

CONTRACT ON THE BIDDING FOR THE  
PROCUREMENT OF ONE (1) LOT IT EQUIPMENT CO-LOCATION AND ISP  
FOR ONLINE SERVICES FOR THREE (3) YEARS  
(IB No. COLOC 2024-02-ITRA)

AUG 15 2024

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
2024, in the City of PASIG CITY, Metro Manila, by and between:

**PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION (PHILHEALTH)**,  
a government owned and controlled corporation duly organized and existing by virtue of  
Republic Act No. (RA) 7875, otherwise known as the "National Health Insurance Act", as  
amended by RA 9241 and RA 10606, with principal office address at 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, Citystate  
Centre Bldg., 709 Shaw Blvd. corner Oranbo Drive, Pasig City, represented herein by its  
President and Chief Executive Officer (PCEO), **EMMANUEL R. LEDESMA, JR.**, duly  
authorized to enter into this Contract, as evidenced by Secretary's Certificate, which is  
attached hereto as Annex "A", hereinafter referred to as the "**PHILHEALTH**";

-and-

**THE JOINT VENTURE CONVERGE INFORMATION AND  
COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS, INC. AND COMCLARK  
NETWORK & TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION**, a joint venture duly organized and  
existing under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, with business address at New  
Street Building, Mac Arthur Highway, Balibago, Angeles City, Pampanga, represented  
herein by its authorized representatives, **EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT & CHIEF  
COMMERCIAL OFFICER, BENJAMIN REX EMILIO B. AZADA, SENIOR VICE  
PRESIDENT & DEPUTY CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER, CHRISTINE RENEE  
R. BLABAGNO AND SALES MANAGER, CECIL S. GARCIA** (hereinafter called  
"**CONVERGE AND COMCLARK (JV)**", duly authorized for this purpose as evidenced  
by **CONVERGE AND COMCLARK (JV)** Joint Venture Agreement, copy attached  
hereto as Annex "B",

**WHEREAS, PHILHEALTH** invited Bids for certain goods and ancillary  
services particularly on the **Procurement of one (1) Lot IT Equipment Co-  
Location and ISP for Online Services for Three (3) Years** and has accepted the  
Bid through a Joint Venture of **CONVERGE INFORMATION AND  
COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS, INC. AND COMCLARK  
NETWORK & TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION**, for the supply of those goods and  
services in the sum of, **Fifty-Seven Million Five Hundred Eighty Eight Thousand  
Eight Hundred Eighty Eight Pesos, (P57,588,888.00)** (hereinafter called "**the  
Contract Price**").

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:


- In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are  
respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to.
- The following documents as required by the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and  
Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184 shall be deemed to form and be read and  
construed as part of this Agreement, viz:
  - PHILHEALTH's** Secretary's Certificate (**Annex "A"**);
  - CONVERGE and COMCLARK's** Secretary's Certificate (**Annex "C"**);
  - Philippine Bidding Documents (PBDs);
    - Schedule of Requirements (**Annex "D"**);
    - Technical Specifications (**Annex "E"**);
    - General and Special Conditions of the Contract (**Annex "F"**); and
    - Bid Bulletin No. 01 (**Annex "G"**);
    - Bid Bulletin No. 02 (**Annex "H"**);

- (d) **CONVERGE AND COMCLARK (JV)**'s Bid; including the Eligibility requirements, Technical and Financial Proposals, and all other documents or statements submitted (**Annex "I"**);  
Bid form, including all the documents/statements contained in the Bidder's bidding envelopes, as annexes, and all other documents submitted (e.g., Bidder's response to request for clarifications on the bid), including corrections to the bid, if any, resulting from the Procuring Entity's bid evaluation;
- (e) Performance Security (**Annex "J"**);
- (f) Notice of Award of Contract and the Bidder's conforme thereto (**Annex "K"**); and,
- (g) Other contract document that may be required by existing laws and/or the **PHILHEALTH** in the PBDs. **CONVERGE AND COMCLARK (JV)** agrees that the additional contract documents or information prescribed by the GPPB that are subsequently required for submission after the contract execution, such as the Notice to Proceed, Variation Orders, and Warranty Security, shall likewise form part of the Contract.


