



DEPARTMENT OF AGRARIAN REFORM  
**SUPPORT TO PARCELIZATION OF LANDS  
 FOR INDIVIDUAL TITLING (SPLIT) PROJECT**



**SUPPLEMENTAL BID BULLETIN NO. 3**

July 12, 2022

**AMENDMENTS/CLARIFICATIONS ON THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS FOR THE PROCUREMENT  
 OF 1,324 DESKTOP COMPUTERS AND 400 LAPTOP COMPUTERS (SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01)**

This Supplemental Bid Bulletin No. 3 is issued to amend/address the queries raised by prospective bidders during the pre-bid conference on June 13, 2022 and written queries on certain provisions of the Invitation to Bid, Bid Data Sheet, Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications relative to the above-mentioned procurement.

SECTIONS/ CLAUSES AFFECTED	AS ISSUED IN THE PHIL. BIDDING DOCUMENTS (SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01)	AMENDMENTS
A. Section I. Invitation to Bid  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paragraph 4</li>   <li>• Paragraph 8</li>   <li>• ITB Clause 10.1</li>   <li>• ITB Clause 12.1</li> </ul>	<p>Interested bidders may obtain further information from Atty. Mary Mae M. Gadon, OIC-Chief of Procurement Division Office and Head of BAC Secretariat...xxx</p> <p>For further information, please refer to:             ATTY. MARY MAE M. GADON            BAC Secretariat for SPLIT Goods and Non-Consulting Services ...xxx</p> <p>The Procuring Entity's address for the submission of written request for clarification is:             Department of Agrarian Reform (DARCO) ...xxx             Atty. Mary Mae M. Gadon            OIC-Chief, Procurement Division            Head, BAC Secretariat for SPLIT Goods and Non-Consulting Services</p> <p>The first envelope shall contain the following eligibility and technical documents:             a. Eligibility Requirements</p>	<p>Interested bidders may obtain further information from the <b><u>Procurement Division, BAC Secretariat Head for SPLIT...xxx</u></b></p> <p>For further information, please refer to:   <b><u>Procurement Division, BAC Secretariat Head for SPLIT...xxx</u></b></p> <p>The Procuring Entity's address for the submission of written request for clarification is:             Department of Agrarian Reform (DARCO) ...xxx   <b><u>Procurement Division Head, BAC Secretariat for SPLIT ...xxx</u></b></p> <p>The first envelope shall contain the following eligibility and technical documents:             b. Eligibility Requirements             ... xxx</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ITB Clause 21</li> <li><b>Lots 1 and 2</b> - Brand New Desktops for Data Processing</li> <li><b>Lot 3</b> - Brand new laptops</li> </ul>	<p>... xxx</p> <p>ii. List of relevant contracts that comply to experience requirement as specified in ITB Clause 5.4</p> <p>The address for submission of bids is:</p> <p>Atty. Mary Mae M. Gadon OIC-Chief, Procurement Division Head, BAC Secretariat for SPLIT ...xxx</p> <p>Office Productivity Software: Microsoft 365 Office Suite (Stand-Alone)</p> <p>Office Productivity Software: Microsoft Office Suite</p>	<p>ii. List of relevant contracts that comply to experience requirement as specified in ITB Clause 5.4 (<b><u>Refer to the attached forms – Supplemental Bid Bulletin No. 1 – SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01 – “ANNEX A” AND “ANNEX B”</u></b>)</p> <p>The address for submission of bids is:</p> <p><b>OIC-Chief, Procurement Division Head, BAC Secretariat for SPLIT ...xxx</b></p> <p><b><u>Office Productivity Software: Microsoft Home and Business 2019 or higher</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Office Productivity Software: Microsoft Home and Business 2019 or higher</u></b></p>
SECTIONS/ CLAUSES AFFECTED	QUERIES FROM PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS	AMENDMENTS/CLARIFICATIONS
<p>1. Section III. Bid Data Sheet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ITB Clause 5.4</li> <li>ITB Clause 13.1(b) Domestic Preference is not applicable.</li> </ul>	<p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b></p> <p>Is the SLCC applicable to all the lots?</p> <p><b>From: Redfox Technologies Philippines, Inc.</b></p> <p>Can Domestic Preference be allowed with a certification from the DTI issued in accordance with ITB Clause 27 of the Bidding Documents?</p>	<p>As per paragraph 1 of the Invitation to Bid, Bidders can bid for one or more lots. <b>The SLCC for one lot is applicable to all the lots.</b></p> <p>Refer to ITB Clause 13.1(b) which states that <b><u>“Domestic Preference is not applicable.”</u></b></p>
<p>2. Section VI. Schedule of Requirements</p>	<p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp Asia Prime Commodities Joneto Tech Marketing Corp. Advance Solutions Inc.</b></p> <p>Can the delivery be changed to 120 calendar days from receipt of NTP?</p> <p><b>From: World Solution Technology, Inc.</b></p> <p>Will the goods be delivered to the final destinations or to the DAR Central Office in Quezon City?</p>	<p><b>Refer to Section VI. Schedule of Requirements – “Not later than sixty (60) calendar days from Supplier’s receipt of Notice to Proceed (NTP)”</b></p> <p><b>Refer to Section VI. Schedule of Requirements for the distribution/final destinations to the designated DAR regional offices</b></p>

