



Republic of the Philippines
Professional Regulation Commission
Manila



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
Resolution No. 2021 - 72(A)

RECOMMENDING TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION, FOR HIS APPROVAL, THE AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, AND CONFIGURATION OF ONE (1) UNIT LOAD BALANCER (APPLICATION DELIVERY CONTROLLER) TO MACROLOGIC DIVERSIFIED TECHNOLOGIES INC. WITH A TOTAL BID AMOUNT OF THREE MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHTY-NINE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED TEN PESOS (PHP3,789,210.00)

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 Configuration of One (1) Unit Load Balancer (Application Delivery Controller) with an approved budget for the contract of Five Million Pesos (Php5,000,000.00).

WHEREAS, on October 28, 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 November 24, 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 four (4) prospective bidders, SMS Global Technologies Inc. (SMSGT), Macrologic Diversified Technologies Inc. (Macrologic), First Datacorp and Plexus Systems Inc. Only SMSGT and Macrologic purchased the Bidding Documents.

WHEREAS, On December 1, 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 December 7, 2021 to December 9, 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 December 9, 2021, during the submission and opening of bids, two bidders submitted their respective bids, namely SMSGT and Macrologic. The BAC, using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion, SMSGT and Macrologic passed the eligibility and technical evaluation with the following financial bid:

1. SMS Global Technologies Inc. – Php3,920,000.00
2. Macrologic Diversified Technologies Inc. – Php3,789,210.00

WHEREAS, on Macrologic was declared as Lowest Calculated Bidder and was subjected to post-qualification.

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2021, a post-qualification was conducted at the BAC Conference Room, PRC Central Office, located at the 4th Floor of the PRC Annex Building. Macrologic presented the original copies of the eligibility and technical documents submitted during the opening of bids, including the additional requirements for post qualification.

WHEREAS, Macrologic having passed the post-qualification, was declared to be the Lowest 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 CONFIGURATION OF ONE (1) UNIT LOAD BALANCER (APPLICATION DELIVERY CONTROLLER) TO MACROLOGIC DIVERSIFIED TECHNOLOGIES INC.** with the bid amount of **THREE MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHTY-NINE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED TEN PESOS (PHP3,789,210.00)**

Done in the City of Manila, Philippines, this 17th day of December 2021.

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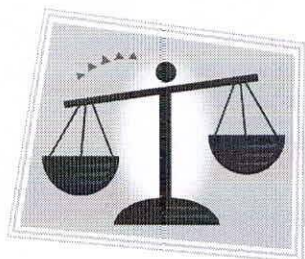

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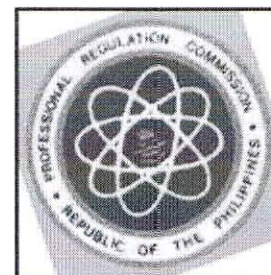
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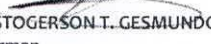


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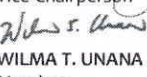
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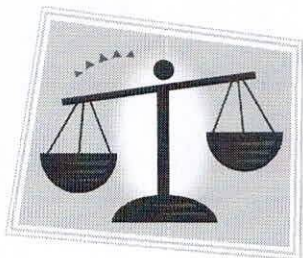
BID BULLETIN NO. 1 December 01, 2021

PROJECT: SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, AND CONFIGURATION OF ONE (1) UNIT LOAD BALANCER (APPLICATION DELIVERY CONTROLLER) WITH TOTAL APPROVED BUDGET FOR THE CONTRACT FIVE MILLION PESOS (PHP5,000,000.00) – ITB NO. 2021 – 32

Please be advised of the following modification/amendments to the Bidding Documents.

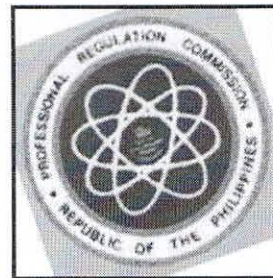
- 1. Section VII Technical Specifications Item No. 1.9.1., 7.1.4., 10., and 11 shall now read as follows:**

No	Item	Specification	Statement of Compliance
1 Lot	1 unit	<p>SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, AND CONFIGURATION OF ONE (1) UNIT LOAD BALANCER (APPLICATION DELIVERY CONTROLLER)</p> <p>1. General solution requirements 1.9.1. Solution should support virtual domains or equivalent.</p> <p>7. Link Load Balancing Features 7.1.4. Policy Based Routing - route traffic based on source/target IP, port, protocol, priority to different ISPs, failover</p> <p>10. Scope of Work 10.1. Supply, Delivery, Installation and Configuration of 1-unit Load Balancer (Application Delivery Controller) to the PRC Central Office 10.2. With Free One (1) year Preventive Maintenance. 10.3. Hands-on Training for 3 Personnel virtual or onsite training.</p> <p>11. Local Onsite Support 11.1. 1 year Limited Onsite Technical Support – 8x5 Onsite Assistance with 4 hrs. Response time during Regular Business Hours (Monday to Friday excluding Holidays, 9AM to 6PM). 11.2. 1 year 24x7 Unlimited Technical Support via Email, Chat or Text Message.</p>	

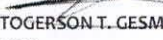



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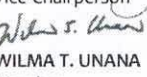
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2. Please take note of the new schedule of submission and opening of bids:

Submission of Bids: December 9, 2021 – 10:00AM

Venue: BAC Conference Room, 4th Floor PRC Annex Building, P. Paredes St., Sampaloc, Manila.

Opening of Bids: December 9, 2021 – 11:30AM

Venue: BAC Conference Room, 4th Floor PRC Annex Building, P. Paredes St., Sampaloc, Manila / Via Video Conferencing.

When submitting the bid documents, the Bidders will enter PRC through the public entrance gate, and have the time recorded at the DTR bundy clock. The Bid envelope will be received by the personnel of the BAC Secretariat. The Bidders are advised to submit their bids at least thirty (30) minutes before the deadline of 10:00 o'clock in the morning of December 9, 2021 in order to prepare for the videoconferencing. The Bidders are requested to send in the official email address of their authorized representative/s to this email address bac@prc.gov.ph and are hereby enjoined to participate in the videoconferencing of the bid opening.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND COMPLIANCE WITH THE TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR THE PROCUREMENT AND DELIVERY OF LOAD BALANCER (APPLICATION DELIVERY CONTROLLER)

SIGNATURE OVER PRINTED NAME
OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE,
DESIGNATION AND PRINTED NAME OF COMPANY

Please be guided accordingly.


ATTY. ARISTOGERSON T. GESMUNDO
Assistant Commissioner
BAC Chairman