

# MARKET SCOPING CHECKLIST

#### 1. AGENCY INFORMATION

Name of Procuring Entity	Visayas State University
End-User/Implementing Unit	Scientific Publication Unit - ATR
Name & Designation of Representative	Kimberly Caingcoy dDRC

## 2. PROJECT OVERVIEW

Project Name	Enhancement of the ATR
Estimated Budget	20,000
Period of Market Scoping	January 2026 to December 2026
[From (mm/yyyy) To (mm/yyyy)]	
Expected Date of Delivery (mm/yyyy)	September 2026

## 3. MARKET SCOPING ACTIVITY/IES CONDUCTED (Check all that apply)

This confirms that market scoping activities were conducted in accordance with Section 10 of Republic Act No. 12009 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR), and considered in the Project Procurement Management Plan, consistent with the Principle of Proportionality.

Check (√)	Activity/ies Conducted	<b>Documentation</b> (as may be applicable)
	Consultations with suppliers / contractors / consultants/ professional associations or industry groups	Highlights of consultations or meetings/ Proof of attendance/ Reports / Summaries/ Screenshots / Brochures / Publications/ Price quotations/ Canvass sheets/ Market Analysis Report or similar document/s
	Participation in summits, fora, or conferences	Highlights of consultations or meetings/ Proof of Attendance/ Reports
<b>√</b>	Review of technical, financial, or market/scientific reports	OJS most commonly refers to Open Journal Systems, a free, open-source software used to manage and publish scholarly journals online. It handles the entire journal workflow, from submissions and peer review to editing and publication. The software is developed by the Public Knowledge Project (PKP).   Key features and functions  Manages the complete publishing process: OJS supports every step of online journal publishing, from the initial author submission and peer review process to editing and final online publication.   Supports various publications: While primarily used for peer-reviewed journals, it can also be used for newsletters, conference proceedings, and books.   Promotes open access: OJS is often used to publish open access journals to increase readership and contribution to the public good.   Technical requirements: The software is written in PHP and can use databases like MariaDB or PostgreSQL. It can be installed on a Unix or Windows server.   How it helps journals  Streamlines workflow: It provides a comprehensive tool for managing submissions, selecting reviewers, and tracking the editorial process.   Improves efficiency: OJS aims to improve the quality and accessibility of scholarly research through its management systems and indexing capabilities.   Includes automated features: It offers features like the automated creation and submission of Dols (Digital Object Identifiers).

Check (√)	Activity/ies Conducted	<b>Documentation</b> (as may be applicable)		
✓	Review of product or service brochures, marketing materials, industry journals and publications or related materials	OJS Hosting Technology Built for Scholarly Publishing		
		Basic Crafted for Small Publisher	Professional Crafted for Mid-sized Publisher	Institutional Crafted for Large Publisher
	Telated materials	\$500/yr.	\$600/yr.	\$900/yr.
		Single journal installation  1008 Disk Space Unlimited fluxed-sideth  1 Free Upgradelyr.  1 Hour Free Training.  All Essential Features	Multi-journal inflatibition  1560 flook Space  Unriented Bandwidth  2 Free Upgradestyr.  2 Hours Free Training  All Essential Features	Multi-journal treatation     ZSGB Deak Space     Unlimited Bandwidth     Three Upgradeslyr.     3 Hours Free Training     All Covertion Features
<b>✓</b>	Price sourcing for quotations or cost estimates from suppliers, contractors, or consultants	Review Steps  1. Notify the submission's editor as to whether you will undertake the review.  Response Will do the review Unable to do the review 2.  2. Click on file names to download and review (on screen or by printing) the files associated with this submission.  Submission Manuscript 8-15-18V.DOCX 2016-05-18  Supplementary File(s) None  3. Declare whether or not you have competing interests with regard to this resea (see G_FOLICE).  4. Click on icon to fill in the review form.  Review Form 1.  5. In addition, you can upload files for the editor and/or author to consult.  Uploaded files None  Choose File No file chosen  Upload  6. Select a recommendation and submit the review to complete the process. You enter a review or upload a file before selecting a recommendation.  Recommendation  Choose One \$\Pi\$ Submit Review To Editor		ndertake the review.  review  or by printing) the files  with regard to this research
				mendation.
	Use of data from PhilGEPS or agency websites	Reports / Summaries/ Screenshots, Price quotations/ Canvass sheets/ PhilGEPS Postings/ Online Product Reviews		
	Other analogous market scoping activity/ies undertaken:			

#### Notes:

- i. The market scoping activities shall be identified and undertaken at the option of the End-User or Implementing Unit based on its needs and objectives.
- ii. The list of supporting documents in the Documentation column is not exclusive and may include other documents that may be gathered by the End-User or Implementing Unit pertinent to the activity/ies conducted.

## 4. MARKET SCOPING RESULTS

Indicate recommendations in the column provided based on the results of the market scoping activities undertaken. These recommendations shall be considered in the development of a comprehensive and realistic PPMP, taking into account the parameters outlined under Section 10.4 of the IRR of RA 12009, as may be applicable.

Parameters	Considered? (Yes/No/ Not Applicable)	Recommendations based on the Market Scoping (Attach additional documents if necessary)
a. Project Cost Estimate [Does the cost estimate align with current market prices?]	<b>&gt;</b>	
Parameters	Considered? (Yes/No/ Not Applicable)	Recommendations based on the Market Scoping (Attach additional documents if necessary)
b. Project Design and Specification [Does available supplier/s meet technical and financial requirements?]	<b>✓</b>	
c. Technical Criteria [Does the market support the proposed technical requirements?]	✓	
d. <b>Delivery Lead Time</b> [Are the timelines for delivery feasible?]	√	
e. Storage and Warehousing Requirements [Can the storage/ warehousing needs be met considering specific conditions like temperature, humidity, and handling?]		
f. Identified Risk/s [Were there any market risks identified? (e.g., limited suppliers, price volatility)]		

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