<p>3. Section VII. Technical Specifications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Lots 1 and 2</b> – Brand New Desktops for Data Processing</li> </ul> <p>a. Processor: Intel i7 not earlier than 8<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum) Base frequency: 3.2GHz Turbo frequency: 4.6 GHz</p> <p>Processor: Intel i7 not earlier than 8<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum) Base frequency: 3.2GHz Turbo frequency: 4.6 GHz Cache: at least 12MB No. of Cores:6</p> <p>Processor: Intel i7 not earlier than 8<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum) Base frequency: 3.2GHz Turbo frequency: 4.6 GHz Cache: at least 12MB No. of Cores:6</p>	<p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b></p> <p>Can this be Latest Generation? Can base frequency be 2.5 GHz – up? Can turbo frequency be 3.5 GHz – up? Latest generation may change and it will be more competitive if we will provide a range of frequency for both base and turbo.</p> <p><b>From: World Solution Technology, Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be: Intel 12<sup>th</sup> Gen Core i7 12700 2.10 GHz 4.90 GHz 25MB Cache 12 Cores</p> <p>Overall performance of 12<sup>th</sup> Gen i7 will be superior, do not focus on Min GHZ/Max, look at overall CPU specs and technology</p> <p>Or include the manufacturer’s standard as long as higher processor and latest generation</p> <p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can the Processor be changed to: Latest generation Intel Core i7-11700 2.5 GHz 4.90 GHz Max. 16MB Intel Smart Cache Total Cores: 6</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><b><u>Processor: Intel i7 not earlier than 12<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum)</u></b></p>
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<p>Processor: Intel i7 not earlier than 8<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum)  Base frequency: 3.2GHz  Turbo frequency: 4.6 GHz  Cache: at least 12MB  No. of Cores:6</p>	<p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>Can the Processor be changed to: Intel i7 not earlier than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen (Min.)</p> <p>at least 2.0 GHz – This is manufacturer and generation standard  4.0 GHz</p> <p>Increase to 8 core</p> <p>As the generation increases, the frequency of the Turbo and the Base decreases but the number of cores increases. This is according to INTEL and Generation Standard.</p>	
<p>b. Display Screen: (Minimum) 24" LED Monitor, 4K or higher resolution with the same brand as the unit</p>	<p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b></p> <p>Can this be 23.8" (viewing), 24" considering the panel edge for 24" LED Monitor, FHD or higher resolution with the same brand as the unit? (4K resolution monitor is already worth PhP30,000.00 and this could affect the budget which is around PhP70,000.00.)</p>	<p><u><i>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</i></u></p>
<p>c. Graphics/Video Processor: (Minimum) 4GB Dedicated Graphics (Certified by Autodesk for AutoCAD-Latest is 2019) Resolution: 1920 x 1080 pixel</p>	<p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b></p> <p>Can the "Certified by Autodesk for AutoCAD-Latest is 2019" be removed since all Graphics/Video Card can work in AutoCAD and indicating such "Certified by Autodesk for AutoCAD-Latest is 2019" may limit the bidders to join considering that it is costly.</p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>AutoCAD – Latest is 2022 which is the latest and is compatible to the requirement.</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p>xxx...  <u><i>(Certified by Autodesk for AutoCAD-2022)</i></u></p>
<p>d. I/O Ports: (Minimum) Rear: One (1) HDMI Port (HDMI 2.1)</p> <p>Analog Audio Ports</p>	<p><b>From: World Solution Technology, Inc.</b></p> <p>Can we offer external HDMI 2.1 version?</p>	<p><u><i>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</i></u></p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Lot 3 – Brand New Laptops</b></li> <li>a. Processor: Intel i7 10510U – not later than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum) Base frequency: 1.8 GHZ Max. Turbo Core Speed: 4.9 GHz Cache: at least 8MB No. of Cores: 4</li>   <li>Processor: Intel i7 10510U – not later than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum) Base frequency: 1.8 GHZ Max. Turbo Core Speed: 4.9 GHz Cache: at least 8MB No. of Cores: 4</li>   <li>Processor: Intel i7 10510U – not later than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum) Base frequency: 1.8 GHZ Max. Turbo Core Speed: 4.9 GHz Cache: at least 8MB No. of Cores: 4</li> </ul>	<p>Offer: Line In/Out retasking Jack as this is the new term for analog cable and has the same functionality</p> <p><b>From: World Solution Technology, Inc.</b></p> <p>Offer: Intel Core i7 1165G7 2.8 GHz 4.7 GHz 12MB 4 Cores</p> <p>Overall performance of 12<sup>th</sup> Gen i7 will be superior, do not focus on Min GHZ/Max, look at overall CPU specs and technology</p> <p>Or include the manufacturer’s standard as long as higher processor and latest generation</p> <p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can the Processor be changed to: Latest generation: Intel Core i7-1165G7 2.8 GHz 4.7 GHz 12MB Intel Smart Cache Total Cores: 4</p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>Can the Processor be changed to: Intel i7 10510U – not earlier than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen. (Minimum)</p> <p>at least 4.0 GHz</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><u>Processor: Intel i7 not earlier than 12<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum)</u></p>
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<p>b. Display Screen: (Minimum) 15.6 Touch Display</p>	<p>As the generation increases the frequency of the turbo and the base decreases but the number of cores increases. This is according to INTEL and Generation Standard.</p>	
<p>c. Battery: at least 6-cell battery with one (1) year warranty</p>	<p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can the "Touch" function be removed and changed to standard specifications?</p>	<p><b><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></b></p>
	<p><b>From: World Solution Technology, Inc.</b></p> <p>Can we put 4-cell battery as all of the higher generation of the laptops limit their battery cell to make it more lightweight, built-in battery and easy to carry?</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><b><u>Battery: At least Manufacturer's Standard</u></b></p>
<p>d. Storage/Hard Disk: (Minimum)</p> <p>256 SSD 1TB SATA 5400 RPM</p>	<p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be changed to at least Manufacturer's Default?</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><b><u>1TB SSD or higher</u></b></p>
	<p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be changed to at least Single Storage 2TB M2 NVMe PCIe 3.0 Performance SSD?</p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>1TB SATA 5400 RPM is no longer applicable it is now replaced by 1TB SSD instead. This can be partitioned for booting and storage. This is Manufacturer's and Generation Standard.</p>	
<p>e. Network Interface: (Minimum) Gigabit Ethernet 10/100/1000</p>	<p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>IO ports are no longer available for this type of laptop. It is now replaced by WIFI 6 which is equivalent to IO port. Can this be changed to "equivalent" or Manufacturer's Standard?</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><b><u>Remove: "Gigabit Ethernet 10/100/1000</u></b></p>

