



15 March 2024

**ASTI – BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**  
**BAC Resolution No.: 24-03-023**

**RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT TO GABEPAT TRADING**  
**FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF TWENTY (20) PIECES**  
**USB-C HUB (MULTIPLE PORTS)**

Purchase Request No.	:	<b>QCS-24-02-18698</b>
Date of Purchase Request	:	<b>22 February 2024</b>
Request for Quotation No.	:	<b>24-02-4687</b>
Solicitation No.	:	<b>24-02-4687</b>
PhilGEPS Reference No.	:	<b>10605252</b>
Approved Budget for the Contract	:	<b>₱74,800.00</b>

**WHEREAS**, the Computer Software Division submitted to the DOST-ASTI Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) **Purchase Request No. QCS-24-02-18698** for the **Supply and Delivery of Twenty (20) Pieces USB-C Hub (Multiple Ports)** which was included in the **DOST-ASTI Annual Procurement Plan No. 4 for Fiscal Year 2024;**

**WHEREAS**, with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) amounting to **Seventy-Four Thousand Eight Hundred Pesos Only (₱74,800.00)**, the mode of procurement is pursuant to Section 53.9 (Small Value Procurement) of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184;

**WHEREAS**, on **29 February 2024**, the DOST-ASTI BAC, through its Secretariat, published the Request for Quotation (RFQ) and sent RFQs to three (3) suppliers of known qualifications, viz: (1) Jassen Harris Industries Corp.; (2) Uly Tech Trading; and (3) Nano Data Inc.;

**WHEREAS**, before the lapse of the deadline for submission of quotations on **04 March 2024, 2:00 PM**, six (6) bidders submitted their respective quotations, particularly **(1) Jassen Harris Industries Corp.; (2) Masangkay Computer Center; (3) Artjohnley Enterprises; (4) Agile Techfrontier Corporation; (5) Gabepat Trading; and (6) Uly Tech Trading;**

**WHEREAS**, upon careful review and evaluation of the DOST-ASTI BAC on the legal requirements submitted by **Gabepat Trading** it was evidenced that said prospective bidder complied with the eligibility requirements. Likewise, the DOST-ASTI BAC determined that the financial proposal submitted by **Gabepat Trading** in the amount of **Seventy Thousand Nine Hundred Pesos Only (₱70,900.00)** inclusive of all government taxes and fees, is within the ABC and, thus, compliant with the financial requirement;

**WHEREAS**, the evaluation of the compliance with the technical requirements of the procurement project was done by the end-user unit, which found that only the offer of **Gabepat Trading** was compliant with the technical requirements;

**WHEREAS**, **Gabepat Trading** was determined to be the bidder with **Single Calculated Responsive Quotation;** and

**WHEREAS**, Section 12 of RA No. 9184 provides that the BAC shall, among other matters, recommend the award of contracts to the Head of the Procuring Entity (HoPE) or his/her duly authorized representative.

**WHEREFORE**, the **DOST-ASTI BAC RESOLVES**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to recommend to the **DOST-ASTI HoPE**, for his approval, to award the contract for the **SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF TWENTY (20) PIECES USB-C HUB (MULTIPLE PORTS)** through **NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53.9 (SMALL VALUE PROCUREMENT)**, to **GABEPAT TRADING** with a total bid amount of **SEVENTY THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED PESOS ONLY (₱70,900.00)**, inclusive of all government taxes and fees.

Done in Quezon City, Philippines, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 2024.

**JOANNA G. SYJUCO**  
End-user

**NARCISA JUVILYN C. CASTAÑEDA**  
BAC Member

**HAROLD BRYAN S. PALER**  
BAC Member

**MERYL REGINE L. ALGODON, Ph.D.**  
BAC Member

**PHILIP A. MARTINEZ**  
BAC Member

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BAC Vice Chairperson

**BAYANI BENJAMIN R. LARA**  
BAC Chairperson

**APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:**

**FRANZ A. DE LEON, Ph.D.**  
Director, DOST-ASTI

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