**October 6, 2025**

**BID EVALUATION REPORT**

1. **PROJECT IDENTIFICATION**

Procurement Title : **Purchase of Laboratory Equipment**

Type : **Goods**

ABC : **2,000,000.00**

PR No. :

Method of Bidding : **Public Bidding**

Procuring Entity : **a. Name: Davao del Norte State College**

**b.** **Address: New Visayas, Panabo City**

1. **Initial Steps in the Bidding Process**

Davao del Norte State College invited eligible interested bidders for the procurement of **Purchase of Laboratory Equipment** through an Invitation to Bid published and posted on the PhilGEPSwebsite on September 5, 2025. The Pre-Bidding Conference was held via Microsoft Teams on September 12, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. wherein clarifications and bid requirements were discussed and relayed to the prospective bidders. Eight (8) prospective bidders purchased documents within the period of availability of Bidding Documents.

*Table 1. Initial Steps in the Bidding Process*

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| * 1. Pre-Procurement Conference  1. Date of Conference    1. Invitation for Bids 2. Date of Publication 3. Name of Newspaper    1. Issuance of Bidding Documents 4. Period of Availability of Bidding Documents 5. Number of Bidding Documents issued    1. Amendments to Bidding Docs, if any. 6. List all issue dates    1. Pre-Bidding Conference, if any 7. Date of Conference 8. Date of Minutes Sent to Bidders | n/a  September 5, 2025  PhilGEPS  September 5, 2025 – September 26, 2025, 10:00 a.m.  Two (2)  September 12, 2025, 1:00 p.m. |

1. **Receipt and Opening of Bids and Preliminary Examination**

Submission and Opening of Bids were held on September 26, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. Bid Bulletin No. 2025-014 was issued on September 17, 2025 to clarify, modify, and amend the specifications of the project.

Bids were received from eight (8) bidders: 1. **Levins International Corporation**, *Unit 401, 4th Flr, Radiant House Bldg., No. 159 Congressional Ave., Quezon City*, 2. **XPRT Venture Incorporated,** Unit a Lot 3, Blk 7, Ponte Verde Subd., San Rafael, Sto Tomas, Batangas, Region IV-A, Phils, 3. **Red Gutz Trading**, Unit 207 JOCFER Building Commonwealth Avenue, Quezon City, 4. **Noveaulab Asia Corporation**, Unit SS 105 DSL Building #380 Del Monte Ave. Quezon City, 5. **Brownstone Asia-Tech**, Inc., 940 P Lopez Barangay New Zaniga, Mandaluyong City, Metro Manila, NCR, Philippines, 6. **Krypton International Resources Sales and Services, Inc.**, Krypton HQ Bldg. Purok Sambag, 2nd St., Canjulao, Lapu-Lapu City, Cebu, 7. **Andsons Educational Resources Inc.**, Block 22 Lot 2 Sicily Street Pallas Athena Executive Village, Anabu II-C, Imus City, Cavite Philippines, 4103, 8. **TestLab Engineering & Geotech Services**, No. 6 Mabolo Street, Carmen, Cagayan De Oro City, Misamis Oriental, Region X, Philippines.

The BAC convened at 10:00 a.m. in the Conference Room of OSDS Building. The BAC Chairperson, Dr. Reir Erlinda E. Cutad presided over the conduct of the Opening of Bids via Microsoft Teams.

The Bidder submitted two (2) Envelopes: 1) Legal and Technical with eligibility documents and 2) Financial proposals, with two (2) copies in each envelope (1 original and 1 photocopy).

The submitted bid documents were checked against the Checklist provided on the Bidding Documents. The required documents in the first envelope are Legal and Technical Documents and in the second envelope are the Financial Documents. The said documents are subject to bid evaluation and post-qualification.

