

## **BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

SPECIAL ORDER NOS. 3291 AND 5106, SERIES OF 2019
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## BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC) Resolution No. 20-02-019

RECOMMENDING AWARD OF CONTRACT AND FAILURE OF BIDDING FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF DESKTOP COMPUTERS AND LAPTOP COMPUTERS FOR DSWD CENTRAL OFFICE AND FIELD OFFICES

— ITB No. GOP/20-DSWD-012 — (PR No. 2019111821)

WHEREAS, the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD), through the Information and Communications Technology Management Service (ICTMS), aims to purchase desktop computers and laptop computers to replace the obsolete and ageing computers in the Department. Copies of the Purchase Request (PR) and Technical Assistance Report are hereto attached, marked as Annexes "A-1" and "A-2" respectively, and are made integral parts hereof;

WHEREAS, the DSWD, through the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), posted an Invitation to Bid (ITB) for the Supply and Delivery of Desktop Computers and Laptop Computers for DSWD Central Office and Field Offices under ITB No. GOP/20-DSWD-012 at the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and DSWD websites, and at conspicuous places within the Department premises starting 26 December 2019. The Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) is Thirty-Five Million Six Hundred Seventy Thousand Pesos (PHP 35,670,000.00), classified in accordance with the following lots:

Lot No.	Particulars	Quantity	Lot ABC (în Phil Peso)
1	Desktop Computers	224 units	13,440,000.00
2	Laptop Computers	247 units	22,230,000.00
		TOTAL ABC	35,670,000.00

Copies of the said ITB and proof of postings are hereto attached, marked as **Annexes** "B-1", "B-2", "B-3" and "B-4" respectively, and are made integral parts hereof;

WHEREAS, the Competitive Bidding Procedure for Goods was adopted in this undertaking pursuant to Republic Act No. 9184 (RA 9184) otherwise known as the Government Procurement Reform Act (GPRA) and its 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR);

**WHEREAS**, a Pre-Bid Conference was conducted on 03 January 2020 at 01:30 PM and was attended by the following prospective bidders, to wit:

- 1. Xitrix Computer Corporation:
- 2. S1 Technologies Inc.;
- 3. Accent Micro Technologies, Inc.;
- 4. Advance Solutions, Inc.;
- 5. Joneco Tech Marketing Corp.; and,
- 6. Masangkay Computer Center:





A copy of the Minutes of the Pre-Bid Conference is hereto attached, marked as **Annex "C"**, and made an integral part hereof;

**WHEREAS**, the BAC issued two (2) Supplemental/ Bid Bulletins which formed part of the Bidding Documents and were posted at the PhilGEPS and DSWD websites, and at conspicuous places within the DSWD premises, to wit:

Reference No.	Date	Announcement
Supplemental/ Bid Bulletin No. 1	14 January 2020	<ul> <li>Changes in the Bidding Documents</li> <li>Section VII. Technical Specifications</li> <li>Changes in the procurement schedule</li> <li>Bid Opening: from 15 January 2020 to 22 January 2020</li> </ul>
Supplemental/ Bid Bulletin No. 2	15 January 2020	Changes in the Bidding Documents     Section VII. Technical Specifications

Copies of Supplemental/ Bid Bulletins and proof of postings are hereto attached, marked as **Annexes "D-1"** and **"D-2"** respectively, and are made integral parts hereof;

WHEREAS, in response to the ITB, three (3) prospective bidders secured a complete set of Bidding Documents upon payment of a non-refundable fee in the amount corresponding to the total cost of the ABC of the lot or lots to which the bidder participated, to wit:

Name of Bidder	Bidding for Lot No.	Cost of Bidding Documents (in Phil Peso)	
Accent Micro Technologies, Inc.	1 & 2	30,000.00	
S1 Technologies Inc.	1 & 2	30,000.00	
Masangkay Computer Center	1	15,000.00	

Copies of Official Receipts as proof of payment is hereto attached, marked as **Annexes "E-1"**, **"E-2"** and **"E-3"** respectively, and are made integral parts hereof;

WHEREAS, during the deadline for the submission and receipt of bids on 22 January 2020 at 09:00 AM, three (3) bidders came to submit their bid proposals, to wit:

Name of Bidder	Date and Time Received
Accent Micro Technologies , Inc.	22 January 2020, 06:50 AM
S1 Technologies Inc.	22 January 2020, 08:11 AM
Masangkay Computer Center	22 January 2020, 08:59 AM

The receiving copies of the bids are hereto attached, marked as **Annexes "F-1"**, **"F-2"** and **"F-3"** respectively, and are made integral parts hereof;



WHEREAS, on 22 January 2020 at 02:00 PM, during the opening of bids and preliminary examination of the documents submitted by the bidders, the BAC had the following findings:

Name of Bidder	Technical Component	Financial Component	
Accent Micro Technologies , Inc.	"Passed" (Lot No. 1)	"Passed" (Lot No. 1)	
Masangkay Computer Center	"Passed" (Lot No. 1)	"Passed" (Lot No. 1)	

S1 Technologies Inc. withdraw its bid proposal before the opening of bids. Further, there was no bid received for Lot No. 2 (Laptop Computers). Copies of the Minutes of Bid Opening and Abstract of Bids "As Read" are hereto attached, marked as **Annexes "G-1"** and **"G-2"** respectively, and are made integral parts hereof;