<p>f. Weight: Not more than three (3) kgs.</p>	<p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>Since there is no video card requirement on this lot, the device must be lighter. Can this be not more than 2 kgs.?</p>	<p><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></p>
<p>g. Graphics/Video Processor</p> <p>(Minimum) 2GB Dedicated Graphics Resolution: 1920 x 1080 pixel</p>	<p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be changed to at least Integrated Graphics Card?</p>	<p><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></p>
<p>h. Battery: At least 6-cell battery with one (1) year warranty</p>	<p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be changed to at least Manufacturer's Default?</p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>Can this be 3-cell battery? This model no longer has a 6-cell battery but rather a fast-charging battery which gives 14 hours battery life which is almost the same as with 6-cell battery life.</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><u>Battery: At least Manufacturer's Standard</u></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lot 4 – Brand New Laptops for Data Processing</li> </ul>		
<p>a. Processor: (Minimum) Intel i7 10750H – not earlier than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen. (Minimum)</p> <p>Base Frequency: 2.6 GHZ</p> <p>Max. Turbo Core Speed: GHz 4.9</p> <p>Cache: at least 12MB</p> <p>No. of Cores: 6</p>	<p><b>From: World Solution Technology, Inc.</b></p> <p>Can the Processor be: Intel Core i7 12700H</p> <p>2.30 GHz</p> <p>4.70 GHz</p> <p>24MB</p> <p>14 Cores</p> <p>Overall performance of 12<sup>th</sup> Gen i7 will be superior, do not focus on Min GHz/Max, look at overall CPU specs and technology</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><u>Processor: Intel i7 not earlier than 12<sup>th</sup> Gen (Minimum)</u></p>

