



Office of the President of the Philippines  
PRESIDENTIAL MANAGEMENT STAFF  
Malacañang

**PMS-BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**  
**Resolution No. 67, Series of 2021**

**RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT TO THE LARICEL'S JEWELRY FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF TOKENS OF APPRECIATION FOR THE GOVERNMENT LOYALTY AND SERVICE AWARDS FOR CALENDAR YEAR (CY) 2021 (SERVICE IN GOVERNMENT AND RETIREES)**

**WHEREAS**, the Strategic Planning, Financial Management, and Human Resource Management Service (SPFM-HRMS) submitted to the PMS-Bids and Awards Committee (PMS-BAC) the Terms of Reference (ToR) and Purchase Request (PR) for the procurement of tokens of appreciation for the government loyalty and service awards for CY 2021 (service in government and retirees) (**Annex A**) with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the Updated PMS Annual Procurement Plan for Fiscal Year (FY) 2021, amounting to PhP3,486,920.50<sup>1</sup> (**Annex B**);

**WHEREAS**, Section 10, Article IV of Republic Act (R.A.) No. 9184<sup>2</sup> provides that all procurement shall be done through Competitive Bidding, except as provided for in Article XVI thereof (**Annex C**). In compliance therewith, the PMS-BAC Secretariat posted the Invitation to Bid on the prescribed online platforms<sup>3</sup> on July 13, 2021 (**Annex D**) and invited eight (8)<sup>4</sup> prospective bidders via electronic mail to participate in the procurement at hand;

**WHEREAS**, on July 21, 2021, the PMS-BAC conducted a pre-bid conference, which was participated in by five (5) prospective bidders, namely: R&J Jewelry Class Ring & Metal Craft, VYD Metal Crafts Inc., Silverworks, Laricel's Jewelry, and MMC Awards Specialist. However, only the Laricel's Jewelry purchased the bidding documents and tendered its bid on time, or until August 04, 2021, at 9:00 AM,<sup>5</sup> one (1) hour before the Opening of Bids (**Annex E**);

**WHEREAS**, during the Opening of Bids, the Laricel's Jewelry was declared eligible for submitting the complete eligibility and technical requirement. Consequently, its financial envelope was opened, containing a bid amounting to PhP3,461,550.00, inclusive of all applicable taxes and fees, which is well within the ABC of the procurement at hand, thereby making the same as the single calculated bid (**Annex F**), subject to post-qualification evaluation;

**WHEREAS**, per the technical evaluation and financial evaluation reports submitted to the PMS-BAC Secretariat on August 18, 2021 (**Annex G**), the Laricel's Jewelry was deemed compliant with all the requirements and conditions specified in the Bidding Documents, thereby rendering the same and its bid as the **single calculated and responsive bid**;

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<sup>1</sup> Item No. 4 therein.

<sup>2</sup> Otherwise known as the Government Procurement Reform Act.

<sup>3</sup> Posted on the PMS Website and Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS).

<sup>4</sup> (1) Kathy and Kathy Bespoke; (2) M Jewellery PH; (3) Adeva Jewellery; (4) Roselle's Custom Jewelry; (5) HK Uno Jewelry; (6) Laricel's Jewelry; (7) R&J Jewelry Class Ring & Metal Craft Inc.; and (8) KD Metal Arts and Crafts.

<sup>5</sup> PMS-BAC Bid Bulletin No. 11-2021.

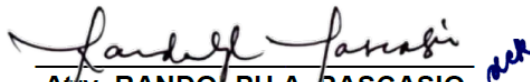
**WHEREAS**, the PMS-BAC finds the evaluations of the end-user and technical working group to be in strict accordance with R.A. No. 9184 and its 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (RIRR); and,

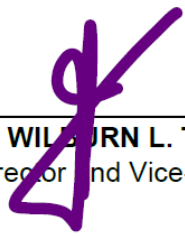
**WHEREAS**, Section 12.1(h), Rule V of the 2016 RIRR of R.A. No. 9184 empowers the BAC to recommend the award of contract to the Head of the Procuring Entity or his/her duly authorized representative.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for and in consideration of the foregoing, **WE**, the Members of the PMS-BAC, hereby **RECOMMEND** to the Acting Deputy Head,<sup>6</sup> the following:


- (1) **AWARD OF CONTRACT** via competitive bidding to the Laricel's Jewelry for the procurement of tokens of appreciation for the government loyalty and service awards for CY 2021 (service in government and retirees), amounting to PhP3,461,550.00, inclusive of all applicable taxes and fees; and
- (2) **GRANT OF AUTHORIZATION** to the PMS-BAC Chairperson, or in his absence, the Vice-Chairperson, to sign the Notice of Award and the Notice to Proceed to implement this Resolution.

DONE in Manila this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 2021.

  
Atty. RANDOLPH A. PASCASIO  
Director and Chairperson

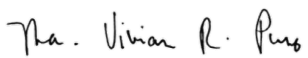
  
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APPROVED/~~DISAPPROVED~~:

  
MA. VIVIAN R. PUNO  
Assistant Secretary and Acting Deputy Head  
Date: 08/24/2021

<sup>6</sup> Pursuant to Memorandum Order No. 2021-033 entitled "Updating the Signing Authorities for Various Matters in the PMS".

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