

PHILIPPINE RETIREMENT AUTHORITY

29/F BDO Towers Valero (formerly Citibank Tower) Paseo de Roxas, Makati City

BID BULLETIN No.

2024 - 001

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PROCUREMENT OF WEB HOSTING SERVICES

AMENDMENT TO THE TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

This Bid Bulletin is issued for the guidance and information of all concerned and shall form an integral part of the Bidding Documents.

A. Technical Specifications: ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1. NET Framework Compatibility

 Ensure that the hosting provider supports the version of the .NET Framework utilized in our project. It is critical to verify that the hosting environment can accommodate the specific .NET Framework version we use, as this impacts the application's performance and functionality.

2. Crystal Reports Support

• Confirm that the hosting provider supports Crystal Reports for Visual Studio, specifically Service Pack 32 (SP32) or higher, in a 64-bit environment. This support may necessitate particular configurations or additional installations on the server.

3. IIS (Internet Information Services)

• Ensure the hosting provider supports IIS, which is crucial for hosting .NET applications. The ability to configure application pools, manage settings, and deploy our application needs to be verified and facilitated by the provider.

4. Database Mail Feature

• The database must support the SQL Server Database Mail feature. This is essential for automated email notifications and other database-related communications.

These technical requirements are crucial for the proper functioning of our application and must be confirmed with the hosting provider. We request the necessary adjustments to the TOR to reflect these specifications, ensuring all potential hosting providers are adequately evaluated based on these criteria.

B. Validity date of the Bid and Bid Security

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