

**BIDS & AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC) – INFORMATION  
TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES A (ITR A)  
RESOLUTION NO. 144 s. 2024**

**RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE HEAD OF THE PROCURING ENTITY THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT ON THE BIDDING FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF REDUNDANT ISP SUBSCRIPTION FOR ONE (1) YEAR WITH INVITATION TO BID NO. RISPS 2024-18-ITRA TO EASTERN TELECOMMUNICATIONS PHILIPPINES INC. AS THE BIDDER WITH THE LOWEST CALCULATED RESPONSIVE BID**

**WHEREAS**, based on the approved Purchase Request (PR) No. 24-0026-PB, the Information Technology and Management Department (ITMD) requested for the procurement of Redundant ISP Subscription for One (1) Year through Competitive Bidding with the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of Two Million Four Hundred Eighty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Nine Pesos and Ninety Two Centavos (P2,487,499.92) which is included in the 4<sup>th</sup> Batch of CY 2024 Annual Procurement Plan (APP);

**WHEREAS**, on 01 July 2024, the Bidding Documents and the Invitation to Bid (IB) No. RISPS 2024-18-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 8 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 15 July 2024;

**WHEREAS**, in response to the posted procurement opportunity, the following five (5) bidders obtained the bidding documents:

1. Source Telecommunications Inc.;
2. PLDT Inc.;
3. PT&T ;
4. Converge ICT Solutions, Inc.; and
5. Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc.

**WHEREAS**, All bidders timely submitted its bid before the deadline for submission of bids on 22 July 2024.

**WHEREAS**, in the Opening of Bids on 22 July 2024 and Bid Evaluation which was conducted on the same date, the Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc. was declared as the bidder with the Lowest Calculated Bid (LCB) with a financial bid of One Million Eight Thousand Pesos (P1,008,000.00). Subsequently, Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc. was subjected for post-qualification (*Attached herein the Abstract of Bids as Annex "A"*);

**WHEREAS**, the Technical Working Group (TWG)-Information Technology Resources (ITR) A conducted the post-qualification on 29 July and 01 August 2024 and presented its post-qualification report thru its Chairperson, Engr. Ronald E. Hantid, during the BAC-ITR A meeting on 02 August 2024. The TWG-ITR B stated that after verification and evaluation of the eligibility, technical, financial and additional post-qualification requirements submitted by the

Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc., it was found to be "responsive" with the requirements for the bidding of the subject procurement and recommended that the same bidder be declared as "POST-QUALIFIED";

WHEREAS, the BAC-ITR A concurred with the recommendation of the TWG-ITR A to declare Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc. as the bidder with the Lowest Calculated Responsive Bid (LCRB);

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 Redundant ISP Subscription for One (1) Year with Invitation to Bid No. RISPS 2024-18-ITRA to EASTERN TELECOMMUNICATIONS PHILIPPINES INC. as the bidder with the Lowest Calculated Responsive Bid.

IT IS SO RESOLVED.

Signed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 2024 at Pasig City, Philippines.

  
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Senior Vice President/Chairperson

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☒ APPROVED  
☐ DISAPPROVED  
☐ Others \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date Signed: 11/27/24

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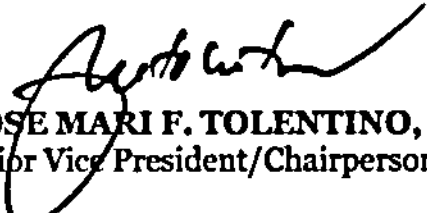
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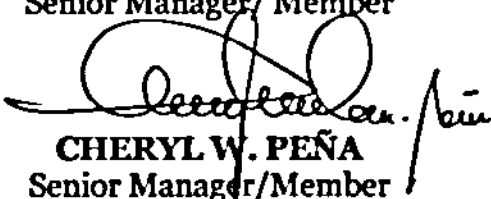
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