



09 August 2023

**ASTI – BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE  
BAC Resolution No. 23-08-141**

**RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT TO BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION FOR  
THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF FOUR (4) UNITS OVERHEAD SCANNER**

Purchase Request No.	:	<b>GAA-23-07-17229</b>
Date of Purchase Request	:	<b>26 July 2023</b>
Request for Quotation No.	:	<b>23-07-4465</b>
Solicitation No.	:	<b>23-07-4465</b>
PhilGEPS Reference No.	:	<b>9988466</b>
Approved Budget for the Contract	:	<b>₱198,000.00</b>

**WHEREAS**, the Finance and Administrative Division submitted to the DOST-ASTI Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) **Purchase Request No. GAA-23-07-17229** for the **Supply and Delivery of Four (4) Units Overhead Scanner**, which was included in the **DOST-ASTI Annual Procurement Plan for Common-use Supplies and Equipment No. 17 for Fiscal Year 2023**;

**WHEREAS**, with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) amounting to **One Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand Pesos Only (₱198,000.00)**, the mode of procurement is pursuant to Section 52 (b) (Shopping) of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184;

**WHEREAS**, on **29 July 2023**, the DOST-ASTI BAC, through its Secretariat, published the Request for Quotation (RFQ) and sent RFQs to five (5) suppliers of known qualifications, viz: (1) Jassen Harris Industries Corp.; (2) Artjohnley Enterprises; (3) Primetek International Non-Specialized Wholesale Trading; (4) American Technologies; and (5) Microimaging Sales and Services Inc.;

**WHEREAS**, before the lapse of the deadline for submission of quotations on **02 August 2023, 2:00 PM**, four (4) bidders submitted quotations, particularly: **(1) EPartners Solutions, Inc.; (2) Artjohnley Enterprises; (3) Business Machines Corporation; and (4) Pantronics International Corporation;**

**WHEREAS**, upon careful review and evaluation of the DOST-ASTI BAC on the legal requirements submitted by **Business Machines Corporation**, it was evidenced that **Business Machines Corporation** complied with the eligibility requirements. Likewise, the DOST-ASTI BAC determined that the financial proposals submitted by **Business Machines Corporation** in the amount of **One Hundred Eighty-One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Pesos Only (₱181,960.00)** inclusive of all government taxes and fees, is within the ABC and, thus, compliant with the financial requirements;

**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 **Business Machines Corporation** compliant with the technical requirements;

**WHEREAS**, **Business Machines Corporation** was determined to be the bidder with **Lowest 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**

**FOUR (4) UNITS OVERHEAD SCANNER** through **NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53 (b) (SHOPPING)**, to **BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION** with a total bid amount of **ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SIXTY PESOS ONLY (₱181,960.00)**, inclusive of all government taxes and fees.

Done in Quezon City, Philippines, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

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**APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:**

for

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Director, DOST-ASTI

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