



# TARLAC I ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

(TARELCO I)

AMACALAN, GERONA, TARLAC

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## INVITATION TO BID FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF POWER TRANSFORMER OF THE STA. IGNACIA SUBSTATION FROM 10MVA TO 20MVA

TARELCO I invite eligible bidders to bid for the capacity enhancement that would uprate the existing capacity of Sta. Ignacia Substation from 10-MVA to 20-MVA.

**Approved Budget for the Contract is Seventy-Four Million Eight Hundred Sixty-Five Thousand and One Hundred Fifty Pesos (₱ 74, 865, 150.00).** The source of fund for this procurement is the General Fund but to be recovered from Reinvestment Fund for Sustainable Capital Expenditures (RFSC) through Emergency CAPEX Application. Quoted price must be inclusive of VAT. The project must be completed within ninety (90) calendar days commencing upon receipt of Notice to Proceed.

Potential bidders must apply for accreditation and pay an **accreditation fee of Two Thousand Pesos (P2, 000.00)** before they are allowed to participate in the bidding process. The accreditation requirements shall be provided by the BAC Secretariat. Interested eligible bidders may inspect the bidding documents and/or obtain a copy upon payment of a non-refundable fee amounting to **Fifty Thousand Pesos (₱ 50, 000.00) for the cost of bidding documents.**

A complete set of bidding documents may be purchased starting **20 November 2023 until 4:00 P.M. of 26 November 2023** by eligible bidders upon submission of a written application to the BAC Secretariat.

Pre-bid Conference shall be held on **28 November 2023 10:00A.M.** at the TARELCO I Main Office Board Room. Questions and clarifications regarding the bid documents must be submitted on or before **27 November 2023. Questions and clarifications not submitted on or before the given date shall not be entertained during the pre-bid conference.**

The Bid Opening shall be held on **11 December 2023 10:00A.M.** in which the said proposals will be opened and read in the presence of Bidders or Bidders' representative who choose to attend. Late submission of sealed bid will not be considered or accepted.

Bidding shall be conducted through a public bidding procedures using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the Revised Procurement Guidelines and Simplified Bidding Procedures for Electric Cooperatives IRR-RA10531 (2017).

All bids submitted must be accompanied by a Bid Security in an amount of not less than two percent (2%) of the ABC. For further information, please contact **VICTOR FLOREM B. CATABONA** or **PAOLA RIZ P. FLORES** at (045) 931-1000 or email us at [bac@tarelco1ph.com](mailto:bac@tarelco1ph.com) or at [tarelcounobac@gmail.com](mailto:tarelcounobac@gmail.com).

***TARELCO I hereby reserve the right to reject any and all bids, declare a failure of bidding and not award the contract, to waive any defects therein, and accept the bid that is most advantageous to the Cooperative.***

  
**ENGR. MELCHOR C. SORIANO, JR.**  
BAC Chairman