

**BIDS & AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC) – INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES A (ITR A)
RESOLUTION NO. 142 s. 2024**

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE HEAD OF THE PROCURING ENTITY THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT ON THE BIDDING FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF DESKTOP COMPUTER, MID-RANGE UNDER INVITATION TO BID NO. DCMR 2024-12-ITRA TO JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. AS THE BIDDER WITH THE SINGLE CALCULATED AND RESPONSIVE BID (SCRB)

WHEREAS, based on the approved Purchase Request (PR) No. 24-0019-PB, the Information Technology Management Department (ITMD) requested for the Procurement of Desktop Computer, Mid-Range through Competitive Bidding with the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of Nine Million Eight Hundred Forty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Pesos (P9,847,950.00) which is included in the 4th Batch of CY 2024 Annual Procurement Plan (APP);

WHEREAS, on 02 July 2024, the Bidding Documents and the Invitation to Bid (IB) No. DCMR 2024-12-ITRA for the subject procurement were posted at the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS), PhilHealth website and conspicuous places located in the PhilHealth Head Office in compliance with Section 21 of the 2016 Revised IRR of Republic Act No. 9184;

WHEREAS, on 10 July 2024, the Pre-Bid Conference for the subject procurement was conducted to address the inquiries and clarifications raised by the prospective bidders. Accordingly, the Bid Bulletin No. 01 was issued on 17 July 2024;

WHEREAS, in view of the suspension of work in government offices within the National Capital Region (NCR) due to the continuous rain brought about by the Southwest Monsoon and Typhoon Carina, the Notice of Postponement and Change of Schedule was issued on 24 July 2024 stating that the Submission and Opening of Bids were postponed and moved from 24 July 2024 to 29 July 2024;

WHEREAS, on 26 July 2024, a Notice was issued stating the extension of the obtainment and submission of bids from 24 July 2024 to 29 July 2024;

WHEREAS, in response to the posted procurement opportunity, only (1) bidder obtained the bidding documents which is JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. and timely submitted its bid before the deadline for submission of bids on 29 July 2024;

WHEREAS, in the Opening of Bids on 29 July 2024 and Bid Evaluation which was conducted on the same date, JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. was declared as the bidder with the Single Calculated Bid (SCB) with a financial bid of Nine Million Five Hundred Twenty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Pesos (P9,529,230.00). Subsequently, JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. was subjected for post-qualification and evaluation;

WHEREAS, the Technical Working Group (TWG)-Information Technology Resources (ITR) A conducted the post-qualification, evaluation and verification of the documentary requirements submitted by JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. on 01 August 2024 and conducted a site visit and ocular inspection on 07 August 2024 ;

WHEREAS, the TWG-ITR A presented its post-qualification evaluation report thru its Chairperson, Engr. Ronald E. Hantid, during the BAC-ITR A meeting on 09 August 2024. The

TWG-ITR A reported that after inspection and evaluation of the eligibility, technical, financial and additional post-qualification requirements submitted, JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. found to be **"POST-DISQUALIFIED"** with some of the standard specifications specified in the Technical Specifications, to wit:

"Technical Requirements: FAILED. The proponent was NOT able to comply with all the Technical Requirements specifically under Annex A (Technical Specifications).

First, under Security Details, our minimum requirement is USB enable/display (via BIOS). This requirement was not found/shown during the actual demonstration. Also, said minimum requirement was not found/seen in the brochures attached to their submitted bid documents. However, we note that MSI being the principal, issued a certification that JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP., to which the latter included in their bidding documents, stating that their proposed unit (MSI PRO DP180 14th (i7) complies with PhilHealth's security specification requirement.

Second, under the Display Monitor Technology, our minimum requirement is LED (Light-Emitting Diodes), defined as flat panel that uses an array of light-emitting diodes as pixels for a video display, was not found or shown in the brochures attached or provided."

