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BAC RESOLUTION NO. SBAC-2021-075

- 1. DECLARATION OF FAILURE OF BIDDING; AND**
- 2. RECOMMENDATION FOR CONDUCT OF RE-BIDDING**

**FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF VEHICLE RENTAL AS SHUTTLE SERVICE
(PROJECT REFERENCE NO. 2021-PB-VRSS-042-01)**

WHEREAS, the Power Sector Assets and Liabilities Management (PSALM) Corporation is a government-owned and -controlled corporation duly established under Republic Act (RA) No. 9136 to manage the privatization of assets of the National Power Corporation (NPC) transferred to PSALM with the objective of liquidating all NPC financial obligations in an optimal manner;

WHEREAS, RA 9184, otherwise known as the Government Procurement Reform Act, was enacted to modernize, standardize and regulate procurement activities governed by the principles on transparency, competitiveness, system of accountability, public monitoring and streamlined process;

WHEREAS RA 9184 likewise provides that all procurement should be within the approved budget and contained in the approved Annual Procurement Plan (APP);

WHEREAS, on 18 December 2020, the PSALM Board of Directors approved the APP for CY 2021 which includes the Procurement of Vehicle Rental with an estimated budget of Eighty-Two Thousand Pesos (PHP82,000.00);

WHEREAS, on 29 June 2021, the PSALM President and CEO approved the Revised APP for the Procurement of Vehicle Rental as Shuttle Service (the "Project") from Small Value Procurement to Public Bidding with a budget of Four Million Nine Hundred Sixty-Eight Thousand Pesos (PHP4,968,000.00);

WHEREAS, on 15 July 2021, the pre-procurement conference was conducted wherein the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) approved the Bidding Documents, the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the amount of Three Million Five Hundred Seventy Thousand Pesos (PHP3,570,000.00) and the timeline for the Project;

WHEREAS, on 27 July 2021, the Invitation to Bid for the Project was posted at the websites of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System

(<https://www.philgeps.gov.ph>) and PSALM (<https://www.psalm.gov.ph>) and at the PSALM office for seven (7) consecutive days;

WHEREAS, on 12 August 2021, the pre-bid conference was held which was attended five (5) interested bidders, namely: (1) Alpha Venice Tours and Travel; (2) Batosai Car Rental Services; (3) Urbes Corp.; (4) Kimbermark Transport Services; and (5) Island Dragon Transport and Travel Services, Inc.;

WHEREAS, on 26 August 2021, the online/electronic submission and opening of bids was conducted and one (1) bidder, Batosai Car Rental Services, submitted its bid before the bid submission deadline at 1:00 PM;

WHEREAS, in the preliminary examination of the technical documents, Batosai Car Rental Services failed to submit Form No. TEC-04 or the Conformity with Section VI (Schedule of Requirements and Section VII (Technical Specifications) of the Bidding Documents;

WHEREAS, Batosai Car Rental Services admittedly informed the BAC that they indeed failed to attach and submit Form No. TEC-04 and that they will be participating again in the second round of bidding for this Project;

WHEREAS, the BAC rated the first envelope of Batosai Car Rental Services as "failed" and informed the bidder that they have three calendar days from 26 August 2021 within which to submit a request for reconsideration of the BAC decision;

WHEREAS, the three-day period has lapsed and no request for reconsideration was filed by Batosai Car Rental Services;

WHEREAS, Section 35.1 (b) of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184 provides that there shall be failure of bidding if the prospective bidder was declared ineligible;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing, We, the Members of the Bids and Awards Committee, **RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to recommend for approval by the Head of the Procuring Entity the following:

1. Declare a **FAILURE OF BIDDING** for the Procurement Vehicle Rental as Shuttle Service; and
2. Conduct a re-bidding for the Project in accordance with the provisions of RA 9184 and its 2016 Revised IRR.

RESOLVED, at the 24th Floor, Vertis North, Corporate Center 1, Astra corner Lux Drives, North Avenue, 1105 Quezon City this 31st day of August 2021.



FREDERICK R. TAMAYO
Member



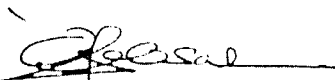
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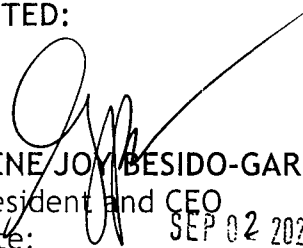


GLEND LEAH A. CARINGAL
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GLENN B. SANTOS
Chairperson
Bids and Awards Committee

NOTED:



IRENE JOY BESIDO-GARCIA
President and CEO
Date: SEP 02 2021