

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

BAC Resolution No. CPM-247-22

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING, BY REFERENDUM, AWARD OF CONTRACT THROUGH NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53.6 (SCIENTIFIC, SCHOLARLY OR ARTISTIC WORK, EXCLUSIVE TECHNOLOGY AND MEDIA SERVICES) AS ALTERNATIVE METHOD OF PROCUREMENT FOR THE HIRING OF A FIRM FOR THE CONDUCT OF IN-HOUSE LEADERSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM FOR FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER (FSO) CLASS IV CADETS

WHEREAS, the Human Resources Management Office (HRMO) intends to hire a firm for the conduct of in-house leadership training program for twenty-three (23) FSO Class IV cadets in January 2023, as part of their cadetship program;

WHEREAS, HRMO's procurement for the hiring of a firm for the in-house leadership training program, with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the amount of *One Million Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos* (PhP1,350,000.00) only, chargeable against the HRMO's 2022 MOOE for Training Expenses is included in the Department's Annual Procurement Plan (APP) for CY 2022;

WHEREAS, Section 53 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 Negotiated Procurement;

WHEREAS, further, Section 53.6 of the said Revised IRR can be resorted where Goods, Infrastructure Projects and Consulting Services can be contracted from a particular supplier, contractor or consultant as determined by the Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE), for any of the following requirements: (b) Scientific, academic, scholarly work or research, or legal services, *inter alia*;

WHEREAS, after conducting a thorough market study, the end-user unit determined that the identified service provider could undertake the project at more advantageous terms;

WHEREAS, the HRMO submitted to the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) a quotation from the *Ateneo de Manila University*, *Inc.* (*Ateneo de Manila University* (*ADMU*) for the conduct of in-house leadership training program for twenty-three (23) FSO IV cadets in January 2023 as part of their cadetship program, in the total amount of *One Million Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos* (PhP1,350,000.00) *only*;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), after taking into consideration all relevant factors, finds that the awarding of the procurement for the conduct of in-house leadership training program for twenty-three (23) FSO IV cadets in January 2023 as part of their cadetship program, may be done under Section 53.6 (b) of the 2016 revised IRR of R.A. 9184;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the members of the Bids and Awards Committee of the Department, RESOLVE to RECOMMEND to the Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE) the resort to Negotiated Procurement under Section 53.6 as the alternative method of procurement to hire *Ateneo de Manila University*, *Inc.* (*Ateneo de Manila University* (*ADMU*) for the conduct of in-house leadership training program for twenty-three (23) FSO IV cadets in January 2023, subject to the above-mentioned requirements and provided that existing auditing rules and regulations shall be strictly observed by the end-user.

ADOPTED, this 13th day of October 2022 at Pasay City.

CHARLIE P. MANANGAN

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Approved:

By the Authority of the Secretary of Foreign Affairs:

ANTONIO A. MORALES

Undersecretary and Head of the Procuring Entity

NOTICE OF AWARD

13 October 2022

Sir/Madam:

Please be informed that, upon the recommendation of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) of the Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA) as contained in its Resolution No. CPM-247-22, the Department is awarding the contract on the following project/procurement to your firm, Ateneo de Manila University, Inc. (Ateneo de Manila University (ADMU):

Project Title	End-User Unit
PROCUREMENT FOR THE HIRING OF A FIRM FOR THE	
CONDUCT OF IN-HOUSE LEADERSHIP TRAINING	HRMO
PROGRAM FOR FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER (FSO) CLASS	
IV CADETS	

The contract has a total cost of *One Million Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos* (PhP1,350,000.00) only, including taxes and other lawful charges.

This award and the implementation of the project/procurement are subject to the signing of a contract and compliance with all applicable accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Very truly yours

ANTONIO A. MORALES
Undersecretary and
Head of the Procuring Entity

Ateneo de Manila University, Inc. (Ateneo de Manila University (ADMU) Katipunan Avenue, Loyola Heights, Quezon City