

Acquisition of ICT Resources for the Replacement of M9000 Production and Disaster Recovery (DR) Systems  
 Answers to Queries  
 Bid Bulletin No. 2

A. RESPONSE TO BIDDERS QUERIES

Queries-	Answers
<b>1. NTT Data Philippines, Inc.</b>	
<p>We would like to request for following with regards to the Hardware Refresh bid:</p> <p>1.1. Conduct of a site survey of SSS data center for the production environment. This is to ensure that the new hardware coming in for the project and the existing hardware can all be accommodated at the same time given the prerequisites.</p>	<p>No, only the winning bidder is allowed to conduct site survey</p>
<p>1.2. Extension of Clarification questions Submission after notice on Option 1 or Option 2 is resolved by BAC. Based on the prebid conference yesterday, BAC will release a statement regarding the final Tech Specs required (whether option 1 or 2). From there, we would like to request that vendors will be given more time to assess the requirements and be given ample time to submit additional clarification questions regarding the final Option chosen by SSS.</p>	<p>The submission and opening of bids is scheduled on 20 August 2019, 3:00 p.m. at the 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, Green Room, SSS Main, Building.</p>
<b>2. Questronix Corporation</b>	
<p>2.1. In Option 2 of Bid Bulletin July 30, 2019, it is indicated that the Database Server's operating system must be "64-bit Architecture Unix OS". Can bidders instead propose a UNIX-like operating system such as Linux?</p>	<p>Yes.</p>

### **Additional Instructions**

1. Please see attached final Technical Specification (Section VII). This supersedes Bid Bulletin No. 1 dated 30 July 2019 (Options 1 and 2) and amends Section VII – Technical Specification of the Bidding Documents.
2. Bidders are required to submit the Technical Diagram of the proposed solution as attachment to Section VII – Technical Specification.