

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC) FOR GOODS
PROCUREMENT OF VARIOUS IT EQUIPMENT AND SOFTWARE 2023

RESOLUTION NO. BG-2023-044
(Award of the Contract - Lot 2 and 3)

WHEREAS, the BASES CONVERSION AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (BCDA), through its 2023 Corporate Operating Budget (COB), applied the sum of **Twenty Million Two Hundred Thousand Pesos and 00/100 Only (Php20,200,000.00), inclusive of VAT and all other applicable government taxes, fees, and charges**, as the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) for the **Procurement of Various IT Equipment and Software 2023**. This project consists of the following lots:

LOT	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL COST, in Php
1	BTC Conference Room Enhancements	5,350,000.00
	BTC Digital Bulletin Board Project	1,350,000.00
	Sub-Total	6,700,000.00
2	Integrated Cloud Backup Project	11,000,000.00
3	Next Generation Firewall High Availability (HA) Project	2,500,000.00
	GRAND TOTAL	20,200,000.00

A copy of the approved Bids and Awards Committee for Goods (BAC-G) Annual Procurement Plan for CY 2023 is hereto attached as "Annex A".

WHEREAS, BAC-G, through its Secretariat, advertised the Invitation to Bid (ITB) including the bidding documents on 23 September 2023 in the following platforms:

1. DBM - Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS);
2. BCDA Website; and
3. In a conspicuous place reserved for the purpose in the premises of BCDA.

WHEREAS, in response to the advertisement, BAC-G conducted the Pre-bid Conference on 02 October 2023 at 02:30 P.M. (Monday) at the BCDA Corporate Center, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, which was attended by following eight (8) prospective bidders, as follows:

1. Meta-Tech Solutions and Systems, Inc.;
2. VEGA Projects Philippines, Inc.;
3. Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc.;
4. Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc.;
5. Integrated Computer Systems, Inc.;
6. Macrologic Diversified Technologies, Inc.;
7. Questech Co. Inc.; and
8. Advenue Media Corporation.

WHEREAS, out of the eight (8) prospective bidders, only four (4) bidders submitted their bids before the deadline on 16 October 2023 (Monday) at 9:00 A.M., to wit:

Project Lot	Bidder
1. Lot 1	1. Meta-Tech Solutions and Systems, Inc. 2. VEGA Projects Philippines, Inc.
2. Lot 2	1. Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc.
3. Lot 3	1. Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc.

WHEREAS, on 16 October 2023 (Monday) at 10:00 A.M., during the 'Opening of Bids', BAC-G, through the Technical Working Group (TWG), opened the first envelope of the above-named bidders, subject to a preliminary examination by determining the presence or absence of the required documents, using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion and noted the following:

Project Lot	Bidder	Eligibility Requirements	Technical Proposal
1. Lot 1	1. Meta-Tech Solutions and Systems, Inc.	FAILED	PASSED
	2. VEGA Projects Philippines, Inc.	FAILED	FAILED
2. Lot 2	1. Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc.	PASSED	PASSED
3. Lot 3	1. Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc.	PASSED	PASSED

The Copy of Abstract of Bids as Read is hereto attached as "Annex B";

WHEREAS, Only Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc. for Lot 2 and Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc. for Lot 3 passed the preliminary examination of the eligibility and technical documents. Thus, their financial envelopes were opened and subjected to a preliminary evaluation by determining the presence or absence of the required financial documents using a "pass/fail" criterion.

WHEREAS, in reference to BAC-G Resolution No.BG-2023-040, the BAC-G recommended to declare a Failure of Bidding for Lot 1 of this Project given that all bidders for Lot 1 failed to comply with the bid requirements in accordance with Section 35.1 of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (RIRR) of Republic Act (R.A.) No. 9184.

WHEREAS, thereafter, a detailed evaluation of the submitted Financial Proposals of the two (2) eligible bidders was conducted and the Lowest Calculated Bid (LCB) for each project lot are as follows:

Project Lot	Bidder	Financial Bid as Read (in Php)	Financial Bid as Calculated (in Php)	Remarks
1. Lot 2	Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc.	Php 10,898,988.00	Php 10,898,988.00	Single Calculated Bid (SCB)
2. Lot 3	Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc.	Php 2,268,000.00	Php 2,268,000.00	Single Calculated Bid (SCB)

The Detailed Bid Evaluation Report is hereto attached as "Annex C";

The Copy of Abstract of Bids as Calculated, is hereto attached as "Annex D";

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing and consistent with Section 34 of Rule X – Post-Qualification of the 2016 RIRR of RA 9184, the bidders with the LCB were subjected to Post-Qualification to determine if they are legally, technically, and financially capable to undertake this procurement and

responsive to all bidding requirements, including the specification/terms of reference as stated in the bidding documents:-

WHEREAS, on 13 November 2023 (Monday), during the post-qualification deliberation of BAC-G, BAC-G concurred with the findings of the TWG that the following bidders are eligible, technically and financially capable to undertake the project and thus, its recommendation to declare the said bidders as the bidder with Single Calculated and Responsive Bid (SCRB) for this Project.

Project Lot	Bidder	Remarks
1. Lot 2	Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc.	Single Calculated and Responsive Bid (SCRB)
2. Lot 3	Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc.	Single Calculated and Responsive Bid (SCRB)

*The Post-Qualification Report, is hereto attached as **Annex "E"**;*

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Members of the Bids and Awards Committee for Goods, hereby **RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**:

- To declare the following bidders as **Single Calculated and Responsive Bidder (SCRB)** for the Procurement of Various IT Equipment & Software 2023;

Project Lot	Bidders
1. Lot 2 (Integrated Cloud Backup Project)	Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc.
2. Lot 3 (Next Generation Firewall High Availability (HA) Project)	Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc.

- To award the contract to the following bidders for the Procurement of Various IT Equipment & Software 2023;

Project Lot	Bidders	Amount of Contract (in Php)*
1. Lot 2	Sandz Solutions Philippines, Inc.	Ten Million Eight Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Eight Pesos and 00/100 (Php10,898,988.00)
2. Lot 3	Bridgeway Communications Systems Inc.	Two Million Two Hundred Sixty-Eight Thousand Pesos and 00/100 (Php2,268,000.00)

* inclusive of VAT and all applicable government taxes and fees.

- To direct the Information and Communications Technology Department (ICTD), being the end-user unit, to submit to the BAC-G the duly conformed Notice of Award (NOA), duly executed agreement/contract, and Notice To Proceed (NTP).

RESOLVED, at the BCDA Corporate Center Office, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, this 13 November 2023.


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