WHEREAS, after due deliberation, the BAC-ITR A adopted the recommendation of the TWG-ITR A to post-disqualify JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. for non-compliance with some of the standard specifications in the Technical Requirements;

WHEREAS, a Notice of Post-Disqualification dated 14 August 2024 was issued to JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP., which was received on the same date;

WHEREAS, JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. filed their Motion for Reconsideration (MR) dated 15 August 2024 on 16 August 2024 which was received by the Secretariat for the Bids and Awards Committees (SBAC) on the same date;

WHEREAS, on 22 August 2024 BAC-ITR A meeting, the SBAC presented the MR stating the pertinent justification, to wit:

"Under Security Details, MSI Philippines confirms that our offered model: MSI Pro DP180 has a function of USB enable/display (via BIOS), which was shown in the certificates provided by MSI during the bidding. It was not discussed during the "Pre-Bid Conference" and not indicated in the "Bidding Documents" that we need to provide demo unit with exact specification of being offered to be presented during post-qualification. Considering that said function is CTO (custom to build), which would require from 20 to 30 days to ship from MSI factory, the model presented did not contain this particular function due to lack of sufficient notice on the part of your good office. Since the function of USB enable/display (via BIOS) was only relayed to us a day before the bidding, there was no more time to have this CTO function integrated in the model presented during the bidding. Nevertheless, this particular function can easily be incorporated in the model presented during the bidding if only our company was given sufficient notice of the said requirement.

Under the Display Monitor Technology, MSI Philippines assured us that the display in our offered model: MSI Pro MP251 is typically an LCD with LED (Light Emitting Diodes) since CCFL backlit was

replace since 2010 and in mid-2000s most monitors use Cathode-Ray Tube (CRT). Hence, all LCD monitors have LED. The word "LED" is not anymore written in the brochure since all the monitors in the various computer brands are using LED across all brands."

WHEREAS, in the said MR, JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. attached the letter from MSI Philippines stating the pertinent portion, to wit:

*"It was mentioned in the letter that the demo unit of MSI PRO DP180 14th (i7) was not seen 'the USB enable/disable (via BIOS) functions' during the post qualification. We have provided certificates during the bidding confirming that the model offered are complying with the security requirements. **If the actual demo unit is a must during the post qualifications, this should be clearly discussed during pre-bid or written in the bid bulletin. The USB enable/disable (via BIOS) functions is CTO (custom to build) and NOT being offered in the local market.***

Although it's the discretion of your agency to add any requirements, but requesting demo exactly as what we offered will be difficult to the bidders and principal to provide in a short notice especially if its CTO (custom to build). Usually, it requires 20-30 days to ship the unit from MSI factory.

The display in modern monitor is typically an LCD with LED (Light Emitting Diodes) since CCFL backlit was replaced in 2010 and in mid-2000s most monitors used Cathode-Ray Tube (CRT). The word LED is not commonly written in the brochure since all the monitors is using LED across all the brands. We highlight the types of panel since IPS, TN and VA panel are the available in the market and the screen resolution either it is FHD (Full High Definition), UHD, QHD, WUXGA.

Rest assured that we will deliver exactly your requirement. Upon inspection, we can show all what is written in the technical specs and if you found missing or not compliant you have all the means to reject our delivery."


WHEREAS, after thorough discussion and deliberation of the MR, the BAC-ITR A concurred with the recommendation to grant its motion and declare JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. as the bidder with the Single Calculated and Responsive Bid (SCRB);

PREMISES CONSIDERED, the BAC-ITR A **RESOLVED**, to recommend to the President and CEO, as the Head of the Procuring Entity, the award of the contract on the bidding for the **Procurement of Desktop Computer, Mid-Range** with Invitation to Bid No. DCMR 2024-12-ITRA to JONECO TECH MARKETING CORP. as the bidder with the Single Calculated and Responsive Bid.

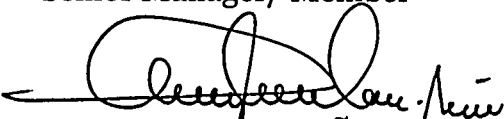
IT IS SO RESOLVED.

Signed this 22nd day of August 2024 at Pasig City, Philippines.


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☒ APPROVED
☐ DISAPPROVED
☐ Others _____



EMMANUEL R. LEDESMA, JR.
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Date Signed: 09/27/2024