

**BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC)**

**Resolution No. 2021-12-08**

**Second Failure of the project "Purchase of new ICT Materials and Equipment for the Improvement of Network Facilities, Security Setup and Maintenance of Resources"**

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Social Welfare and Development Field Office III Bids and Awards Committee last October 20, 2021 declared first failure of bidding of the project **"PURCHASE OF NEW ICT MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF NETWORK FACILITIES, SECURITY SETUP AND MAINTENANCE OF RESOURCES"** wherein no bidder actually submitted his/her bid.

**WHEREAS**, the DSWD-FO III scheduled the second bidding on December 3, 2021 at 9:00 AM and had advertised the abovementioned project with an Approved Budget of the Contract (ABC) for several lots amounting as follows:

LOT	APPROVED BUDGET OF THE CONTRACT
1	Php1,273,305.00
2	Php188,518.00
3	Php1,537,464.50

Such project had been posted its second Invitation to Bid in the DSWD FO III website, PhilGEPS and conspicuous places at the premises of the Department of Social Welfare and Development Field Office III continuously from November 13, 2021 to December 3, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, on the scheduled Submission and Opening of Bids on December 3, 2021 by 9:00 AM, no prospective bidder signified his/her interest and purchased the bidding document;

**WHEREAS**, Section 35.1 of 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act No. 9184 explicitly states that:

"Section 35. Failure of Bidding

35.1 The BAC shall declare the bidding a failure when:

- a) No bids are received;
- b) Xxx"



**WHEREAS**, in the recurring absence of bids for the abovementioned project, the members of the Bids and Awards Committee unanimously declared the bidding for the project **"PURCHASE OF NEW ICT MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF NETWORK FACILITIES, SECURITY SETUP AND MAINTENANCE OF RESOURCES"** as "2-Failed Bidding";

**WHEREAS**, Bids and Awards Committee, on that same day, conducted a mandatory review and evaluation of the terms, conditions and specifications in the bidding documents, including its cost estimates;

**WHEREAS**, with the assistance of the Technical Working Group, the Committee identified the delivery schedule to be the main cause of difficulty of inviting prospective bidders due to the inability to deliver within 160 days;

**WHEREAS**, Bids and Awards Committee, taking into consideration the timeline of obligation and disbursement of funds, opted to retain the delivery schedule of 90 days and directed the Secretariat to expand its pool of Suppliers;

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Members of the Bids and Awards Committee, hereby **RESOLVE** as it is hereby **RESOLVED**:

- a. To declare the **SECOND FAILURE OF BIDDING** for the project **"PURCHASE OF NEW ICT MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF NETWORK FACILITIES, SECURITY SETUP AND MAINTENANCE OF RESOURCES"**; and
- b. To resort to Negotiated Procurement as provided in Section 53.1 of the Revised IRR of RA No. 9184.

**RESOLVED**, this 13<sup>th</sup> of December 2021 at DSWD-Regional Office III.

  
**VENUS F. REBULDELA**

Chairperson, BAC

  
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**Approved**       **Disapproved**

  
**MARITES M. MARISTELA, CESO III**  
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(per Special Order No. 2479, Series of 2019)