



Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
 (Kagawaran ng Enerhiya)

2023-04-035NTP

NOTICE TO PROCEED

MR. DARWIN L. CAPPAL

Field Implementation Manager
 Mara Linux and Business Solutions Inc.
 Unit 205 First Capitol Place, 1st Street cor. Phil-Am St.
 Brgy. Kapitolyo, Pasig City

Dear Mr. Cappal:

In reference to the approved contract awarded through BAC Resolution No. 039 s. 2023 for the "Procurement of Server Network Infra and Security Software License Maintenance and Support Services – Lot 2: Anti-DDoS Protection Service of the Department of Energy (DOE)" in the amount of **Two Million Four Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Pesos Only (Php2,499,000.00)**, executed by and between the Department of Energy (DOE) and Mara Linux and Business Solutions Inc. we hereby issue this Notice to Proceed (NTP) for Mara Linux and Business Solutions Inc. to start the implementation of the contract.

Upon receipt of this NTP, Mara Linux and Business Solutions Inc. shall be responsible for completing the services under the Terms and Conditions of the Contract in accordance with the Implementation Schedule.

Please acknowledge receipt and acceptance of this notice by signing at the portion provided below.

Please be guided accordingly.

Very truly yours,

FELIX WILLIAM B. FUENTEBELLA
 Undersecretary

RECEIVED BY: *[Signature]*
 DAWIN CAPPAL
 Signature over Printed Name
 AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE / MARA LINUX and BUSINESS SOLUTIONS, INC.
 Position and Company
 MAY 10, 2023 / 1:56 P.M.
 Date and Time Received

MEMORANDUM

FOR : **FELIX WILLIAM B. FUENTEBELLA**
Undersecretary

THRU : **MYLENE C. CAPONGCOL**
Assistant Secretary

FROM : **ARTEMIO P. HABITAN**
OIC-Director, ITMS

SUBJECT : **REQUEST FOR SIGNATURE ON THE CONTRACT AND NOTICE TO PROCEED (NTP) FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF SERVER NETWORK INFRA AND SECURITY SOFTWARE LICENSE MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT SERVICES – LOT 2: ANTI-DDOS PROTECTION SERVICE**

DATE : **17 APRIL 2023**

I. INTRODUCTION


1. The procurement aims to renew / continue the security licenses and corresponding technical support services for the DOE's virtual servers/network infrastructure/platform, it's management and DOE website security from cybersecurity threats. Lot 2 is the service subscription that shields and protects our DOE website and other sites under doe.gov.ph domain from Distributed Denial-of-Service attacks and other outside threats / attacks which is a vital security component to leverage our agency's Cybersecurity measures.

II. MANDATE

2. The ITMS is mandated to formulate policies, plans and programs relative to information and communications technology, geo-informatics, and data and information management, and ensures effective implementation thereof and compliance with government rules, regulations and standard.

III. BACKGROUND

3. The procurement of Server Network Infra and Security Software License Maintenance and Support Services – Lot 2: Anti-DDoS Protection Service for One (1) Year was awarded to Mara Linux and Business Solutions Inc. under BAC Resolution Number 039 s. 2023 dated March 7, 2023, with the contract amount of P 2,499,000.00.


CLERK
By: 

IV. ACTION REQUESTED

4. In view thereof, the Information Technology and Management Services would like to seek the Undersecretary's signature on the attached Contract and Notice to Proceed (NTP).

V. PRAYER

5. For the Undersecretary's consideration.

CLERK OF THE COURT
EL PASO COUNTY
BY  E. S. [unclear]