



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of South Cotabato  
**BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**  
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## **INVITATION TO BID FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF VARIOUS LABORATORY REAGENTS - COMPATIBLE WITH EDAN i15 ARTERIAL BLOOD GAS & CHEMISTRY MACHINE**

1. The **PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH COTABATO**, through the **Trust Fund**, intends to apply the sum of **P991,800.00** being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the **Supply and Delivery of Various Laboratory Reagents - compatible with Edan i15 Arterial Blood Gas & Chemistry Machine / ITB No. 25-0098**. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at bid opening.
2. The **PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH COTABATO** now invites bids for the **Supply and Delivery of Various Laboratory Reagents - compatible with Edan i15 Arterial Blood Gas & Chemistry Machine**. Delivery of the Goods is required within **20 calendar days from the receipt of Notice to Proceed**. Bidders should have completed, within **Three (3) 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 **PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH COTABATO** and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below during **8:00am to 5:00pm, Mondays-Fridays**.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders on **July 08 to July 15, 2025, 12:00 Noon** from the given address and website(s) below ***and upon payment or depositing to the Provincial Government of South Cotabato, Development Bank of the Philippines - Marbel Branch with Savings Account Number: 1057-935-1, of the applicable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of P992.00/set.***

The Procuring Entity shall allow the bidder to present its proof of payment for the fees *presented in person or through electronic means.*

6. Bids must be duly received by the BAC Secretariat through **manual submission at the office address indicated below** on or before **July 15, 2025, 12:00 Noon**. Late bids shall not be accepted.
7. 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 **July 15, 2025, 2:00 PM** at the given address below and/or via **Zoom Meeting**. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend the activity.
10. The **PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH COTABATO** 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.southcotabato.gov.ph/open-contracting or https://notices.philgeps.gov.ph**

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**(SGD)ATTY. MARNITO B. COSEP**

Provincial Legal Officer

BAC Chairman