

BID BULLETIN NO. 005

Competitive Selection Process, Series of 2026
Supply of 20 MW Base Load (Lot 1) and 15 MW RE Base Load (Lot 2)
Power Supply Requirements to Negros Electric and Power Corp.

Subject: Continuation of the Procurement Process for Lot 1 - Supply of 20 MW Base Load Power Supply Requirement and Indicative Schedule for Lot 1 and Lot 2

Please be informed that the Third-Party Bids and Awards Committee (TPBAC) hereby issues this Bid Bulletin to formally notify all interested parties of the following amendment to the Terms of Reference (TOR) for Lot 1 and Indicative Schedule of Bidding Activities for Lot 1 and Lot 2, as follows:

A. Amendment to the Terms of Reference for the Supply of 20 MW Base Load Power Supply Requirement (Lot 1)

As per the attached letter of DOE (Annex "A") confirming that the proposed amendments to the Technical Parameters of the TOR do not require the issuance of a new Certificate of Conformity (COC) and the issuance of a bid bulletin as sufficient compliance with DOE Circular No. 2023-06-0021, the TPBAC has approved the continuation of the procurement process from its current stage and further approved the following changes in the TOR pertaining to the allocation of Line Rental charges, thus:

Criteria for Lot 1	Original Requirement	Revised Requirement
Technical – Line Rental	<i>"For the account of the Winning Bidder, capped at P0.30/kWh; In excess of the cap, for the account of the buyer (Negros Power)"</i>	<i>"For the account of the buyer (Negros Power), capped at P0.30/kWh; In excess of the cap, for the account of the Winning Bidder"</i>

In the interest of transparency, fairness, and to ensure that all prospective bidders for **Lot 1 (Supply of 20 MW Base Load Power Supply Requirement)** are provided adequate opportunity to seek clarification on the bidding requirements and procurement process, the Third-Party Bids and Awards Committee (TPBAC) will conduct of a Supplemental Pre-Bid Conference, as follows:

Date: August 6, 2026
Time: 1:30 PM
Venue: Park Inn Hotel, SM City, Reclamation Area, Bacolod City

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B. Changes in the Indicative Schedule of CSP Activities for Lot 1 and Lot 2, as follows:

ORIGINAL INDICATIVE SCHEDULE:

EVENT	DATE
Invitation to Bid 1	May 25, 2026
Invitation to Bid 2	June 1, 2026
Availability of Bid Documents	May 25 to June 18, 2026
Deadline for Submission of Comments and Questions	June 16, 2026
Pre-bid Conference	June 22, 2026
Issuance of Final Instruction to Bidders	June 26, 2026
Deadline for Submission of Bid	July 16, 2026, 11:00 AM
Opening of Bids	July 16, 2026, 1:30 PM
Post-Qualification	July 21, 2026
Recommendation to the Board for Awarding of Contract	July 24, 2026
Issuance of Notice of Award	July 27, 2026
Signing of PSA	August 17, 2026
ERC Pre-Filing	August 31, 2026
ERC Filing for Approval of PSA	September 26, 2026

REVISED INDICATIVE SCHEDULE:

EVENT	DATE
Invitation to Bid 1	May 25, 2026
Invitation to Bid 2	June 1, 2026
Availability of Bid Documents	May 25 to June 18, 2026
Deadline for Submission of Comments and Questions	June 16, 2026
Pre-bid Conference	June 22, 2026
Supplemental Pre-bid Conference for Lot 2	July 14, 2026
Supplemental Pre-bid Conference for Lot 1	August 6, 2026
Issuance of Final Instruction to Bidders	August 20, 2026
Deadline for Submission of Bids	September 7, 2026, 11:00 AM
Opening of Bids	September 7, 2026, 1:30 PM
Post-Qualification	September 11, 2026
Recommendation to the Board for Awarding of Contract	September 14, 2026
Issuance of Notice of Award	September 18, 2026
Signing of PSA	October 9, 2026
ERC Pre-Filing	October 23, 2026
ERC Filing for Approval of PSA	November 20, 2026

All references to the foregoing provisions in the TOR and indicative schedule of activities shall be deemed modified accordingly. All other provisions not otherwise inconsistent therein shall remain in full force and effect.

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For the information and guidance of all concerned.

For further inquiries, kindly contact the BAC Secretariat at cspsecretariat@negrospower.ph.

Issued this 14th day of July 2026 in Bacolod City, Philippines.

Approved by:

NIEL V. PARCON

Chairperson

Third-Party Bids and Awards Committee

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13 July 2026

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Subject: **Request of Negros Power for the Issuance of Certificate of Conformity (COC) for the Revised Terms of Reference (TOR) for the Conduct of Competitive Selection Process (CSP)**

Dear **President Castro**:

This refers to the letter of the Negros Power to the Department of Energy (DOE) dated 30 June 2026, received by the Electric Power Industry Management Bureau (EPIMB) through electronic mail on 01 July 2026, requesting for the issuance of COC for its revised TOR for the procurement of 20 MW baseload power supply for a term of five (5) years from 26 January 2027 to 25 January 2032.

The revisions pertain to the change in the provision on Line Rental under the Technical Parameters *from* "For the account of the Winning Bidder, capped at P0.30/kWh; In excess of the cap, for the account of the buyer (Negros Power)" *to* "For the account of Negros Power, capped at P0.30/kWh; In excess of the cap, for the account of the winning bidder".

Based on records, the DOE through the EPIMB has previously issued COC to the Negros Power with Certificate No. *DOE-EPIMB-COC-2026-04-004* on 27 April 2026 valid for forty-five (45) calendar days, covering the proposed CSP. Further, , the DOE has noted that the Invitation to Bid and Terms of Reference were published by the Negros Power in the *Daily Tribune* on 25 May 2026 and 01 June 2026, which is within the validity of the COC issued for the said CSP.

Given the foregoing, the requested amendments to the TOR during the procurement process do not require the issuance of a new COC. For such revisions, the Negros Power may issue and publish bid bulletin/s, copy furnished the DOE, in compliance with Section 4.5 of DOE Department Circular No. DC2023-06-0021¹.

For any clarification, you may communicate with Engr. Noriel Christopher R. Reyes, Officer-in-Charge of the Power Planning and Development Division, through email address doe.csp@gmail.com.

Please be guided accordingly.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,


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Director IV
Electric Power Industry Management Bureau

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Undersecretary Rowena Cristina L. Guevara, Ph.D.

¹ "Prescribing the Policy for the Mandatory Conduct of the Competitive Selection Process by the Distribution Utilities for the Procurement of Power Supply for their Captive Market"