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**SUPPLY, DELIVERY AND INSTALLATION OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY (ICT) EQUIPMENT FOR THE ENHANCEMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS**

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 December 04, 2020 likewise, respond to bidders' written queries received within the prescriptive period for filing.

<b>QUERY</b>	<b>RESPONSE</b>
Specifications in the Terms of Reference are considered End-of-Life thus amending the specifications	The specifications stipulated in the Terms of Reference of the Agency are generic in principle and are considered as the minimum requirement. However, according to the prospective bidder the said specifications are no longer existing in the market (or End-of-Life) thus, the prospective bidder may offer a model with enhanced or higher specifications comparable with those formulated by the Agency. Thus, amendment to the technical specification is not necessary.
	The generic technical specifications cater to all brands. Other brands may consider the said technical specifications as not End-of-Life since these other brands are not undergoing improvement in their existing models. Thus, amendment to the technical specification is not required.

All provisions of the bidding documents that are affected by newly issued bidding documents templates are deemed modified / revised.

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.

Amendments made herein shall be considered an integral part of bidding documents.

  
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**Strikeout** denotes deletion; **(b) Underline** – denotes inclusion or new/requirement; and "xxx" – denotes separation of phase/s being amended from the rest of the main text*