

BAC RESOLUTION NO. 013

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RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT via
PUBLIC BIDDING FOR GOODS TO IDENICO COMPUTER CORP. FOR THE
PROCUREMENT OF TWENTY-FIVE (25) UNITS OF MID-RANGE LAPTOP
COMPUTERS (ITB 2024 – 04)

WHEREAS, the Philippine Information Agency – Management Information Systems Division (MISD) submitted its Purchase Request for the PROCUREMENT OF TWENTY-FIVE (25) UNITS OF MID-RANGE LAPTOP COMPUTERS (ITB 2024 – 04) with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of ONE MILLION NINE HUNDRED THOUSAND PESOS ONLY (PHP 1,900,000.00) inclusive of tax and included in the Annual Procurement Plan of the Agency;

WHEREAS, the *Bids and Awards Committee (BAC)*, as mandated by Republic Act (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act" is the body tasked to post invitation to bid, to conduct pre-bid conferences, to determine the eligibility of prospective bidders, to receive and open bids, to conduct the evaluation of bids, to conduct post qualification and to recommend award of contract to the Head of the Procuring Entity (HoPE);

WHEREAS, pursuant to the rules of Competitive Bidding, the BAC together with its Secretariat, member of the Technical Working Group (TWG) and End-User representative conducted a Pre-Procurement Conference on 23 April 2024 at 3:00 P.M.;

WHEREAS, on 29 April 2024, Invitation to Bid (ITB 2024-04): Public Bidding for Goods for the **Procurement of Twenty-Five (25) Units of Mid-Range Laptop Computers** was published in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS), in the PIA website (www.pia.gov.ph), PIA official social media account and on the BAC Bulletin Board within the premises of PIA;

WHEREAS, for purposes of transparency and good governance, the BAC, through its Secretariat, invited observers from the Commission on Audit (COA) and two (2) other non-government organizations namely Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PCCI), and Philippine Rural Reconstruction Movement (PRRM) to witness the Pre-Bid Conference and Bid Opening. However, only the representative from COA attended during the bid opening activity. Copies of the letters of invitation are hereto attached;

WHEREAS, on 7 May 2024 at 9:00 A.M., the BAC held a Pre-Bid Conference via hybrid set-up, to discuss the eligibility requirements and the technical and financial components of the contract to be bid, in which five (5) prospective bidders attended the said activity through videoconferencing via the official Google Meet Link (*meet.google.com/bhv-mswp-qbn*);

WHEREAS, in response to the aforementioned Invitation to Bid, six (6) bidders purchased the bidding documents and submitted their bid proposals within the deadline set on 20 May 2024 at 12:00 noon, to wit: [copies of the Official Receipts (ORs) are hereto attached]

Name of Bidder	Time of Submission	
Inkbiz Ventures, Inc.	8:58 A.M.	
DCI Int'l I.T Solutions and Services Corp.	9:35 A.M.	
Idenico Computer Corp.	10:28 A.M.	
Macrologic Diversified Technologies Inc.	10:51 A.M.	
Quartz Business Product Corporation	11:05 A.M.	
Nuntius Electronics Inc.	11:41 A.M.	

WHEREAS, during the Opening of Bids on 20 May 2024 at 1:30 P.M., the BAC in quorum, through its Secretariat, conducted the opening of bids and preliminary examination and following were the results:

Name of Bidder	Result	Remarks	
Inkbiz Ventures, Inc.	Passed	Compliant with the Checklists	
·		of Requirements - Technical	
		Component	
DCI Int'l I.T Solutions and Services	Passed	Compliant with the Checklists	
Corp.		of Requirements - Technical	
r		Component	
Idenico Computer Corp.	Passed	Compliant with the Checklists	
		of Requirements – Technical	
		Component	
Macrologic Diversified Technologies	Passed	Compliant with the Checklists	
Inc.		of Requirements – Technical	
		Component	
Quartz Business Product Corporation	Passed	Compliant with the Checklists	
		of Requirements – Technical	
		Component	
Nuntius Electronics Inc.	Failed	Non-Compliant with the Net	
		Financial Contracting Capacity	
		(NFCC) – incorrect amount	
		reflected and Secretary	
		Certificate – incorrect date	

WHEREAS, five (5) bidders passed the preliminary evaluation and were declared eligible, thus, their financial proposals were opened. On the other hand, *Nuntius Electronics Inc.* did not pass the preliminary evaluation of its eligibility requirements and technical documents and was declared ineligible, therefore, its financial proposal was left unopened;

WHEREAS, following the above results, the Envelope No. 2 (Financial Component) submitted by the eligible bidders were opened and was determined by the BAC to be compliant with the requirements particularly the Bid Price and the Bid Form as submitted. Thus, the result was read as follows:

Name of Bidder	Amount of Bid as Read	Rank
	(PHP)	
Idenico Computer Corp.	1,532,500.00	1
Inkbiz Ventures, Inc.	1,537,000.00	2
Quartz Business Product Corporation	1,611,450.00	3
DCI Int'l I.T Solutions and Services Corp.	1,735,000.00	4
Macrologic Diversified Technologies Inc.	1,815,000.00	5

WHEREAS, the BAC declared Idenico Computer Corp. as having the Lowest Calculated Bid (LCB), and was subjected to Post-Qualification Evaluation on 28 May 2024, pursuant to Section 34.2 of the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (RIRR) of R.A No. 9184, to determine whether it complies with and is responsive to all requirements and conditions specified in the Bidding Documents;

WHEREAS, on 28 May 2024, pursuant to the instruction of the BAC, the designated member of the TWG conducted the necessary Post-Qualification Evaluation activity to Idenico Computer Corp. to verify and validate the bidder's submitted documents which were found to be compliant with and responsive to all the requirements and conditions specified in the Bidding Documents and thus post qualified;

WHEREAS, after careful examination, validation, and verification of all eligibility, technical and financial requirements, the bid of Idenico Computer Corp. was found to conform to the requirements of PIA and the law, and its bid proposal of **ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY-TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED PESOS ONLY (PHP 1,532,500.00)**, inclusive of tax, is within the ABC and advantageous to the government, thereby rendering the same having the *Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid (LCRB)*;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, WE, the Members of the PIA BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE, by virtue of the powers vested on us by law, hereby RECOMMEND the award via Public Bidding of Goods to IDENICO COMPUTER CORP. for the PROCUREMENT OF TWENTY-FIVE (25) UNITS OF MID-RANGE LAPTOP COMPUTERS in the amount of ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY-TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED PESOS ONLY (PHP 1,532,500.00) inclusive of appropriate taxes and fees.

This resolution shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED this 4th day of June 2024 at Quezon City, Philippines.

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