



28 September 2023

**ASTI – BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
BAC Resolution No. 23-09-178**

**RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT TO LIMITLESS MULTI TRADING COMPANY FOR
THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SIXTY-FOUR (64) UNITS UPS BATTERY CELLS
REPLACEMENT**

Purchase Request No.	:	SAR-AIS-23-07-17249
Date of Purchase Request	:	31 July 2023
Request for Quotation No.	:	23-09-4536
Solicitation No.	:	23-09-4536
PhilGEPS Reference No.	:	10141076
Approved Budget for the Contract	:	₱177,013.76

WHEREAS, the Solutions and Services Engineering Division submitted to the DOST-ASTI Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) **Purchase Request No. SAR-AIS-23-07-17249** for the **Supply and Delivery of Sixty-Four (64) Units UPS Battery Cells Replacement**, which was included in the **DOST-ASTI Annual Procurement Plan No. 15 for Fiscal Year 2023**;

WHEREAS, with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) amounting to **One Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Thirteen Pesos and 76/100 Only (₱177,013.76)**, 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 **19 September 2023**, the DOST-ASTI BAC, through its Secretariat, published the Request for Quotation (RFQ) and sent RFQs to four (4) suppliers of known qualifications, viz: (1) Microgenesis; (2) Jassen Harris Industries Corp.; (3) Equilast Inc.; and (4) Artjohnley Enterprises;

WHEREAS, before the lapse of the deadline for submission of quotations on **22 September 2023, 2:00 PM**, five (5) bidders submitted their respective quotations, particularly **(1) Abliss Consumer Goods Trading; (2) E3K IT Solutions; (3) Limitless Multi Trading Company; (4) Microbase Inc.; and (5) Advance Microsystems Corporation**;

WHEREAS, upon careful review and evaluation of the DOST-ASTI BAC on the legal requirements submitted by **Limitless Multi Trading Company**, it was evidenced that said prospective bidder complied with the eligibility requirements. Likewise, the DOST-ASTI BAC determined that the financial proposal submitted by **Limitless Multi Trading Company** in the amount of **One Hundred Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Pesos Only (₱108,800.00)** 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 **Limitless Multi Trading Company** compliant with the technical requirements;


WHEREAS, **Limitless Multi Trading Company** 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**

SIXTY-FOUR (64) UNITS UPS BATTERY CELLS REPLACEMENT through **NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT UNDER SECTION 53.9 (SMALL VALUE PROCUREMENT)**, to **LIMITLESS MULTI TRADING COMPANY** with a total bid amount of **ONE HUNDRED EIGHT THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED PESOS ONLY (₱108,800.00)**, inclusive of all government taxes and fees.

Done in Quezon City, Philippines, this 28th day of September 2023.


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End-user

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APPROVED/D ~~SAPPROVED:~~

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