, construction and commissioning of distribution line at Brgy. Anajawan, General Luna, SDN	5,000.00

- 5. The *Siargao Electric Cooperative, Inc.* will hold an online Pre-Bid Conference on August 10, 2020, from 2 o'clock in the afternoon which shall be open to prospective bidders. Attendance to the Pre-Bid Conference is very much encouraged but not compulsory prior to the submission of bids. Any amendments to the bidding documents proceeding from or following the pre-bid conference will be communicated only to interested bidders who requested and secured the bidding documents through a Bid Bulletin issued with seven days from the pre-bid conference.
- 6. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat at the address below or by e-mail on or before 2 PM on August 24, 2020. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 18 and the applicable fee of the tender documents.

Bid opening shall be on August 24, 2020, from 2 o'clock in the afternoon at SIARELCO Main Office, Catabaan, Brgy. 12, Dapa Surigao del Norte. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late bids shall not be accepted.

- 7. If allowed by authorities, a site visit at the Halian and Anajawan Islands maybe conducted on August 7 and 8, 2020 at the expense of the bidder. In lieu of the physical site visit and in observance of the compulsory or voluntary precautions to prevent further spread of COVID-19, photographs, maps and videos of the respective islands are made available to the bidders as part of the Bidding Documents.
- 8. The *Siargao Electric Cooperative*, *Inc.* 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.
- 9. For further information, please contact:

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Eng'r. Stephen V. Fortaliza BAC Chairperson