*Table 2. Bid Receipt and Opening*

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| * 1. Bid Receipt Deadline  1. Original Date, Time 2. Extension, if any    1. Bid Opening, Date, Time    2. Minutes of Bid Opening    3. Numbers of Bids Received    4. Bid Validity of Period (days or weeks) 3. Original specified 4. Extension/Revision, if any | September 25, 2025, 1:00 p.m.  September 26, 2025, 10:00 a.m.  September 26, 2025, 10:00 a.m.  Two (2)  120 Calendar Days |

1. **Eligibility Documents**

*Table 3. Eligibility Documents*

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|  | **Levins International Corporation** | **XPRT Venture Incorporated** | **Red Gutz Trading** | **Noveaulab Asia Corporation** | **Brownstone Asia-Tech** | **Krypton International Resources Sales and Services, Inc.** | **Andsons Educational Resources Inc.** | **TestLab Engineering & Geotech Services** |
| PhilGEPS | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: July 31, 2026  Certificate Reference No.: 200107-116-1787484469 | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: March 14, 2026  Certificate Reference No.: 201705-160741-716662477 | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: November 20, 2025  Certificate Reference No.: 201911-11492-1926913311 | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: November July 3, 2026  Certificate Reference No.: 201705-163312-307751336 | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: November August 26, 2026  Certificate Reference No.: 200110-182-22047075 | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: May 21, 2026  Certificate Reference No.: 201806-96543-1191804825 | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: September 23, 2026  Certificate Reference No.: 201609-184491-237899587 | Certificate of Registration and Membership:  Platinum Membership  Validity: June 22, 2026  Certificate Reference No.: 201301-64913-1314533069 |
| DTI/SEC Certificate | SEC Certificate No.: 148695  Registration Date: February 23, 1988 | SEC Certificate No.:CS201625988  Registration Date: November 9, 2016 | DTI Certificate No.: 2140793  Registration Date: September 12, 2025  Expiration Date: October 30, 2030 | SEC Certificate No.:CS201626731  Registration Date: November 18, 2016 | SEC Certificate No.:ASO96003035  Registration Date: March 18, 1996 | SEC Certificate No.:CS201533715  Registration Date: May 26, 2015 | SEC Certificate No.:CS201605461  Registration Date: March 15, 2016 | DTI Certificate No.: 2825544  Registration Date: April8, 2021  Expiration Date: April 21, 2026 |
| Mayor’s Permit | Place of Issue: Quezon City  Permit Number: 97064746  Issuance: March 06, 2025  Expiration: March 06, 2026  Signatory: Ma. Margarita Mejia, DPA | Place of Issue: Santo Tomas, Batangas  Permit Number: 202501675  Issuance: January 14, 2025  Expiration: April 30, 2025  Signatory: Atty. Arth Jhun Aguilar Marasigan | Place of Issue: Quezon City  Permit Number: 17-004187  Issuance: March 28, 2025  Expiration: March 28, 2026  Signatory: Ma. Margarita Mejia, DPA | Place of Issue: Quezon City  Permit Number: 16013426  Issuance: January 30, 2025  Expiration: January 30, 2026  Signatory: Ma. Margarita Mejia, DPA | Place of Issue: Mandaluyong  Permit Number: 25008879  Issuance: January 8, 2025  Expiration: January 30, 2026  Signatory: Catherine De Leon Arce | Place of Issue: Lapu-Lapu City  Permit Number: 00908770  Issuance: February 4, 2025  Expiration: December 31, 2025  Signatory: Hon. Junar “Ahong” Q. Chan | Place of Issue: Imus City, Cavite  Permit Number: 02211  Issuance: January 11, 2025  Expiration: December 31, 2025  Signatory: Hon. Alex L. Advincula | Place of Issue: Cagayan De Oro City  Permit Number: 202532243  Issuance: September 17, 2025  Expiration: September 30, 2025  Signatory: Rolando “Klarex” A. Uy |
| Tax Clearance | Issuance Date: May 29, 2025  Signatory: Alice S.A Gonzales  TCC Number: 07A-038-05-29-R1139-2025-M  Expiration Date: May 29, 2026 | Issuance Date: January 27, 2025  Signatory: Rosalinda D. Cabidog  TCC Number: RR9A-059-01-27-R0156-2025-M  Expiration Date: January 27, 2026 | Issuance Date: January 13, 2025  Signatory: Dr. Alice S.A Gonzales, CPA  TCC Number: 07A-028-01-13-R0044-2025-E  Expiration Date: January 13, 2026 | Issuance Date: February 25, 2025  Signatory: Dr. Alice S.A Gonzales, CPA  TCC Number: 07A-038-02-25-R0494-2025-M  Expiration Date: February 25, 2026 | Issuance Date: May 2, 2025  Signatory: Albert Joy A. Araño  TCC Number: 07b-041-05-02-R1096-2025-M  Expiration Date: May 2, 2026 | Issuance Date: May 19, 2025  Signatory: Rosa Maria R. Jingco  TCC Number: 13-080-05-19-R0677-2025-E  Expiration Date: May 19, 2026 | Issuance Date: August 7, 2025  Signatory: Amihan L. Valdez  TCC Number: RR9A-54A-08-07-R1814-2025-M  Expiration Date: August 7, 2026 | Issuance Date: March 12, 2026  Signatory: Estela M. Laga-Ac  TCC Number: 160980312R03292025M  Expiration Date: March 12, 2026 |
| Statement of the prospective bidder of all its **ongoing government and private contracts**, including contracts awarded but not yet started, if any, whether similar or not similar in nature and complexity to the contract to be bid. | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed |
