

DEVELOPMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF CEBU BUS RAPID TRANSIT (BRT)

The DOTC, in cooperation with the Cebu City Government, plans to develop and construct a BRT System in Cebu, the first of its kind in the Philippines. It is modelled after the BRT systems in Bogotá in Colombia, Curitiba in Brazil, Seoul in South Korea and Guangzhou in the Republic of China.

The Cebu BRT is a transport system with around 176 buses that will run through dedicated and exclusive bus-ways from Bulacao to Talamban in Cebu, with a link to Cebu's South Road Property, and will serve an estimated 330,000 passengers per day at opening year in 2015. The buses will also traverse Cebu City's business districts, residential areas, shopping centers and noted tourist locations. There will be 33 stations along the corridor and a bus will be made available at each station every 2 to 5 minutes.

The Cebu BRT will be an embodiment of President PNoy's commitment to provide Convenient, Affordable, Reliable, Efficient, and Safe transport system in the country.

The DOTC intends to apply for financing from the World Bank to finance, in part, the cost of the Cebu BRT System, and to apply part of the proceeds of the loan for the consulting services.

The DOTC's Bids and Awards Committee is inviting international and local consultancy firms to indicate their interest in providing consultancy services consisting of 2 phases, namely:

PHASE 1

Detailed Engineering Design and Preparation of Bidding Documents for the engineering design, structural design, civil design, architectural design, electrical design and mechanical design.

PHASE 2

Supervision of the transit way and the supporting infrastructure during the construction.



- Interested consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the consultancy services. To be short-listed, interested consultants must:
 - (1) have been in the construction design and supervision business for a minimum of ten (10) years prior to the issuance of this Request for Expression of Interest; and
 - (2) have completed at least two (2) similar contracts in combination of Phases 1 and 2 entered into within the last five (5) years.
- Interested consultants must also comply with the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
- The procedures set out in the World Bank's Guidelines on the Selection and Employment of Consultants (under the IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants) by World Bank Borrowers issued on January 2011 will be applied in the short-listing of eligible consultants.
- Expressions of interest must be delivered in written form to the address provided on or before 3pm of 7 September 2012. Expressions of interest may be submitted in person, by mail, fax, or e-mail. Please refer to the opposite box for details.

The pictures and descriptions herein are provided for information only. It is the responsibility of the prospective bidders to determine the general characteristics and conditions of the project(s) and examine the technical specifications/terms of reference and project requirements in the Bidding Documents. In the event of a conflict or discrepancy between the information in this Request for Expression of Interest and the Bidding Documents, the information in the latter shall prevail.

For further information, please refer to:

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