<p>Processor: (Minimum) Intel i7 10750H – not earlier than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen. (Minimum) Base Frequency: 2.6 GHZ Max. Turbo Core Speed: GHz 4.9 Cache: at least 12MB No. of Cores: 6</p>	<p>Or include the manufacturer’s standard as long as higher processor and latest generation</p> <p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b> Can the Processor be: Latest generation Intel Core 17-12700H</p> <p>3.50 GHz</p> <p>4.70 GHz</p>	
<p>Processor: (Minimum) Intel i7 10750H – not earlier than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen. (Minimum) Base Frequency: 2.6 GHZ Max. Turbo Core Speed: GHz 4.9 Cache: at least 12MB No. of Cores: 6</p>	<p>24MB Intel Smart Cache Total Cores: 14</p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b> Can the Processor be: At least 2.0 GHz? This is Manufacturer’s and Generation Standard. 4.0 GHz?</p> <p>8 cores</p>	
<p>Processor: (Minimum) Intel i7 10750H – not earlier than 10<sup>th</sup> Gen. (Minimum) Base Frequency: 2.6 GHZ Max. Turbo Core Speed: GHz 4.9 Cache: at least 12MB No. of Cores: 6</p>	<p>As the generation increases, the frequency of the turbo and base decreases but the number of cores increases. This is according to INTEL and Generation Standard.</p> <p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b> Can the Processor be: Intel i7 latest generation</p> <p>2.5 GHz – Up</p> <p>3.5 GHz – Up</p> <p>Specifications on the latest generations may change and will be more competitive is there is a range of frequency for both base and turbo. The latest generation is more powerful compared to older generation.</p>	