| Statement of the Bidder’s **SLCC (Single Largest Contract Completed)** similar to the contract to be bid, except under conditions provided for in Sections 23.4.1.3 and 23.4.2.4 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA No. 9184, within the relevant period as provided in the Bidding Documents | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed |
| Original copy of **Bid Security**. If in the form of a Surety Bond, submit also a certification issued by the Insurance Commission; or **Original copy of Notarized Bid Securing Declaration** | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed |
| Conformity with the **Technical Specifications**, which may include production/delivery schedule, manpower requirements, and//or aftersales/parts, if applicable | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed |  | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Passed  Item 3: Passed  Item 4: Passed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Passed  Item 3: Passed  Item 4: Passed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Passed  Item 3: Passed  Item 4: Passed |
| Original duly signed **Omnibus Sworn Statement (OSS)** | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed |
| and if applicable, Original Notarized Secretary’s Certificate in case of a corporation, partnership, or cooperative; or Original Special Power of Attorney of all members of the joint venture giving full power and authority to its officer to sign the OSS and do acts to represent the Bidder. | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed |
| The **Supplier’s audited financial Statement**, showing, among others, the Supplier’s total and current assets and liabilities, stamped “received” by the BIR or its duly accredited and authorized institutions, for the preceding calendar year which should not be earlier than two (2) years from the date of bid submission |  | Date of Filing: April 14, 2025  Current Asset: Php 48,266,213.00  Total Asset: Php 52,398,214.00  Current Liabilities: Php 1,506,262.00  Total Liabilities: Php 1,506,262.00  Name of Auditor: Dec Jhon P. Mendoza  BIR RDO Code: 132 | Date of Filing: April 15, 2025  Current Asset: Php 11,393,313.42  Total Asset: Php 13,022,648.74  Current Liabilities: Php 307,648.31  Total Liabilities: Php 307,648.31  Name of Auditor: Felomino S. Belinario  BIR RDO Code: 028 | Date of Filing: April 22, 2025  Current Asset: Php 81,582,705.00  Total Asset: Php 82,254,670.00  Current Liabilities: Php 21,747,561.00  Total Liabilities: Php 40,097,561.00  Name of Auditor: Grace T. Lim  BIR RDO Code: 038 | Date of Filing: April 30, 2025  Current Asset: Php 167,865,117.00  Total Asset: Php 224,758,759.00  Current Liabilities: Php 80,402,491.00  Total Liabilities: Php 167,922,211.00  Name of Auditor: Josbe B. Tayawa  BIR RDO Code: 041 | Date of Filing: April 20, 2025  Current Asset: Php 212,815,073.00  Total Asset: Php 229,733,291.00  Current Liabilities: Php 12,607,411.00  Total Liabilities: Php 12,607,411.00  Name of Auditor: Atty. Rengie C. Galo  BIR RDO Code: 080 | Date of Filing: April 30, 2025  Current Asset: Php 65,046,149.00  Total Asset: Php 74,468,076.00  Current Liabilities: Php 498,206.00  Total Liabilities: Php 498,206.00  Name of Auditor: Evalinda J. Ildefonso - Garcia | Date of Filing: April 15, 2025  Current Asset: Php 17,342,549.00  Total Asset: Php 17,342,549.00  Current Liabilities: Php 6,642,518.00  Total Liabilities: Php 6,642,518.00  Name of Auditor: Gilberto T. Virtudazo |
| The prospective bidder’s computation of **Net Financial Contracting Capacity** (**NFCC);** or Acommitted Line of Credit from a Universal or Commercial Bank in lieu of its NECC computation | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed | Passed |
| If applicable, a duly signed **Joint Venture Agreement (JVA)** in case the joint venture is already in existence; or duly notarized statements from all the potential joint venture partners stating that they will enter into and abide by the provisions of the JVA in the instance that the bid is successful. | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| *For Foreign bidders claiming by reason of their country’s extension of the reciprocal rights to Filipinos* Certification from the relevant government office of their country stating that Filipinos are allowed to participate in government procurement activities for the same item or product. | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| Certification from the DTI if the Bidder claims preference as a Domestic Bidder or Domestic Entity | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| **Remarks** | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed |  | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Passed  Item 3: Passed  Item 4: Passed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Failed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Passed  Item 3: Passed  Item 4: Passed | Item 1: Passed  Item 2: Passed  Item 3: Passed  Item 4: Passed |

