

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT

GENERAL SOLANO ST., SAN MIGUEL, MANILA

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Resolution No. 2021-19

WHEREAS, the Department of Budget and Management-Bids and Awards Committee (DBM-BAC) conducted Public Bidding for the Project, "Supply and Delivery of Furniture and Fixtures for the DBM Arcache Building," with an Approved Budget for the Contract of P1,500,000.00 through the authorized appropriations under the FY 2021 General Appropriations Act, as reflected in the CY 2021 Annual Procurement Plan;

WHEREAS, on February 23, 2021, the Invitation to Bid for the Project was posted on the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) website, the DBM website, and all DBM bulletin boards;

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2021, after preliminary examination of the bids, the DBM-BAC, using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criteria, determined the submissions of Peniton Trading, Asahi Design Centre, Inc. (Asahi), See Manufacturing Contractor (See Manufacturing), Design and Function, Inc. (Design and Function), and Design Excellence Home and Office Systems Co. (Design Excellence) as "passed" for complying with all the eligibility and technical requirements as stated in the Bidding Documents:

WHEREAS, after evaluation of the financial components of the bids, the bids were ranked based on the total calculated bid prices to identify the Lowest Calculated Bid, as follows:

1. Peniton Trading - P890,000.00

2. See Manufacturing - P987,788.00 (as recalculated)

3. Asahi - P1,227,339.00 4. Design and Function - P1,239,490.00 5. Design Excellence - P1,427,800.00

WHEREAS, the DBM-BAC accordingly declared the submission of Peniton Trading as the Lowest Calculated Bid in the amount of P890,000,00;

WHEREAS, after verification, validation, and ascertainment of all statements made and documents submitted by Peniton Trading, using non-discretionary criteria, as stated in the Bidding Documents, the DBM-BAC determined that the submission of Peniton Trading failed the criteria for post-qualification, particularly for its non-compliance with the required contents of Section VII. Technical Specifications and the Omnibus Sworn Statement, as prescribed in the Bidding Documents for the Project consistent with the format under the 6th edition of the Philippine Bidding Documents, pursuant to Section 25.2 (a) (vii), and Sections 25.2 (a) (viii) and 25.3, respectively, of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184;

WHEREAS, under BAC Resolution No. 2021-16 dated March 23, 2021, the DBM-BAC resolved as follows:

- 1) to declare the post-disqualification of Peniton Trading for the Project, "Supply and Delivery of Furniture and Fixtures for the DBM Arcache Building," and to notify the said bidder in writing about its post-disqualification and the grounds for it, pursuant to Section 34.5 of the of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA No. 9184; and
- to initiate and complete the post-qualification process on the bidder with the second Lowest Calculated Bid, See Manufacturing, pursuant to Section 34.6 of same IRR;

WHEREAS, the DBM-BAC sent the Notice of Post-disqualification to Peniton Trading on March 29, 2021;¹

WHEREAS, Section 55.1 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA No. 9184 provides, among others, that "[d]ecisions of the BAC at any stage of the procurement process may be questioned by filing a request for reconsideration within the three (3) calendar days upon receipt of written notice or upon verbal notification." (emphasis supplied);

WHEREAS, upon verification with the DBM Central Records Division on April 5, 2021, it was gathered that, as of said date, no request for reconsideration from Peniton Trading was received on the DBM-BAC's Notice of Post-disqualification;

WHEREAS, Section 34.6 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA No. 9184 provides that "[i]mmediately after the BAC has notified the first bidder of its post-disqualification, and notwithstanding any pending request for reconsideration thereof, the BAC shall initiate and complete the same post-qualification process on the bidder with the second Lowest Calculated Bid/Highest Rated Bid. **If the second bidder passes the post-qualification, and provided that the request for reconsideration of the first bidder has been denied**, the second bidder shall be post-qualified as the bidder with the LCRB or HRRB." (emphasis supplied);

WHEREAS, considering the foregoing and pursuant to BAC Resolution No. 2021-16, after verification, validation, and ascertainment of all statements made and documents submitted by See Manufacturing, using non-discretionary criteria, as stated in the Bidding Documents, the DBM-BAC found that the submission of See Manufacturing passed all the criteria for post-qualification.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises, the DBM-BAC **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVED**, the following:

- 1. To declare the bid of See Manufacturing Contractor for the Project, "Supply and Delivery of Furniture and Fixtures for the DBM Arcache Building," in the amount of P987,788.00 as the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid, in accordance with Section 34.6 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA No. 9184;
- To recommend to the DBM Secretary, as the Head of the Procuring Entity, that the contract for the Project be awarded to See Manufacturing Contractor in the above-mentioned amount, in accordance with Section 37.1.1 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA No. 9184; and

¹ Dated March 29, 2021, sent via email to Peniton Trading on the same date

3. To notify all other bidders, in writing, of the DBM-BAC's recommendation within three (3) calendar days from the issuance of the resolution recommending award of the contract, pursuant to Section 37.1.1 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

ADOPTED, this 6th day of April 2021 at the Department of Budget and Management, General Solano St., San Miguel, Manila.

Thea Marie Corinne F. Palarca

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End-user Representative

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ROWEL D. ESCALANTE

Member

Digitally signed by Andrea Celene

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ANDREA CELENE M. MAGTALAS

Vice Chairperson

Digitally signed by Janet B. Abuel

JANET B. ABUEL Chairperson

Approved

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WENDEL E. AVISADO
Secretary

Date:



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES **DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT**

GENERAL SOLANO STREET, SAN MIGUEL, MANILA

NOTICE OF AWARD

MR. MARLON O. CARIÑO See Manufacturing Contractor 140 Aurora Blvd. San Juan City

Dear Mr. Cariño:

We are pleased to inform you that the contract for the Project, "Supply and Delivery of Furniture and Fixtures for the DBM Arcache Building," is hereby awarded to See Manufacturing Contractor in the amount of P987,788.00.

In this regard, you are hereby required to post a performance security, which shall remain valid until the issuance of the Certificate of Final Acceptance by the Department of Budget and Management (DBM), in the amount and form prescribed in Section 39 of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act No. 9184 (the Government Procurement Reform Act).

Pursuant to Section 37.2.1 of the same IRR, you have ten (10) calendar days from receipt of this Notice to post the said performance security and enter into a contract with the DBM.

Thank you and God Bless.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

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19 April 2021