

51 The BAC Chairperson acknowledged the presence of the members of the BAC, TWG
 52 and representatives of the Bidders.

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54 The BAC then proceeded with the pre-bid conference.

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56 **2. Presentation of the Bidding Document and Clarification from the Bidder**

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- o The TWG presented and discussed the Bidding Documents.

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- o The following are the comments from the bidders and the responses of the TWG:

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Bidder's Representative	Question/Clarification	TWG's Response
Mr. Canezo	Is there anything in the documents that states the total contract duration/completion date upon receipt of the NTP? Is there a no. of days for the deployment?	The TWG will issue an SBB for the Implementation period on the assumption that the offered anti-software is not the same as the current anti-virus software of PSALM.
	Is one-day knowledge transfer training compliant with the requirement?	The TWG replied that the training should be a classroom-type, and the discussion should be in-depth training on the Anti-virus Software.
	Will the completed project only triggers upon deployment of Anti-Virus to 260 Clients and 40 Servers, or a certain no. of units below the mentioned is acceptable for completion of the project before it triggers after-sales support?	The TWG replied that the bidder must only set up the cloud management console and sample deployment of the anti-virus to Clients until PSALM IT personnel learns how to deploy the software.
Mr. Misajon	Are the licenses for replacement, upgrade, or renewal?	The TWG replied that it depends on the anti-virus software of the winning bidder. The current anti-virus software of PSALM is Sophos and is an on-premise environment. If the anti-virus software of the winning bidder is different from the anti-virus software of PSALM, then the licenses are for replacement.

64 The BAC then asked each representative of the Bidders for any questions or
65 clarification, to which all responded none.

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67 Moreover, the BAC informed the Bidders that in case they may have additional
68 inquiries and clarifications, they can send them through the official e-mail address of
69 the BAC Secretariat as indicated in the Bidding Documents.

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71 **3. Adjournment:**

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73 Thereafter, having no further clarifications from the prospective bidders and no other
74 matters to be discussed, the pre-bid conference was adjourned at 10:10 AM.

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