

Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE Resolution No. 2022 - 62(A)

RECOMMENDING TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION, FOR HIS APPROVAL, THE AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF FIREWALL APPLIANCE FOR PICC-REBID TO IMAX TECHNOLOGIES INC. WITH A TOTAL BID AMOUNT OF FOUR HUNDRED FORTYNINE THOUSAND PESOS (Php449,000.00)

WHEREAS, the invitation to apply for eligibility and to bid through Negotiated Procurement under Section 53.9 – Small Value Procurement was posted in the website of the Commission, at the Bids Awards Committee (BAC) Bulletin Board, and in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) for the project: Procurement of Firewall Appliance for PICC-Rebid with an approved budget for the contract of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (Php450,000.00) only;

WHEREAS, on July 15, 2022 during the schedule of submission and opening of bids, two (2) bidders submitted its quotations, namely: IMAX Technologies Inc. (IMAX) and TERABIT Computer Systems Corp (TERABIT);

WHEREAS, Section 30, Rule IX of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) 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, upon evaluation of the submitted eligibility documents using a non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion, TERABIT failed to comply with the terms provided in Annex "A" of the Request for Quotation specifically the following: a) Certification that it has at least three (3) Manufacturer Certified Engineers, and at least one (1) Certified Architect; b) Certification from the Manufacturer as Silver Partner of the product to be offered; and c) Certification as Synchronized Security Partner. Therefore, TERABIT was marked as failed in complying with the Terms of Reference;

WHEREAS, IMAX passed the eligibility and technical evaluation with financial bid quotation amounting to Four Hundred Forty-Nine Thousand Pesos (Php449,000.00) and was declared as 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 PROCUREMENT OF FIREWALL APPLIANCE FOR PICC-REBID TO IMAX TECHNOLOGIES INC. with the bid amount of FOUR HUNDRED FOURTY-NINE THOUSAND PESOS (Php449,000.00).

Done in the City of Manila, Philippines, this July 29, 2022.

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

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