



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Health

CENTRAL OFFICE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

COBAC RESOLUTION NO. 2020-339

30 October 2020

RECOMMENDING APPROVAL OF THE AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF SPSS SOFTWARE LICENSE SVP NO. 2020-049

WHEREAS, the Central Office Bids and Awards Committee (COBAC)-B received the request from the Knowledge Management and Information Technology Service (KMITS) for the Procurement of SPSS Software License in accordance with the Republic Act (RA) 9184 and its 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) through the General Appropriations Act (GAA) of 2020 with a Total Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of Five Hundred Thousand Philippine Pesos (PhP500,000.00):

Item No.	Item Description	Qty.	Unit	Total ABC (Php)
1	SPSS Software License	1	Piece	500,000.00

WHEREAS, COBAC Resolution No. 2020-339, "Recommending Approval to Use Alternative Method of Procurement through Small Value Modality for the Procurement of SPSS Software License under SVP No. 2020-049", was approved;

WHEREAS, on 05 September 2020, the Request for Quotation (RFQ) was posted in the DOH Website as well as in the conspicuous places within the premises of the DOH;

WHEREAS, the RFQ was sent through electronic mail (e-mail) to four (4) prospective bidders, to wit:

1. Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. (AMTI);
2. Strategic Research and Development Center, Inc. (SRDCI); /
3. Strategic Synergy, Inc. (SSI); and,
4. Trends and Technologies, Inc. (TTI).

WHEREAS, pursuant to Annex "H" Section (V)(D)(8)(b)(ii) of the 2016 IRR 9184, *the BAC shall prepare and send the RFQs to at least three (3) suppliers of known qualifications and receipt of at least one (1) quotation is sufficient to proceed with the evaluation thereof;*

WHEREAS, the Technical Working Group (TWG) was created through the issuance of Department Personnel Order (DPO) COBAC No. 2020-316 dated 08 September 2020;

WHEREAS, on 09 September 2020, the Submission and Opening of Quotation was conducted and took place as scheduled at 9:00 A.M. at the COBAC Conference Room, DOH. However, no quotation was received;

WHEREAS, on the same date, the COBAC-B upon deliberation, decided to extend the deadline for submission of the Price Quotation until 18 September 2020;

WHEREAS, on 14 September 2020, the Request for Quotation (RFQ) was re-posted again in the DOH Website;

WHEREAS, the RFQ was also sent to the following additional prospective bidders:

1. Microdata Systems and Management Inc. (MSMI)
2. Infocentric Solutions, Inc. (ISI); and,
3. Commsource Systems & Solutions, Inc. (CSISI);

WHEREAS, on 18 September 2020, the Submission and Opening of Quotation was conducted and took place as scheduled at 9:00 A.M. at the COBAC Conference Room, DOH. However, no bid was received;

WHEREAS, on the same date, the COBAC-B upon deliberation, decided to extend the deadline for submission of the Price Quotation until 02 October 2020;

WHEREAS, on 23 September 2020, the Request for Quotation (RFQ) was posted in DOH Website;

WHEREAS, the RFQ was also sent to the following additional prospective bidders;

1. Maximum Solutions, Inc.(MSI)
2. Nera Philippines, Inc. (NP);
3. OSI Solutions, Inc. (OSISI); and,
4. Strategic Research and Development Center, Inc. (SRDCI),

WHEREAS, on 30 September 2020, one (1) prospective bidder, SRDCI, submitted its quotation;

WHEREAS, on 02 October 2020, the slated scheduled date of Submission and Opening of Bids was closed on at 9:00 A.M. However, the submitted quotation last 30 September 2020 was inadvertently overlooked by the secretariat in-charge. Hence, the opening of quotation was re-scheduled on 09 October 2020 instead.

WHEREAS, on 07 October 2020, the COBAC-B issued a letter to SRDCI informing that the Committee decided to re-schedule the Opening of Quotation on 09 October 2020;

WHEREAS, on 09 October 2020, the Opening of Quotation took place as scheduled at 9:00 A.M. at the COBAC Conference Room, DOH wherein the submitted quotations last 30 of the lone bidder namely, SRDCI was opened;

WHEREAS, the envelope containing the Eligibility documents was opened and the presence, completeness and correctness of all the documents was verified by the COBAC-B. Upon examination, the documents submitted by SRDCI was declared "ELIGIBLE" and "PASSED" and its proposal was read out publicly and posted in the Abstract of Bid, to wit:

Name of Company				SRDCI	
REMARKS				ELIGIBLE AND PASSED	
Item No.	Item Description	Qty.	Unit	TOTAL ABC (Php)	BID AS READ (Php)
1	SPSS Software License	1	Piece	500,000.00	327,600.00

WHEREAS, SRDCI was declared single bidder (SB) as read subject to further review and correction of the financial proposal, if necessary;

WHEREAS, on 12 October 2020, the detailed evaluation on of the submitted proposals on the legal, technical and financial aspects of the documents of SRDCI was undertaken by the designated TWG;

WHEREAS, on 16 October 2020, the TWG-financial submitted the Abstract of Quotations as calculated, to wit;

Item No. 1: One (1) piece – SPSS Software License

Bidder's Rank	Name of Company	ABC (Php)	Bid Price as Calculated (Php)	% Variance from ABC
Single Calculated Quotation	SRDCI	500,000.00	327,600.00	34.48%

WHEREAS, on 21 October 2020, the cited TWG report was presented to COBAC-B. Upon deliberation, the COBAC-B concurred with the recommendation of the TWG to declare the bid of SRDCI as “complying” and “responsive”. Therefore, the COBAC-B resolved to recommend the award of contract in favor of SRDCI;


NOW THEREFORE, on the basis of the above, the herein members of the COBAC-B HEREBY RESOLVES to recommend the award of contract to Strategic Research and Development Center, Inc., determined as the Single Calculated and Responsive Quotation (SCRO) with a Total Contract Price of Three Hundred Twenty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Philippine Pesos, (Php327,600.00), inclusive of taxes for the item listed below:


Item No.	Particular	Qty.	Unit	Total Bid Price (Php)
1	SPSS Software License	1	Piece	327,600.00


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Signed this ____ day of ____ 2020 at the Department of Health, San Lazaro Compound, Sta. Cruz, Manila.

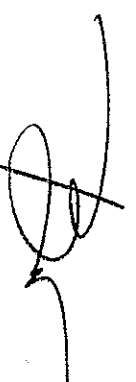
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