

**BIDS & AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC) – INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES A (ITR A)
RESOLUTION NO. 51 s. 2024**

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE HEAD OF THE PROCURING ENTITY THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT ON THE BIDDING FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF ONE (1) LOT IT EQUIPMENT CO-LOCATION AND ISP FOR ONLINE SERVICES FOR THREE (3) YEARS WITH INVITATION TO BID NO. COLOC 2024-02-ITRA TO THE JOINT VENTURE OF CONVERGE INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS INC. AND COMCLARK NETWORK AND TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION AS THE BIDDER WITH THE SINGLE CALCULATED RESPONSIVE BID

WHEREAS, based on the approved Purchase Request (PR) No. 24-003-PB, the Information Technology Management Department (ITMD) requested for the Procurement of One (1) Lot IT Equipment Co-location and ISP for Online Services for Three (3) Years through Competitive Bidding with the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of Fifty-Seven Million Six Hundred Thousand Pesos (P57,600,000.00) which is included in the 4th Batch of CY 2024 Annual Procurement Plan (APP) and through the Approved Multi-Year Contractual Obligation (MYCA);

WHEREAS, on 15 March 2024, the Bidding Documents and the Invitation to Bid (IB) No. COLOC 2024-02-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 25 March 2024, the Pre-Bid Conference for the subject procurement was conducted. Accordingly, the Bid Bulletin No. 01 was issued on 1 April 2024 stating that a Bid Bulletin No. 02 will be issued on 4 April 2024 to give the End-User ample time to address the inquiries and clarifications of the prospective bidders and the change of schedule for the submission and opening of bids for the subject procurement with the following details:

Procurement Activity	Initial Schedule	New Schedule
Submission and Opening of Bids	8 April 2024	11 April 2024

WHEREAS, in response to the posted procurement opportunity, only Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions Inc. obtained the bidding documents;

WHEREAS, on 11 April 2024, the Joint Venture (JV) of Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions Inc. and Comclark Network and Technology Corporation timely submitted its bid for the subject procurement;

WHEREAS, in the Opening of Bids on 11 April 2024 and Bid Evaluation which was conducted on the same date, the JV of Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions Inc. and Comclark Network and Technology Corporation was declared as the bidder with the Single Calculated Bid (SCB) with a financial bid of Fifty Seven Million Five Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Eight Pesos (P57,588,888.00). Subsequently, the JV of Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions Inc. and Comclark Network and Technology Corporation was subjected for post-qualification;

WHEREAS, the Technical Working Group (TWG)-Information Technology Resources A (ITR A) conducted the post-qualification on 18 April 2024 and presented its post-qualification report thru its Vice Chairperson, Jose Marte L. Puhawan, during the BAC-ITR A meeting on 23 April 2024. The TWG-ITR A stated that after verification and evaluation of the eligibility, technical, financial and additional post-qualification requirements submitted by the JV of Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions Inc. and Comclark Network and Technology Corporation, it was found to be "responsive" with the requirements for the bidding of the subject procurement;


WHEREAS, the BAC-ITR A concurred with the recommendation of the TWG-ITR A to declare JV of Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions Inc. and Comclark Network and Technology Corporation as the bidder with the Single Calculated Responsive Bid (SCRB);

PREMISES CONSIDERED, the BAC-ITR A resolves, as it is hereby 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 One (1) Lot IT Equipment Co-location and ISP for Online Services for Three (3) Years with Invitation to Bid No. COLOC 2024-02-ITRA to the **JOINT VENTURE OF CONVERGE INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS INC. AND COMCLARK NETWORK AND TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION** as the bidder with the Single Calculated Responsive Bid.

IT IS SO RESOLVED.

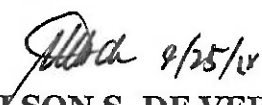
Signed this 23rd day of April 2024 at Pasig City.


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☒ APPROVED
☐ DISAPPROVED
☐ Others _____



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

Date Signed: 08/24/2024

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