3. In consideration for the sum of **Fifty-Seven Million Five Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Eight Pesos, (P57,588,888.00)** or such other sums as may be ascertained **CONVERGE AND COMCLARK (JV)** agrees to provide the **One (1) Lot IT Equipment Co-Location and ISP for Online Services for Three (3) Years** in accordance with its Bid.
4. **PHILHEALTH** agrees to pay **CONVERGE AND COMCLARK (JV)** the above-mentioned sum in accordance with the terms of the Bidding.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with the laws of the Republic of the Philippines on the day and year first above written.

**PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION**

  
**EMMANUEL R. LEDESMA, JR.**  
President and Chief Executive Officer


**CONVERGE INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS, INC.**


  
**BENJAMIN REX EMILIO B. AZADA**  
Executive Vice President & Chief Commercial Officer


  
**CHRISTINE RENEE R. BLABAGNO**  
Senior Vice President & Deputy Chief Financial Officer

**COMCLARK NETWORK & TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION**

  
**CECIL S. GARCIA**  
Sales Manager

  
**CHRISTIAN G. QUINO**  
Key Account Manager  
Converge ICT Solutions, Inc.

  
**REGINE CLARE REJONOCO**  
Bid Analyst & Special Project and Innovative Digital Solutions  
Converge Network & Technology Corp

  
**NELSON S. DE VERA**  
Acting Senior Manager, Information Technology Management Dept.  
PhilHealth



**Recommending Approval:**

**JOVITA V. ARAGONA**


Senior Vice President and Chief Information Officer  
Information Management Sector  
**PhilHealth**


**ATTY. ELI DINO D. SANTOS**

Executive Vice President & Chief Operating Officer  
**PhilHealth**

**Signed in the presence of:**

  
**NELSON S. DE VERA**  
Acting Senior Manager  
Information Technology  
Management Department  
**PhilHealth**

  
**CHRISTIAN G. QUINO**  
Key Account Manager  
**Converge Information and Communication  
Technology Solutions, Inc.**

  
**REGINE CLAIRE FELONGCO**  
Bid Analyst & Special Project and  
Innovative Digital Solutions  
**Comclark Network & Technology Corp.**

  
**EMMANUEL R. LEDESMA, JR.**  
President and Chief Executive Officer  
**PhilHealth**

  
**BENJAMIN REX EMILIO B. AZADA**  
EVP & Chief Commercial Officer  
**Converge ICT Solutions, Inc.**

  
**CHRISTINE BENEE & BLABAGNO**  
SVP & Deputy Chief Financial Officer  
**Converge ICT Solutions, Inc.**

  
**CECY S. GARCIA**  
Sales Manager  
**ComClark Network & Technology Corp.**





ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)  
CITY OF PASIG CITY ) S.S.

BEFORE ME, this 15 day of AUG 15 2024 2024, personally appeared the following persons exhibiting to me their respective Government issued ID's, to wit:

EMMANUEL R. LEDESMA, JR. PhilHealth Company ID No. 10396822  
Philippine Health Insurance Corporation

BENJAMIN REX EMILIO B. AZADA  
Converge Information and  
Communications Technology  
Solutions Inc.

CHRISTINE RENEE R. BLABAGNO  
Converge Information and  
Communications Technology  
Solutions Inc.

CECIL S. GARCIA  
Comclark Network & Solutions, Inc.

Known to me to be the same persons who executed the foregoing Contract on the Bidding for the Procurement of One (1) Lot IT Equipment Co-Location and ISP for Online Services for Three (3) Years (IB No. COLOC 2024-02-ITRA) consisting of five hundred twenty-six (526) pages including the annexes and this page on which the acknowledgement is written and they acknowledged that the same is their free act and deed and that of the corporations being represented.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL on the date and place first above written.

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ATTY. ANGELITO R. VILLARIN  
Notary Public for Pasig City  
until December 31, 2025  
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PTR No. 21046195 - January 02, 2024, Rizal  
ISP OR No. 384861 - January 02, 2024, Pasig City  
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