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Office of the Bids and Awards Committee

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INVITATION TO BID FOR Procurement of One Lot New License for CNU with Firewall Appliance SOPHOS XG4300 Series

No. 23-02-175

- 1. The *Cebu Normal University*, through the *General Appropriations Act of 2023* intends to apply the sum of *Two Million Pesos (P 2,000,000.00) to payments under the contract for Procurement of One Lot New License for CNU with Firewall Appliance SOPHOS XG4300 Series* with Bid No. 23-02-175. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
- 2. The *Cebu Normal University* now invites bids for the Procurement of One Lot New License for CNU with Firewall Appliance SOPHOS XG4300 Series. Delivery of the Goods is required by *Thirty (30) Calendar Days*. Bidders should have completed, within *Two (2) 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).
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion as specified in the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184.
 - Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships, partnerships, or organizations with at least sixty percent (60%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines, and to citizens or organizations of a country the laws or regulations of which grant similar rights or privileges to Filipino citizens, pursuant to RA No. 5183.
- 4. Prospective Bidders may obtain further information from *Cebu Normal University* and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during office hours at 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on March 27 to April 18, 2023 from the given address and website(s) below and upon payment of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of Two Thousand Pesos (\$\mathbb{P}\$ 2,000.00). The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees if it will be presented in person, by facsimile, or through electronic means.

- 6. The Cebu Normal University will hold a Pre-Bid Conference¹ on April 4, 2023, 2:30 P. M. at the BAC Office, Room 203 2nd Floor Administration Building, Cebu Normal University, Osmeña Boulevard, Cebu City, which shall be open to prospective bidders.
- 7. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through manual submission at the BAC Office, Room 203 2nd Floor Administration Building, Cebu Normal University, Cebu City, on or before 1:00 P.M. of April 18, 2023. Late bids shall not be accepted.
- 8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in **ITB** Clause 14.
- 9. Bid opening shall be on *April 18, 2023, 1:30 P.M.* at the *BAC Office, Room 203 2nd Floor Administration Building, Cebu Normal University, Osmeña Boulevard, Cebu City*. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
- 10. The *Cebu Normal University* 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 Sections 35.6 and 41 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.
- 11. For further information, please refer to:

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12. You may visit the following websites:

For downloading of Bidding Documents: www.philgeps.gov.ph
www.cnu.edu.ph

March 24, 2023

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