

PHILIPPINE PORTS AUTHORITY
BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
Head Office-Engineering Projects - Consultancy
Resolution No. CON 004-2023
Series of 2023



**RESOLUTION DECLARING FAILURE OF BIDDING FOR THE
CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR THE TECHNICAL SERVICES FOR THE
CONDUCT OF SOIL INVESTIGATION AT SELECTED PORTS (PACKAGE 11)**

WHEREAS, the Philippine Ports Authority (PPA) posted a Request for Expression of Interest for the Consultancy Services for the Technical Services for the Conduct of Soil Investigation at Selected Ports (Package 11), in the website of the PPA, PhilGEPS and in the Bulletin Board located at the PPA Corporate Building, South Harbor, Port Area, Manila on 31 March 2023, continuously for seven (7) calendar days;

WHEREAS, in response thereto, three (3) consulting firms secured and submitted the Eligibility Documents, namely:

1. R.S. Jardin & Associates
2. Rolando C. Siccion Surveying Office
3. Gammacon Builders, Inc./Geoinnovative Specialists Inc./JV

WHEREAS, after the Eligibility Screening conducted on 19 April 2023 at 2:00 p.m., R.S. Jardin & Associates and Rolando C. Siccion Surveying Office, were declared eligible to bid for the project, while Gammacon Builders, Inc./Geoinnovative Specialists Inc./JV was declared "ineligible" for failure to comply with the Equipment Requirement of the Eligibility Documents;

WHEREAS, the representative of Gammacon Builders, Inc./Geoinnovative Specialists Inc./JV signified its intention to file a request for reconsideration on their "ineligible" rating;

WHEREAS, on 20 April 2023, Gammacon Builders, Inc./Geoinnovative Specialists Inc./JV filed a request for reconsideration on their "ineligible" rating, however, the BAC, in a meeting held on 27 April 2023, after due deliberation and upon motion duly made and properly seconded, denied said Request for Reconsideration;

WHEREAS, in the Resolution Recommending Shortlist of Consultants for the Consultancy Services for the Technical Services for the Conduct of Soil Investigation at Selected Ports (Package 11), dated 28 April 2023, R.S. Jardin & Associates and Rolando C. Siccion Surveying Office were declared as shortlisted consultants;

WHEREAS, during the opening of the Technical Proposal on 31 May 2023 at 10:00 a.m., R.S. Jardin & Associates and Rolando C. Siccion Surveying Office were declared "failed" with the requirements of the First Envelope for failure to submit a written commitment as required in the Technical Proposal Form No. 6, for the pledged Senior Geodetic Engineer and failure to submit the PRC ID for the pledged Civil Engineer, respectively;

WHEREAS, the two (2) consultants signified their intentions to file a request for reconsideration on their "failed" ratings, hence, the unopened Second Envelopes were retained by the BAC, until the request for reconsideration has been resolved by the Committee;

WHEREAS, on June 01 and June 05, 2023, R.S. Jardin & Associates and Rolando C. Siccion Surveying Office filed their respective requests for reconsideration however, the BAC, in a meeting held on 14 June 2023, after due deliberation and upon motion duly made and properly seconded, denied said Requests for Reconsideration;

WHEREAS, the BAC, after a motion duly made and properly seconded, declared the bidding for the Consultancy Services for the Technical Services for the Conduct of Soil Investigation at Selected Ports (Package 11), a failure, pursuant to Section 35.1 (b) of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, which provides, that:

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

xxx xxx xxx

b) All prospective bidders are declared ineligible;

xxx xxx xxx."

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises, the BAC hereby RESOLVE as it is hereby RESOLVED to recommend the following:

1. To recommend to the Head of the Procuring Entity that the bidding for the Consultancy Services for the Technical Services for the Conduct of Soil Investigation at Selected Ports (Package 11), be declared a "failure" pursuant to Section 35.1 (b) of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A 9184.
2. To conduct a re-bidding with re-advertisement and/ or posting, as provided for in Section 21.2 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the BAC on 23 June 2023.

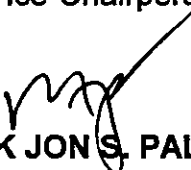

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26 June 2023

MEMORANDUM

F O R : The General Manager

F R O M : The Chairperson, HO-BAC-EP

SUBJECT : **Resolution Declaring Failure of Bidding for the Consultancy Services for the Technical Services for the Conduct of Soil Investigation at Selected Ports (Package 11)**

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This has reference to the Opening of the Technical Proposal for the Consultancy Services for the Technical Services for the Conduct of Soil Investigation at Selected Ports (Package 11) on 31 May 2023, which was declared by the BAC as "failure of bidding," pursuant to Section 35.1 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, which states that: "The BAC shall declare the bidding a failure when: b) All prospective bidders are declared ineligible" xxx xxx." The two (2) shortlisted consultants, R.A. Jardin & Associates and Rolando C. Siccion Surveying Office were both declared "failed."

In view thereof, we are submitting herewith BAC-PGCS Resolution No. CON 004-2023 Series of 2023, recommending that the bidding for the above project be declared a "failure" pursuant to Section 35.1 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184 and to conduct a re-bidding with re-advertisement and/or posting, as provided for in Section 21.2 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, for consideration and approval of the General Manager as Head of the Procuring Entity.


MARK JONES PALOMAR

APPROVED/DISAPPROVED: _____


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