WHEREAS, the BAC, with the assistance of its Secretariat, conducted the Bid Evaluation to determine the Lowest Calculated Bid (LCB) and if there are computational errors in the bid prices submitted by the bidders. The Bid Evaluation found Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. as LCB for Lot No. 1 (Desktop Computers) per recalculated bid price, and which yielded the following result:

	<b>Bid Price</b> (in Phil. Peso)		
Name of Bidder	Lot No. 1		Lot No. 2
	Original	Recalculated	LOT NO. 2
Accent Micro Technologies, Inc.	11,877,241.60	11,205,241.60 (LCB)	No bid
Masangkay Computer Center	13,156,640.00	13,156,640.00 (2 <sup>nd</sup> LCB)	No bid

A copy of the Bid Evaluation Report is hereto attached, marked as **Annex "H"**, and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, the BAC issued Notice of Bid Evaluation to Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. to inform the latter of the result of the bid evaluation and ask its conformity to the said result. A copy of the said notice is hereto attached, marked as **Annex "I"**, and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, the BAC received the reply of Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. to the Notice of Bid Evaluation wherein the bidder accepted, conformed and agreed to the recalculated bid price. The copy of the letter is hereto attached, marked as **Annex "J"**, and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, for purposes of conducting the Post-Qualification, the BAC requested Accent Micro Technologies, Inc., being the LCB for Lot No. (Desktop Computers), to submit additional documents within five (5) calendar days from receipt of notice, pursuant to Section





34.2 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA 9184. A copy of the Notice of Post-Qualification is hereto attached, marked as **Annex** "K", and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, the BAC created a TWG pursuant to Section 12 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA 9184 that will conduct the Post-Qualification of Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. A copy of the said creation of TWG is hereto attached, marked as **Annex "L"**, and made an integral part hereof;

**WHEREAS**, on 10 February 2020, the BAC received the TWG report which found Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. as "Responsive" to all the requirements stipulated in the Bidding Documents. A copy of the said TWG report is hereto attached, marked as **Annex** "**M**", and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, the BAC discussed and deliberated the merits of the TWG report during its Regular Meeting on 13 February 2020. The BAC found that Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. is legally, technically and financially capable to provide the goods and services needed by the DSWD, and thus resolved to recommend award of contract to Accent Micro Technologies, Inc. A copy of the Minutes of Regular Meeting is hereto attached marked as Annex "N", and made an integral part hereof;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** in view of the foregoing and on the basis of the documents presented, we, the Bids and Awards Committee, resolves as it is hereby resolved to:

- Recommend award of contract for Lot No. 1 (Desktop Computers) for the Supply and Delivery of Desktop Computers and Laptop Computers for DSWD Central Office and Field Offices under ITB No. GOP/20-DSWD-012 to Accent Micro Technologies, Inc., being the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid (LCRB). The Total Contract Price is Eleven Million Two Hundred Five Thousand Two Hundred Forty-One Pesos and Sixty Centavos (PHP 11,205,241.60), inclusive of all applicable taxes;
- 2. Declare a failure of bidding for Lot No. 2 (Laptop Computers) for the Supply and Delivery of Desktop Computers and Laptop Computers for DSWD Central Office and Field Offices under ITB No. GOP/20-DSWD-012 because no bid received during the deadline of submission and receipt of bids; and,
- 3. Advise the End-user to conduct a mandatory review and evaluation of the terms, conditions and specifications in the Bidding Documents, including the cost estimates and sources of funds if it is still available, to determine the reason for the failed bidding for Lot No. 2 (Laptop Computers), pursuant to Section 35.2 of the RA 9184, prior to the conduct of another procurement process.

RESOLVED, this 17th day of February 2020 at Quezon City, Philippines.

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National Resource and Logistics
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Undersecretary, Office of the Undersecretary for Social Welfare and Development (per Special Order No. 3242, Series of 2019)
(Head of the Procuring Entity Authorized Representative)





## **NOTICE OF AWARD**

NO. 2020-03-028

05 March 2020

MS. EDNA P. APLAN
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Dear Ms. Aplan:

We are pleased to inform you that your bid for Lot No. 1 (Desktop Computers) for the "Supply and Delivery of Desktop Computers and Laptop Computers for DSWD Central Office and Field Offices" under ITB No. GOP/20-DSWD-012, as evaluated in accordance with the Invitation to Bid (ITB), is hereby accepted. The total contract price is Eleven Million Two Hundred Five Thousand Two Hundred Forty-One Pesos and Sixty Centavos (PHP 11,205,241.60), inclusive of all applicable taxes.

You are therefore required to provide us within ten (10) calendar days, upon receipt of this Notice, the performance security in accordance with the schedule provided for under ITB Clause 33, page 35 of the Bidding Documents.

Failure to provide the performance security shall constitute sufficient ground for cancellation of the award and forfeiture of your bid security.

Very truly yours,

DANILO G. PAMONAG

Undersecretary, Office of the Undersecretary for Social Welfare and Development (Head of the Procuring Entity/Authorized Representative)

Conforme:

(Signature over Printed Name of Authorized Representative)

ACCENT MICRO TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Date: <u>3- 13- 3</u>