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**Bid Bulletin No. 3
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PUBLIC BIDDING NO. 23-07-1

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF DESKTOP COMPUTERS FOR THE
PHILIPPINE TAX ACADEMY (PTA)**

Issued pursuant to Sec. 22.5 of the IRR of R.A. 9184 to clarify and/or amend certain provisions in the Bidding Documents issued for this project, considering the issues raised and clarifications made by prospective bidders during the **Pre-Bid Conference** held on **01 August 2023**, likewise, response to bidders' written queries received within the prescriptive period for filing.

A. AMENDMENTS

I. SECTION VII: TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

LOT NO.	REFERENCE	BASES FOR AMENDMENT
1	<p>Lot No. 1: Mid-range Desktop Computer</p> <p>xxx</p> <p>Processor:</p> <p>Intel i7, latest Generation or any available in the market but not lower than 12th Gen <u>13th Gen</u></p> <p>Total Base Frequency: 3.60 GHz or higher (Performance Base Core Plus Efficiency Base Core)</p> <p>No of Cores: 12 <u>16</u> cores or higher.</p> <p>Lithography: with reference to the latest Intel i7 generation</p> <p>Threads: 12 <u>24</u> Threads or higher.</p> <p>Thermal Design Power: with reference to the latest Intel i7 generation</p> <p>xxx</p> <p>Rear:</p> <p>USB 3.2 <u>2.0</u> Gen1 Type A port(s): 4 or higher in quantity and specs</p>	<p>To amend the Technical Specifications.</p> <p>Please refer and use Appendix "1" for the compliance with the Technical Specifications.</p>
	<p>Operating System:</p>	

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	Latest Licensed Windows Professional Operating System – <i>Factory Installed</i>	
2	<p>Lot No. 2: Low-end Desktop Computer</p> <p>xxx</p> <p>Processor:</p> <p>Intel i5, latest Generation or any available in the market but not lower than 12th Gen 13th Gen Base Frequency: 2.40 2.50 GHz or higher. No of Cores: 12 14 cores or higher. Lithography: with reference to the latest Intel i5 generation Threads: 8 20 Threads or higher. Thermal Design Power: with reference to the latest Intel i5 generation xxx</p> <p>Rear:</p> <p>USB 3.2 2.0 Gen1 Type A port(s): 4 or higher in quantity and specs</p> <p>Operating System:</p> <p>Latest Licensed Windows Professional Operating System – <i>Factory Installed</i></p>	<p>To amend the Technical Specifications.</p> <p>Please refer and use Appendix "2" for the compliance with the Technical Specifications.</p>

B. CLARIFICATIONS

The PTA Bids and Awards Committee hereby clarifies prospective bidders’ concerns and queries:

ITEM	CONCERN	REFERENCE	CLARIFICATION/ RESOLUTION
JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP.			
1	Lot 1 and Lot 2: Prospective bidder suggested to make the processor at 13 th generation because the 12 th generation will be obsolete sooner.	<i>Section VII. Technical Specifications</i>	Please refer to above amendment.
2	Lot 1 and Lot 2: Prospective bidder requesting to relax the USB ports in the rear to USB 2.0.	<i>Section VII. Technical Specifications</i>	Please refer to above amendment.

3	Lot 1 and Lot 2: Prospective bidder suggested to require the Operation System as factory installed.	<i>Section VII. Technical Specifications</i>	Please refer to above amendment.
4	Lot 1 and Lot 2: Prospective bidder suggested that the camera/webcam must be branded.	<i>Section VII. Technical Specifications</i>	The requirement is retained.
5	Lot 1 and Lot 2: Prospective bidder suggested to add the requirement of: A Certificate of Authenticity issued by the desktop manufacturer that the pre-installed Windows Pro is licensed, genuine & not comes from grey market.	<i>Section VII. Technical Specifications</i>	The requirement is retained.
NEXT INNOVATION TECHNOLOGIES			
6	Prospective bidder requested clarification on: Under Section VII: Others No. 3 (c) – One (1) day of receiving a spare parts and/or replacement unit in case of hardware malfunctions. Can we omit or offer a 45-60 days delivery lead time for the spare parts and/or replacement.	<i>Section VII. Technical Specifications</i>	No. The requirement is retained.

By Rules, all other related provisions in the Bidding Documents correspondingly affected by these amendments are likewise deemed amended to conform to this Bid Bulletin.

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Chairperson, PTA Bids and Awards Committee

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