



DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
KAGAWARAN NG UGNAYANG PANLABAS
BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

BAC Resolution No. HO-148-23

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING, BY REFERENDUM, AWARD OF CONTRACT THROUGH NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53.9 (SMALL VALUE PROCUREMENT) FOR PROCUREMENT OF EVENT MANAGEMENT SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE CULTURAL IMMERSION ACTIVITY FOR NON-RESIDENT AMBASSADORS (NRAs) ENTITLED "MESMERIZING MANILA" ON 09 AND 16 AUGUST 2023

WHEREAS, the Office of Protocol ("OP") intends to procure services of an event management service provider for the Cultural Immersion Activity for Non-Resident Ambassadors (NRAs) entitled "Mesmerizing Manila" on 09 and 16 August 2023;

WHEREAS, the procurement of event management service provider for the Cultural Immersion Activity for Non-Resident Ambassadors (NRAs) entitled "Mesmerizing Manila" on 09 and 16 August 2023, as listed under Purchase Request No. 07-05823, with an Approved Budget for the Contract ("ABC") of *Three Hundred Thousand Pesos* (PhP 300,000.00) only, chargeable against OUMAIER-CDU FY 2023 MOOE for Professional Services – Other Professional Services, is included in the Department's Supplemental Annual Procurement Plan for FY 2023;

WHEREAS, Section 53.9 of the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations ("IRR") of Republic Act ("RA") No. 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;

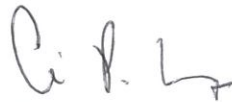
WHEREAS, pursuant to Item No. (V)(D)(8)(b)(iii) of Annex "H" of the 2016 revised IRR of RA 9184, a Request for Quotation ("RFQ") was posted on the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System ("PhilGEPS") website for at least three (3) consecutive days, starting from 02 to 07 August 2023;

WHEREAS, in compliance with Item No. (V)(D)(8)(b)(ii), Annex "H" of the IRR, RFQs were sent to at least three (3) potential suppliers/contractors, namely: Partenaire PH, AR Travel and Tours, and Panthera Entertainment Production;

WHEREAS, in response to the solicitation of offers, quotations were received from: Red Root Artists and Artisans Multipurpose Cooperative (PhP 295,000.00; failed, bidder is not compliant with the Terms of Reference); Imaginimage Corporation (PhP 260,000.00; failed, bidder is not compliant with the Terms of Reference); and **Partenaire Events Management Services (Partenaire PH)**, which submitted the lowest calculated and responsive quotation in the amount of *Three Hundred Thousand Pesos* (PhP 300,000.00) only;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Members of the Bids and Awards Committee of the Department, RESOLVE to RECOMMEND to the Head of the Procuring Entity resort to Negotiated Procurement under Section 53.9 (Small Value Procurement) as the alternative method of procurement for the procurement of event management service provider for the Cultural Immersion Activity for Non-Resident Ambassadors (NRAs) entitled "Mesmerizing Manila" on 09 and 16 August 2023 to **Partenaire Events Management Services (Partenaire PH)**, subject to the abovementioned requirements, and provided that existing auditing rules and regulations shall be strictly observed by the end-user.

ADOPTED, this 8th day of August 2023, Pasay City.



CHARLIE P. MANANGAN
BAC Chairperson



ARMAN R. TALBO
BAC Vice Chairperson



CONRADO B. BEMDEM, JR.
BAC Member

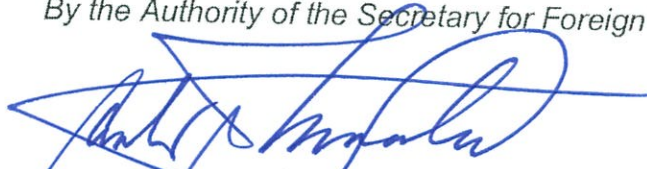


NOEL L. RODRIGUEZ
BAC Member



FRANCISCO NOEL R. FERNANDEZ III
Representative of the End-user

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



ANTONIO A. MORALES
Undersecretary
and Head of the Procuring Entity



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NOTICE OF AWARD

8 August 2023

Sir/Madam:

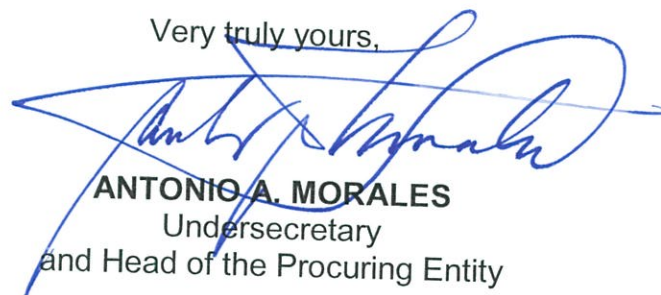
Please be informed that, upon the recommendation of the Bids and Awards Committee (“BAC”) of the Department of Foreign Affairs (“DFA”) as contained in its Resolution No. **HO-148-23**, the DFA is awarding the contract on the following project/procurement to your firm, **Partenaire Events Management Services (Partenaire PH)**:

Project Title	End-User Unit
PROCUREMENT OF EVENT MANAGEMENT SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE CULTURAL IMMERSION ACTIVITY FOR NON-RESIDENT AMBASSADORS (NRAs) ENTITLED “MESMERIZING MANILA” ON 09 AND 16 AUGUST 2023	OP

The contract has a total cost of *Three Hundred Thousand Pesos* (PhP 300,000.00) only, inclusive of 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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