



27 May 2025

ASTI – BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
BAC Resolution No.: 25-05-085

RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT TO PLDT, INC. FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SEVEN (7) MONTHS VOIP TRUNKLINE SUBSCRIPTION INCLUDING RECURRING LANDLINE CHARGES

Purchase Request No.	: GAA-25-05-21256
Date of Purchase Request	: 14 May 2025
Request for Quotation No.	: 25-05-5247
Solicitation No.	: 25-05-5247
PhilGEPS Reference No.	: 12052078
Approved Budget for the Contract	: ₱151,382.00

WHEREAS, the Knowledge Management Division submitted to the DOST-ASTI Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) **Purchase Request No. GAA-25-05-21256** for the **Supply and Delivery of Seven (7) Months VoIP Trunkline Subscription Including Recurring Landline Charges** which was included in the **DOST-ASTI Annual Procurement Plan No. 7 for Fiscal Year 2025**;

WHEREAS, with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) amounting to **One Hundred Fifty-One Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Two Pesos Only (₱151,382.00)**, 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 **21 May 2025**, 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) PLDT, Inc.; (2) Eastern Telecommunication Philippines, Inc.; and (3) Globe Telecom, Inc.;

WHEREAS, before the lapse of the deadline for submission of quotations on **26 May 2025, 2:00 PM**, one (1) bidder submitted their respective quotation, particularly: **(1) PLDT, Inc.**;

WHEREAS, upon careful review and evaluation of the DOST-ASTI BAC on the legal requirements submitted by **PLDT, Inc.** it was evidenced that said prospective bidder complied with the eligibility requirements. Likewise, the DOST-ASTI BAC determined that the financial proposal submitted by **PLDT, Inc.** in the amount of **One Hundred Five Thousand Eight Hundred Forty Pesos Only (₱105,840.00)**, 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 the offer of **PLDT, Inc.** compliant with the technical requirements;

WHEREAS, **PLDT, Inc.** 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 SEVEN (7) MONTHS VOIP TRUNKLINE SUBSCRIPTION INCLUDING RECURRING LANDLINE**

CHARGES through **NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53.9 (SMALL VALUE PROCUREMENT)**, to **PLDT, INC.** with a total bid amount of **ONE HUNDRED FIVE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FORTY PESOS ONLY (₱105,840.00)**, inclusive of all government taxes and fees.

Done in Quezon City, Philippines, this 27th day of May 2025.

PAUL JOHN M. SERRANO
End-user

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

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APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:

FRANZA A. DE LEON, Ph.D.
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