*Table 5. Bid Prices (as Readout)*

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| **Bidder Identification/Name** | **Bid as Read Amount (Php)** |
| **Brownstone Asia-Tech** | 1,998,990.00 |
| **Andsons Educational Resources Inc.** | 1,520,808.00 |
| **TestLab Engineering & Geotech Services** | 1,793,092.34 |

*Table 6. Preliminary Examination*

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| **Description** | **Bidder** | | | | | | | |
| **Levins International Corporation** | **XPRT Venture Incorporated** | **Red Gutz Trading** | **Noveaulab Asia Corporation** | **Brownstone Asia-Tech** | **Krypton International Resources Sales and Services, Inc.** | **Andsons Educational Resources Inc.** | **TestLab Engineering & Geotech Services** |
| Verification | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Bid Security | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Eligibility | No | No | No | No | Yes | No | Yes | Yes |
| Completeness of Bids | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | Yes | N/A | Yes | Yes |

*Remarks: Bid-Security Declaration was issued by the bidder.*

1. **Bid Evaluation**

The TWG began the evaluation by determining the completeness of the bids submitted by the bidders. The submitted bid documents were checked against the checklist provided in the bidding documents.

The technical specifications submitted by the bidders were thoroughly reviewed and compared with the Procuring Entity’s requirements. As detailed in Table 4, Levins International Corporation, Red Gutz Trading, Noveaulab Asia Corporation, and Krypton International Resources Sales and Services, Inc. were found non-compliant with the required technical specifications for Item 2.

Furthermore, XPRT Venture Incorporated failed to upload and maintain current and updated copies of its Class “A” eligibility documents on the PhilGEPS portal, particularly its Mayor’s Permit. In accordance with Section 8.5.2 of the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. 9184, failure to maintain valid and updated eligibility documents renders a bid non-responsive. Consequently, XPRT Venture Incorporated’s bid was declared disqualified.

Meanwhile, Brownstone Asia-Tech, Andsons Educational Resources Inc., and TestLab Engineering & Geotech Services were found to be compliant with all the technical specifications required for Items 1, 2, 3, and 4. Furthermore, their submissions were duly supported with complete and valid eligibility documents, both in their physical bid and through their maintained PhilGEPS registration. Upon thorough evaluation, these bidders were determined to have met all the eligibility, technical, and documentary requirements.

Meanwhile, for Andsons Educational Resources, Inc., it was noted that three of its declared ongoing projects are set to be completed by October 7, 2025, and November 4, 2025, under the Department of Education, Davao Region, and Apayao State College. The status of these projects shall be verified during the post-qualification stage. These projects are:

* 1. Negotiated Procurement for the Supply and Door-to-Door Delivery to the Recipient Schools for Procurement of Science and Mathematical Equipment (SME) Packages to Public Elementary, Junior, and Senior High Schools, amounting to Php 3,6,26,614.00
  2. Procurement of Additional Laboratory Equipment for Conner Campus BS Civil Engineering, amounting to Php 1,349,094.00

1. **Result**

After a thorough and detailed evaluation of the bids, **Andsons Educational Resources, Inc**. was found to have the lowest calculated bid for the project, **Purchase of Laboratory Equipment**.

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BAC-TWG Chairperson BAC-TWG Member BAC-TWG Member

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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BAC Secretariat Chairperson

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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