



DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
KAGAWARAN NG UGNAYANG PANLABAS

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

BAC Resolution No. NTC - 07 - 21

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING, BY REFERENDUM, AWARD OF CONTRACT THROUGH NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53.9 (SMALL VALUE PROCUREMENT) FOR THE PROCUREMENT FOR THE LEASE OF SEVEN (7) UNITS OF PORTABLE TWO-WAY RADIO WITH ONE (1) UNIT OF MOBILE RADIO (CONSOLE)

WHEREAS, the Office of the Secretary (OSEC) intends to lease seven (7) units of portable two-way radio with one (1) unit of mobile radio (console) for ten (10) months or March to December 2021;

WHEREAS, the procurement for the lease of said portable two-way radios with one mobile radio (console) by the OSEC, with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the amount of One Hundred Seventy Thousand Pesos (PhP 170,000.00) only, is included in the Department's Annual Procurement Plan (APP) for CY 2021;

WHEREAS, Section 53.9 of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of R.A. 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act of 2003", allows an agency to resort to Small Value Procurement as alternative method of procurement where the amount involved does not exceed the threshold amount of One Million Pesos (PhP 1,000,000.00) as prescribed in Annex "H" thereof;

WHEREAS, Annex H(IV)(J) of the 2016 revised IRR allows the conduct of Shopping and Negotiated Procurement under Emergency Cases, Small Value Procurement and Lease of Real Property and Venue to be delegated to the End-user unit or any other appropriate bureau, committee, or support unit duly authorized by the BAC;

WHEREAS, Rule XVI Section 48(48.3) of the 2016 Revised IRR, provides that the BAC may recommend through a BAC Resolution, such change in the mode of procurement in the Department's APP, to be approved by the HOPE;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Item No. (V)(D)(8)(b)(iii) of Annex "H" of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184, a Request for Quotation (RFQ) was posted in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) website for three (3) days, starting on 17 February 2021;

WHEREAS, the OSEC sent requests for quotation to (3) different companies, namely: the Contel Communications, Inc. (PhP 166,100.00; failed; did meet the Technical Specifications), the Natividad Ventures (did not submit a quotation) and the ***Northwind Communications and Electronics, Inc.***, which submitted the lowest calculated and most responsive quotation in the amount of *One Hundred Thirty-Eight Thousand One Hundred Ninety-Two Pesos* (PhP 138,192.00) only;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the members of the Bids and Awards Committee of the Department, RESOLVE to RECOMMEND to the Acting Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE) to resort to Negotiated Procurement as the alternative method of procurement for the lease of said portable two-way radios with one mobile radio (console) from the **Northwind Communications and Electronics, Inc.**, subject to the above-mentioned requirements and provided that existing auditing rules and regulations shall be strictly observed by the end-user.


ADOPTED, this 17th day of March 2021, Pasay City.


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