



DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
KAGAWARAN NG UGNAYANG PANLABAS

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

BAC Resolution No. CPM-325-22

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 PROCUREMENT OF SERVICES OF A STRING ENSEMBLE FOR THE MUSICAL PERFORMANCE FOR THE UN DAY RECEPTION ON 24 NOVEMBER 2022

WHEREAS, the Office of United Nations and International Organizations (UNIO) intends to procure services of a String Ensemble for the Musical Performance for the UN Day Reception on 24 November 2022 in observance of the 77th Anniversary of the United Nations (UN);

WHEREAS, the procurement of services of a String Ensemble for the Musical Performance for the UN Day Reception on 24 November 2022, by the UNIO, with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the amount of Seventy Thousand Pesos (PhP 70,000.00) only, chargeable against UNIO's FY2022 MOOE for Representation Expenses, is included in the Department's Supplemental Annual Procurement Plan (SAPP) for FY 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 to 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 (a) work of art; commissioned work or services of an artist;

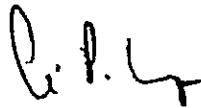
WHEREAS, after conducting a thorough market study, the end-user unit determined that the identified service provider could undertake the project at more advantageous terms;

WHEREAS, the UNIO submitted to the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) a quotation from the *Manila Symphony Orchestra Foundation, Inc.* for the procurement of services of a String Ensemble for the Musical Performance for the UN Day Reception on 24 November 2022 in the total amount of *Sixty – Seven Thousand Two Hundred Pesos* (PhP 67,200.00) only;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), after taking into consideration all relevant factors, finds that the awarding of the procurement of services of a String Ensemble for the Musical Performance for the UN Day Reception on 24 November 2022 may be done under Section 53.6 (a) work of art; commissioned work or services of an artist, 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 Undersecretary and Head of the Procuring Entity (HCPE) the resort to Negotiated Procurement under Section 53.6 as the alternative method of procurement for the procurement of services of a String Ensemble for the Musical Performance for the UN Day Reception on 24 November 2022 from **Manila Symphony Orchestra Foundation, 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 23rd day of November 2022 at Pasay City.



CHARLIE P. MANANGAN
BAC Chairperson



PAUL VINCENT L. UY 
BAC Vice-Chairperson



IHNA ALYSSA MARIE O. SANTOS
BAC Member

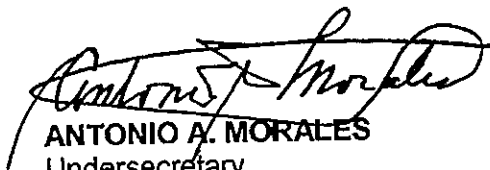


JED ELROY E. RENDOR
BAC Member



KIRA CHRISTIANNE D. AZUCENA
Representative of the End-user

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



ANTONIO A. MORALES
Undersecretary
and Head of the Procuring Entity



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NOTICE OF AWARD

23 November 2022

Sir/Madam:

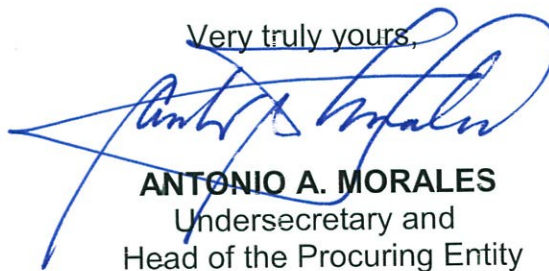
Please be informed that, upon the recommendation of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) of the Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA) as contained in its Resolution No. **CPM-325-22**, the Department is awarding the contract on the following project/procurement to your firm, **Manila Symphony Orchestra Foundation, Inc.:**

Project Title	End-User Unit
Procurement of various office supplies for the official use of Office of United Nations and International Organizations (UNIO)	UNIO

The contract has a total cost of **Sixty – Seven Thousand Two Hundred Pesos (PhP 67,200.00)** 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

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