

Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE Resolution No. 2021 -<u>64(A)</u>

## RECOMMENDING TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION, FOR HIS APPROVAL, THE AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION AND TESTING OF FOUR (4) UNITS OF RACKMOUNT SERVER TO ADVANCE SOLUTIONS INC. WITH A TOTAL BID AMOUNT OF THREE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY PESOS (PHP3,565,480.00)

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) caused the posting of the invitation to apply for eligibility and to bid through Public Bidding in the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC) website, the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS), and BAC Bulletin Board for the project: Supply, Delivery, Installation and Testing of Four (4) Units of Rackmount Server with an approved budget for the contract of Five Million Four Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php5,400,000.00).

WHEREAS, on October 15, 2021, a pre-procurement conference was held to discuss the terms of reference prepared and submitted by the end user for the abovementioned project before the preparation of the bidding documents.

**WHEREAS**, on October 29, 2021, a Pre-Bid Conference via video conferencing was held to explain and clarify the bidding documents and to accommodate any inquiry which the bidders may have. This was attended by five (5) prospective Bidders namely: 3Core Leaderstech Corp., Advance Solutions Inc., Macrologic Diversified Technologies, Inc., American Technologies Inc., and Integrated Computer Systems Inc.

**WHEREAS**, On November 2, 2021, the BAC issued Bid Bulletin No. 1 (Annex "A") reflecting the modification/amendment to the bidding document as a result of the pre-bid conference, and change on the date of Submission and Opening of bids from November 10, 2021 to November 11, 2021.

WHEREAS, Section 30, Rule IX of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184, known as the Government Procurement Reform Act requires that the preliminary examination of the bids be conducted by merely checking for the presence or absence of documentary requirements using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion. If a bidder submits the required document, it shall be rated "passed" for the particular requirement. In this regard, bids that fail to include any requirement or are incomplete or patently insufficient shall be considered as "failed".

WHEREAS, on November 11, 2021, during the submission and opening of bids, only Advance Solutions Inc. submitted its bidding document. The BAC, using a nondiscretionary "pass/fail" criterion, Advance Solutions Inc. passed the eligibility and technical evaluation. Advance Solutions Inc.'s financial bid was opened and its bid proposal is in the amount of Three Million Five Hundred Sixty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Pesos (Php3,565,480.00). Thus, Advance Solutions Inc. was declared as the Single Calculated Bidder and was subjected to Post-Qualification.

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WHEREAS, on November 15, 2021, a post-qualification was conducted at the BAC Conference Room, PRC Central Office, located at the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor of the PRC Annex Building. Advance Solutions Inc. presented the original copies of the eligibility and technical documents submitted during the opening of bids, including the additional requirements for post qualification.

WHEREAS, during the post-qualification evaluation. Advance Solutions Inc. was not able to present the original amended Registration Certificate from SEC and the original attachments of the Statement Identifying the Bidder's Single Largest Completed Contract (SLCC). Thus, the BAC gave Advance Solutions Inc. three (3) calendar days to present the said compliance. On November 18, 2021, Advance Solutions Inc. was able to present to the BAC the original amended Registration Certificate from SEC and the original attachments for their SLCC.

**WHEREAS**, Advance Solutions, Inc. having passed the post-qualification, was declared to be the Single Calculated and Responsive Bidder.

WHEREFORE, the BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE RESOLVES, as it hereby RESOLVED, to recommend to the Chairman of the Professional Regulation Commission, for his approval, the award of contract for the SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION AND TESTING OF FOUR (4) UNITS OF RACKMOUNT SERVER TO ADVANCE SOLUTIONS INC. with the bid amount of THREE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY PESOS (PHP3,565,480.00).

Done in the City of Manila, Philippines, this 29th day of November 2021.

## **BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

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