



COCONUT INDUSTRY INVESTMENT FUND – San Pablo Manufacturing Corporation
Bids and Awards Committee

Bid Bulletin No. 1

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Project Name: **Procurement of RBD Palm Oil Stearin for San Pablo Manufacturing Corporation**

Project Number: **SPMC-2023-021B (PiIGEPS#10014945)**

This Supplemental/Bid Bulletin is issued to all prospective bidders to clarify, modify and/or amend pertinent items in the Philippine Bidding Documents as discussed and agreed during the Pre-Bid Conference held on August 15, 2023 for the abovementioned project of Coconut Industry Investment Fund – San Pablo Manufacturing Corporation.

The following clarifications and amendment are provided for the guidance and reference of all prospective bidders:

1. CLARIFICATIONS

QUERY	CLARIFICATION/RESOLUTION
1. If the prospective bidder has a pending application of a Kosher certificate, will it be allowed to participate in the bidding? Moreover, will the prospective bidder be permitted to present the Food Safety Certificate in lieu of the Kosher Certificate?	1. The Procuring Entity requires a valid Kosher Certificate issued by a recognized certifying body with principal place of business in the Philippines. Ref. to page 38 – Section VIII Checklist of Technical Documents (G) (6)
2. When is the winning bidder required to deliver the RBD Palm Oil Stearin?	2. The winning bidder is required to deliver the RBD Palm Oil Stearin within 14 calendar days upon receipt of Notice to Deliver. And it must be at a minimum quantity of 20,000 kg per delivery.
3. Whether the winning bidder is required to secure a third-party test report for every delivery of the item.	3. Yes. The winning bidder is required to secure a third-party test report for every delivery made. In this case, a total of 6 third-party test report must be submitted by the winning bidder during the delivery of 120,000 kg of RBD Palm Oil Stearin on a staggered basis.



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All other portions of the Bidding Documents affected by these amendments shall be made to conform to the same.

Amendments/inclusions/clarifications made herein shall be made integral part of the Bidding Documents.

For information and guidance of all concerned.

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