



DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
KAGAWARAN NG UGNAYANG PANLABAS

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

BAC Resolution No. NTC (PB) – 09 – 21

**RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING AWARD OF THE CONTRACT ON
PROCUREMENT OF WARRANTY FOR CYBERSECURITY**

WHEREAS, the Department of Foreign Affairs, through the authorized appropriations under the 2021 General Appropriations Act (GAA), intends to apply the sum of Seven Million Pesos (*PhP 7,000,000.00*) only, being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) for the *Procurement of Warranty for Cybersecurity*;

WHEREAS, the said Approved Budget for the Contract is chargeable against the OAMSS' FY 2021 MOOE – for Repairs and Maintenance – Information and Communication Technology Equipment;

WHEREAS, on 28 April 2021, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) Secretariat posted for seven (7) consecutive calendar days the ***Invitation to Bid*** for the *Procurement of Warranty for Cybersecurity* on the DFA and PhilGEPS websites, and conspicuous places within the premises of the DFA, in accordance with Section 21.2 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184;

WHEREAS, on 05 May 2021, the BAC held a ***Pre-Bid Conference***, to discuss the eligibility requirements and the technical and financial components of the contract to be bid, in which two (2) prospective bidders attended namely, Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solutions, Inc., and Microdata Systems and Management, Inc.;

WHEREAS, on 18 May 2021, the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids as well as the date of opening thereof, two (2) bidders, namely, Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solutions, Inc., and Microdata Systems and Management, Inc. submitted their respective bids which the BAC determined to be as follows:

<i>Name of Bidder</i>	<i>Eligibility and Technical Component</i>	<i>Financial Component</i>
<i>Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solutions, Inc.</i>	Compliant	Five Million Three Hundred Seventy-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-One Pesos (PhP 5,378,941.00)
<i>Microdata Systems and Management, Inc.</i>	Compliant	Four Million Two Hundred Forty-One Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Five Pesos and Twenty-Seven Centavos (PhP 4,241,125.27)

WHEREAS, the BAC declared **Microdata Systems and Management, Inc.** as having the Lowest Calculated Bid, and subjected it to Post-Qualification on 21 May 2021, pursuant to Section 34.2 of the IRR of RA 9184, to determine whether it complies with and is responsive to all the requirements and conditions specified in the Bidding Documents;

WHEREAS, during the post-qualification of bids and after careful consideration, the BAC determined that the bid of **Microdata Systems and Management, Inc.** was compliant with and is responsive to all the requirements and conditions specified in the Bidding Documents;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the members of the Bids and Awards Committee, unanimously RESOLVE to RECOMMEND the award of the contract for the Procurement of Warranty for Cybersecurity to **Microdata Systems and Management, Inc.** for having submitted the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid in the amount of **Four Million Two Hundred Forty-One Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Five Pesos and Twenty-Seven Centavos (PhP 4,241,125.27)** only, pursuant to Section 37 of the revised IRR of RA 9184.

ADOPTED this 24th day of May 2021, Pasay City.


NARCISO T. CASTAÑEDA
BAC Chairperson


KRISTINE MARGRET M. MALANG
Vice-Chairperson



SUSAN PHOEBE R. SABADO
BAC Member


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Approved:
By the Authority of the Secretary of Foreign Affairs:



ERNESTO C. ABELLA
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