BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

BAC Resolution No. HO-546-24

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING, BY REFERENDUM, AWARD OF CONTRACT THROUGH NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53.9 (SMALL VALUE PROCUREMENT) FOR THE LEASE OF MOTOR VEHICLES FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE PHILIPPINE-PACIFIC HEALTH INITIATIVE: PARTNERSHIP ON SUSTAINABLE HEALTH WORKFORCE SECURITY ON 26 – 30 NOVEMBER 2024

WHEREAS, the Office of Asian and Pacific Affairs ("ASPAC") intends to lease motor vehicles for the International Conference on the Philippine-Pacific Health Initiative: Partnership on Sustainable Health Workforce Security on 26 – 30 November 2024;

WHEREAS, the lease of motor vehicles for the International Conference on the Philippine-Pacific Health Initiative: Partnership on Sustainable Health Workforce Security on 26 – 30 November 2024, with an Approved Budget for the Contract ("ABC") of Six Hundred Eighty – Five Thousand Pesos (PhP 685,000.00) only, chargeable against ASPAC's FY 2024 MOOE under Representation Expenses, is included in the Department's Supplemental Annual Procurement Plan ("SAPP") for FY 2024;

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 19 to 22 November 2024;

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: DLCL Transport; KingYang Tours and Transport; and A&W Tours En Transport Corp.;

WHEREAS, in response to the solicitation of offers, quotations were received from: DLCL Transport (PhP 685,000.00); and *A&W Tours En Transport Corp.*, which submitted the lowest calculated and responsive quotation in the amount of *Six Hundred One Thousand Pesos* (PhP 601,000.00) only;

Page 2 of BAC Resolution No. HO-546-24

NOW, **THEREFORE**, we, the Members of the Bids and Awards Committee of the Department, RESOLVE to RECOMMEND to the Choose an item. resort to Negotiated Procurement under Section 53.9 (Small Value Procurement) as the alternative method of procurement for the lease of motor vehicles for the International Conference on the Philippine-Pacific Health Initiative: Partnership on Sustainable Health Workforce Security on 26 – 30 November 2024 to **A&W Tours En Transport Corp.**, subject to the abovementioned requirements, and provided that existing auditing rules and regulations shall be strictly observed by the end-user.

ADOPTED, this 22nd day of November 2024, Pasay City.

EDGAR B. BADAJOS BAC Chairperson

WINSTON DEAN S. ALMEDA BAC Vice Chairperson

ADRIAN G. MIRAS
BAC Member

RENVIN JED M. MBOJIA BAC Provisional Member

AILEEN S. MENDIOLA-RAU
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

NOTICE OF AWARD

22 November 2024

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-546-24**, the DFA is awarding the contract on the following project/procurement to your firm, **A&W Tours En Transport Corp.**:

Project Title	End-User Unit
LEASE OF MOTOR VEHICLES FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE PHILIPPINE-PACIFIC HEALTH INITIATIVE: PARTNERSHIP ON SUSTAINABLE HEALTH WORKFORCE SECURITY ON 26 – 30 NOVEMBER 2024	ASPAC

The contract has a total cost of *Six Hundred One Thousand Pesos* (PhP 601,000.00) 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

A&W Tours En Transport Corp.

Unit 3-A 3/F, 1729 Dian St. Palanan, Makati City