

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Resolution No. 381 s. 2023

A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT THROUGH THE USE OF ALTERNATIVE MODE OF PROCUREMENT (AMP), IN PARTICULAR NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT (SMALL VALUE PROCUREMENT) FOR PARTICIPATION TO PROFICIENCY TESTING FOR COAL ANALYSIS

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) received a memorandum dated 15 September 2023 from Dir. Amelia M. de Guzman, CESO IV of the Energy Research and Testing Laboratory Services (ERTLS) requesting the BAC's approval through the use of Alternative Mode of Procurement for the Participation to Proficiency Testing for Coal Analysis with an approved budget for the contract of Twenty Thousand Pesos Only (Php20,000.00);

WHEREAS, this procurement has been included in the Department's CY 2023 Annual Procurement Plan approved by the Head of Procuring Entity;

WHEREAS, Sections 48.1, 53 and 53.9 Rule XVI of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. No. 9184 authorized the conduct of Negotiated Procurement under the AMP, the pertinent provisions of which are quoted as follows:

"Sec. 48.1 Alternative Methods. — Subject to the prior approval of the Head of the Procuring Entity, and whenever justified by the conditions provided in this Act, the Procuring Entity may, in order to promote economy and efficiency, resort to any of the alternative methods of procurement provided in this Rule. In all instances, the procuring entity shall ensure that the most advantageous price for the Government is obtained:

 $X \times X$

"Sec. 53. Negotiated Procurement is a method of procurement of goods, infrastructure projects and consulting services whereby the procuring entity directly negotiates a contract with a technically, legally and financially capable supplier, contractor or consultant only in the following cases;

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"Sec. 53.9. Small Value Procurement. Procurement of Goods, Infrastructure Projects and Consulting Services, where the amount involved does not exceed the threshold prescribe in Annex "H" of this IRR: Provided, That in case of Goods, the procurement does not fall under Shopping in Section 52 of this IRR"

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WHEREAS, except for those with ABCs equal to Fifty Thousand Pesos (Php50,000.00) and below, RFQs shall be posted for a period of three (3) calendar days in the PhilGEPS website, website of the Procuring Entity, if available, and at any conspicuous place reserved for this purpose in the premises of the Procuring Entity:

WHEREAS, the BAC received three (3) quotations from website posting, which were endorsed to the BAC-Technical Working Group (TWG) for evaluation, details of which are as follows;

ž*	ABC (Php)	Bids (Php)		
Particulars		RMB Industrial Stationers CC Trading as Coal Concepts	Orgrez	Proficiency Testing Australia
Participation to Proficiency Testing for Coal Analysis	20,000.00	US\$ 208.00/ PhP 11,831.04	CZK 15,300.00/ PhP 37,485.00	AU\$ 1,400.00/ PhP 51,198.00

Note: Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas exchange rates as of 12 October 2023:

US \$ = PhP 56.88

AU \$ = PhP 36.57

Czech Koruna (CZK) = PhP 2.45

WHEREAS, based on the abstract of quotations thoroughly evaluated by the BAC-Technical Working Group (TWG) as indicated in the attached summary, and endorsing to the BAC during its Regular BAC Meeting No. 37 on 12 October 2023, the award of contract to RMB Industrial Stationers CC Trading as Coal Concepts for having submitted the Lowest Calculated Responsive Bid is hereby recommended;

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, upon motion duly made by <u>Ms. Rosa Maria C. Briones</u>, the proponent of the activity, be it:

- APPROVE the BAC-TWG findings and recommendation for the award of contract for the Participation to Proficiency Testing for Coal Analysis, to RMB Industrial Stationers CC Trading as Coal Concepts in the amount of Two Hundred Eight Dollars Only (US\$208.00) or its Peso equivalent at the time of approval of PO inclusive of bank charges but not to exceed the ABC of Php20,000.00;
- 2. **RECOMMEND** to the Head of Procuring Entity, the approval of the award of the above-mentioned contract; and,
- 3. **FURNISH** the Commission on Audit, for its information and reference, a copy of this Resolution immediately after its approval by the Head of Procuring Entity;

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APPROVĘD BY:

FELIX WILLIAM B. FUENTEBELLA
Undersecretary

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NOTICE OF AWARD (NOA)

MS. MEERA BABOOLAL RMB Industrial Stationers (Trading as Coal Concepts) P. O Box 2691 Richards Bay 3900

Dear Ms. Baboolal:

This is to inform you that upon the recommendation of the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), we hereby award to RMB INDUSTRIAL STATIONERS (TRADING AS COAL CONCEPTS) the contract for the Participation to Proficiency Testing for Coal Analysis in the amount of Two Hundred Eight US Dollars (US\$208.00) or its Peso equivalent at the time of approval of PO inclusive of bank charges but not to exceed the ABC of Php20,000.00.

NOA shall be concurred within three (3) days upon notification. Please return the signed NOA to the BAC Secretariat within the same period and failure to do so shall constitute sufficient ground for the cancellation of this Award without prejudice to other available remedy and sanctions that the DOE may resort to.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

FELIX WILLIAM BY

Undersecretary

Received By:	
Signature over Printed Name	e
Position and Company	
Date and Time Received	