



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC)
RESOLUTION NO. 04-002-19
PB-08-19

RECOMMENDING AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE LEASE OF VARIOUS PRINTING MACHINE/S AND FINISHING EQUIPMENT WITH TECHNICAL AND OPERATIONAL SUPPORT SYSTEM (LOT 1 FOR LUZON AREA AND LOT 2 FOR MINDANAO AREA)

WHEREAS, on 31 January 2019, Mr. Michael J. Dalumpines, Chairman and President, as Head of the Procuring Entity, approved the Annual Procurement Plan ("APP") for CY 2019 using the Reenacted Corporate Operating Budget ("COB") of CY 2018 upon favorable recommendation of the Bids and Awards Committee ("BAC");

WHEREAS, included in the approved APP of APO for CY 2019 is the *Lease of Various Printing Machine/s and Finishing Equipment with Technical and Operational Support System (Lot 1 for Luzon Area and Lot 2 for Mindanao Area) (PB-08-19)*. The Approved Budget for the Contract ("ABC") for the said project amounts as specify below;

Lot No.	Description	Total ABC P (VAT Inclusive)
1	<i>Lease of Various Printing Machine/s and Finishing Equipment with Technical and Operational Support System</i> LUZON AREA	30,000,000.00
2	<i>Lease of Various Printing Machine/s and Finishing Equipment with Technical and Operational Support System</i> MINDANAO AREA	15,000,000.00
Total ABC		45,000,000.00

WHEREAS, in compliance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act ("RA") No. 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act", the BAC Secretariat advertised the Invitation to Bid for the *Lease of Various Printing Machine/s and Finishing Equipment with Technical and Operational Support System (Lot 1 for Luzon Area and Lot 2 for Mindanao Area)* under Public Bidding No. 08-19 (PB-08-19) dated 21 February 2019 in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS), APO Website (www.apo.gov.ph), and in conspicuous place at the premises of the APO Production Unit, Inc.;

WHEREAS, likewise in furtherance with the pertinent provisions of RA No. 9184 that will ensure the transparency of the process, observers from the Commission on Audit (COA) Resident Auditor, as well as observers from the private sector were invited to observe and witness the conduct of the Pre-Bid Conference, Submission and Opening of Bids, Bid Evaluation and Post Qualification as scheduled;

WHEREAS, on 1 March 2019, BAC convened for the scheduled Pre-Bid Conference and only one prospective bidder who bought the bidding documents attended the said proceedings which was represented by Mr. Cornelio Saldivar of **Ivory Printing & Publishing House**;