<p>b. Graphics/Video Processor: (Minimum) 6GB Dedicated Graphics Resolution: 1920 x 1080 pixels</p> <p>c. Graphics/Video Processor: (Minimum) 6GB Dedicated Graphics Resolution: 1920 x 1080 pixels</p> <p>d. Display Screen: (Minimum) 15.6 FHD IPS Touchscreen</p> <p>e. Storage Hard Disk: (Minimum) 256 SSD 1TB SATA 5400 RPM</p>	<p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b></p> <p>Can this be: 4GB Dedicated Graphics Resolution 1920 x 1080 pixel</p> <p><b>From: Information and Communication Technology</b></p> <p>This 6GB dedicated graphics card is an expensive piece of hardware that comes with its own memory. It utilizes its own RAM to handle system's graphic performance, leaving the in-built memory untouched. <b><u>Dedicated graphics cards are used for hardcore gaming.</u></b></p> <p>Also there will be a performance issue of touchscreen display is installed with 6GB dedicated graphics. There will be a "hotscreen" to touch instead. Can the discreet graphics be removed since DAR does not need a touchscreen gaming laptop?</p> <p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be changed to at least Single Storage: 2TB M.2 NVMe PCIe 3.0 Performance SSD?</p> <p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b></p> <p>Can this be 1TB SSD as alternative to 1TB SATA SSD is faster and latest technology in the market</p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>1TB SATA 5400RPM is no longer applicable and is now replaced by 1TB SSD instead. This can be partitioned for booting and storage. This is also a Manufacturer's standard.</p>	<p><b><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></b></p> <p><b><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></b></p> <p><b><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></b></p> <p><b>Amendment:</b> <b><u>1TB SSD or higher</u></b></p>
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<p>f. Network Interface: (Minimum) Gigabit Ethernet 10/100/1000</p>	<p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>IO Ports are no longer available for this type of laptop. It is now replaced by WIFI 6 which is equivalent to IO Port. Can this be "equivalent" or Manufacturer's Standard?</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><u>Remove: "Gigabit Ethernet 10/100/1000"</u></p>
<p>g. Display Screen: (Minimum) 15.6 FHD IPS Touchscreen</p>	<p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>Can GORILLA GLASS be included on the specification of the screen? This means that the screen is more protected.</p> <p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can the "Touch" function be removed and changed to "Standard Specifications"?</p>	<p><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></p>
<p>h. Battery: At least 6-cell battery with one (1) year warranty</p>	<p><b>From: Tekzone Computer Sales &amp; Services Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be changed to "at least Manufacturer's Standard"?</p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>Can this be increased to 8-cell battery as this requires more power source due to Video Card Inclusion?</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><u>Battery: At least "Manufacturer's Standard"</u></p>
<p>i. Weight: Not more than three (3) kgs.</p>	<p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p>Since there is video card requirement, this type of laptop must be lighter, can it be not more than 2.5 kgs.?</p>	<p><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></p>
<p>j. Office Productivity Software: Microsoft Office Suite</p>	<p><b>From: Quartz Business Products Corp.</b></p> <p>Please clarify what type of Microsoft Office Suite.</p>	<p><b>Amendment:</b></p> <p><u>Microsoft Home and Business 2019 or higher</u></p>
<p>• <b>Other Requirements – (Lots 1, 2, 3, 4) Green Procurement Requirements:</b></p>	<p><b>From: XCC – Mark Louis Valmocina</b></p>	<p><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></p>

<p>a. The suppliers shall supply ICT equipment which shall fulfill at least ENERGY STAR 6.1 for computers and 7.0 for monitor's criteria</p>	<p>As the bidding documents clearly allow any type of evidence, can the statement of compliance be substantiated with a <b>Manufacturer's Certification supported with a Technical Test Result</b> showing that the products adhere with the Energy Star 6.1 (computers) and Energy Star 7.0 (monitors) standards, in lieu of the Energy Star Label.</p> <p>To limit the participation only to products with <b>Energy Star</b> labels would restrict competition. It is noted that there are other equivalent standards for energy efficiency such as the <b>EU Energy Star, TCO, Blue Angel.</b></p> <p><b>From: DELSAN Office Systems Corporation</b></p> <p><b>Energy Star Compliance requirement for the devices must stay.</b> As this will help the agency to observe power efficiency of the devices they are using. In the long run, this will provide economic power consumption on the end of the agency.</p>	<p><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></p>
<p>b. Security features that can defend from Malicious Software and the like upon beginning of the boot process.</p>	<p><b>From: World Solution Technology, Inc.</b></p> <p>Can this be: Anti-virus alone?</p> <p>The security features upon booting up of desktop or laptop is just a basic detector of malicious software and it can't prevent the laptop or desktop from the virus because there are viruses that have a strong feature that can access data.</p> <p>Our offer for anti-virus has the features that can detect the malicious software upon booting since this has a boot time scan.</p>	<p><u>As published in the bidding documents, SPLIT-REF-004-PBD-22-01</u></p>

The foregoing shall form an integral part of the Bid Documents and supersede previous issuances relative to the subject procurement.

Approved by:  
(For the BAC-Primary)

  
**Atty. MARIA CELESTINA M. TAM, CESO III**  
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