

**PHILIPPINE GUARANTEE CORPORATION  
BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2023-099**

**WHEREAS**, the Information and Technology Department (ITD) requested the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) for the following procurements:

Lot	Procurement Project	Approved Budget for the Contract (Inclusive of all applicable taxes)
1	Procurement of Scanners/ PGC-BAC-2023-005G	PESOS: Two Million Six Hundred Fifty Thousand (Php2,650,000.00)
2	Procurement of Datacenter UPS/ PGC-BAC-2023-006G	PESOS: Three Million Five Hundred Thousand (Php3,500,000.00)

**WHEREAS**, the following CFAs were issued by the Budget Management Department for this purpose;

Lot	Procurement Project	Amount	CFA NO.
1	Procurement of Scanners/ PGC-BAC-2023-005G	PESOS: Two Million Six Hundred Fifty Thousand (Php2,650,000.00)	065-2023
2	Procurement of Datacenter UPS and Power Distribution Units/ PGC-BAC-2023-006G	PESOS: Three Million Five Hundred Thousand (Php3,500,000.00)	064-2023

**WHEREAS**, the requested procurement is under the approved Philippine Guarantee Corporation Annual Procurement Plan (APP) for FY 2023 – Supplemental 2, viz:

Lot	Procurement Project	Budget Estimates
1	Scanner A4	Php1,000,000.00
	Scanner A3	Php1,650,000.00
2	Datacenter UPS and Power Distribution Units	Php3,500,000.00

**WHEREAS**, the Invitation to Bid was posted on PHILGUARANTEE and PhilGEPS websites and at PHILGUARANTEE-Jade office bulletin board, for seven (7) calendar days;

**WHEREAS**, in response to the aforesaid invitation, the representatives from the following prospective bidders attended the pre-bid conference on June 16, 2023:

- a. Avtech IT Solutions Inc.
- b. Automation Specialists and Power Exponents, Inc.
- c. LSI Leading Technologies, Inc.

- d. **Gakken Philippines Inc.**
- e. **Solid Business Machines Center, Inc.**
- f. **First DataCorp.**
- g. **Integrated Computer Systems, Inc.**
- h. **Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solution Inc.**
- i. **Infobahn Communications, Inc.**
- j. **Pantronics International Corporation**

**WHEREAS**, the Bid Bulletin No. 1 was posted on PHILGUARANTEE and PhilGEPS websites and at PHILGUARANTEE bulletin board on June 22, 2023;

**WHEREAS**, the following suppliers submitted their bids before the deadline on June 29, 2023 at 1:15 P.M.;

**LOT 1: Scanners**

1. Solid Business Machines Center, Inc. received on June 29, 2023; 10:47 A.M.; and
2. Gakken Philippines Inc. received on June 29, 2023; 1:03 P.M.

**LOT 2: Datacenter UPS**

1. Integrated Computer Systems, Inc. received on June 29, 2023; 7:14 A.M.;
2. Automation Specialists and Power Exponents, Inc. received on June 29, 2023; 9:49 A.M.; and
3. Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solution Inc. received on June 29, 2023; 10:47 A.M.

**WHEREAS**, on June 29, 2023; 1:30 P.M. opening and preliminary examination of bids, the BAC declared the following bidders as eligible and technically complying bidders:

<b>LOT 1: Scanners</b>	
•	Solid Business Machines Center, Inc.
•	Gakken Philippines Inc.
<b>LOT 2: Datacenter UPS</b>	
•	Integrated Computer Systems, Inc.
•	Automation Specialists and Power Exponents, Inc.
•	Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solution Inc.

**WHEREAS**, the Financial Bids were rated "PASSED" and read as follows:

<b>Bidder</b>	<b>Amount of Bid (inclusive of all applicable taxes)</b>
<b>LOT 1: Scanners</b>	
Solid Business Machines Center, Inc.	Php2,140,035.00
Gakken Philippines Inc.	Php934,940.00
<b>LOT 2: Datacenter UPS</b>	

Integrated Computer Systems, Inc.	Php1,633,475.00
Automation Specialists and Power Exponents, Inc.	Php365,285.00
Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solution Inc.	Php1,863,990.38

**WHEREAS**, the BAC declared the above-mentioned bidders to have passed the preliminary examination of bids;

**WHEREAS**, on July 4, 2023 bid evaluation, the TWG after careful examination of the documents submitted by the bidders using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criteria, determined that bidders were not compliant with the respective items in the technical specifications:

#### LOT 1: Scanners

Technical Specifications	Gakken Philippines	Solid Business Machines Center, Inc.
Section I. Item 1:  <i>"Prospective bidder/s should be duly authorized by the manufacturer/distributor to provide, sell, configure and support the scanners for a minimum period of two (2) years, and must have the capacity to escalate product technical issues directly to the manufacturer. This must be supported by a certification or letter from manufacturer/distributor"</i>	Not compliant	Not compliant
Section III. Power Consumption for Desktop flatbed scanner:  Scanning: 21-26 W, Sleep mode: 3.1 W, Power Turned off: 0.3 W	Not Compliant	

#### LOT 2: Datacenter UPS

Technical Specifications	Automation Specialists and Power Exponents, Inc.	Integrated Computer System, Inc.	Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solutions, Inc.
Section I. Item 1:			

<i>"Prospective bidder/s should be duly authorized by the manufacturer/distributor to provide, sell, configure and support the scanners for a minimum period of two (2) years, and must have the capacity to escalate product technical issues directly to the manufacturer. This must be supported by a certification or letter from manufacturer/distributor"</i>		Not compliant	Not compliant
Section III.  Items:  1.2 Rated Power: 8000VA; and 2.2 Rated Power 5000VA	Not compliant		

**WHEREAS**, in view of the foregoing findings, the TWG recommended a failure of bidding for both Lot 1 and Lot 2;

**WHEREAS**, Section 35.1(c) of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184 provides that:

**"The BAC shall declare the bidding a failure when:**

**All bids fail to comply with all the bid requirements or fail post-qualification, or, in the case of Consulting Services, there is no successful negotiation."**

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the above circumstances, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), hereby **RESOLVE** the following:

- a) To declare the following bidders disqualified with respect to their bids:

Bidder	Amount of Bid (inclusive of all applicable taxes)
<b>LOT 1: Procurement of Scanners/PGC-BAC-2023-005G</b>	
Solid Business Machines Center, Inc.	Php2,140,035.00
Gakken Philippines Inc.	Php934,940.00
<b>LOT 2: Procurement of Datacenter UPS/PGC-BAC-2023-006G</b>	



Integrated Computer Systems, Inc.	Php1,633,475.00
Automation Specialists and Power Exponents, Inc.	Php365,285.00
Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solution Inc.	Php1,863,990.38


b) To declare a failure of bidding for the following procurements:

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c) To require the End-user to conduct a mandatory review of the Terms of Reference for the conduct of rebidding.

**ADOPTED** at Makati City, this 04 July 2023.

#### **BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

  
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