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Bids and Awards Committee
BAC Resolution No. 25 Series of 2017

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING FAILURE OF BIDDING AND REBID FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF SOLAR-POWERED IRRIGATION SYSTEM FOR THE CLIMATE RESILIENT FARM PRODUCTIVITY SUPPORT PROJECT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRARIAN REFORM

WHEREAS, the Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR), through the General Appropriations Act (GAA) of 2017 intends to apply the sum of Philippine Pesos Sixty-Five Million Nine Hundred Forty-Five Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Only (Php 65,945,250.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC), to payments under the contract for the supply, delivery and installation of seventy-seven (77) units of solar-powered irrigation system broken down in four (4) lots for the Climate Resilient Farm Productivity Support Project of the DAR;

WHEREAS, on October 28, 2017, the Department of Agrarian Reform-Bids and Awards Committee (DAR-BAC) posted the Invitation to Bid (ITB) in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) with reference no. 4911601 and DAR website/bulletin board, and published the said ITB on October 29, 2017 at the Philippine Daily Inquirer (refer to Annex A for the advertisement and postings);

WHEREAS, issuance of bidding documents to interested bidders started on October 30, 2017 with four (4) bidders namely: 1) Heal the World Energy Saving Corporation; 2) One Renewable Energy Enterprises, Inc.; 3) Physics Research; and 4) R.U. Foundry & Machine Shop Corporation acquired bidding documents for lots 1 to 4 and (1) bidder, Sheridan Marketing, Inc. for lot 3 only;

WHEREAS, on November 6, 2017, a pre-bid conference was held to discuss the general requirements of the procurement at hand and reply to queries/requests for clarifications raised by prospective bidders;

WHEREAS, on November 10, 2017 Supplemental/Bid Bulletin No. 1 was issued to amend certain provisions of the Bid Data Sheet, Special Conditions of Contract, and Technical Specifications as well as to provide responses to the queries raised during the pre-bid conference (refer to Annex "B" SBB No. 1)

WHEREAS, on November 20, 2017, the deadline of submission of bids, only four (4) of the five (5) bidders that purchased bidding documents submitted their bid proposals. Of the four, three (3) were accepted as the BAC rejected the bid proposal of Heal the World Energy Saving Corporation because it was submitted at 9:35 am, beyond the 9:00 am deadline. The bid proposals of the other three (3) bidders likewise did not pass the bid submission requirements on the following grounds:

Name of Bidder					Lacking Documents					
 Sheridan Marketing, Inc. 					Amtec Test Results					
All required certifications							S			
2.	One	Renewable	Energy	No	Amtec	Tes	t Re	esults	for	Fail
Ent., Inc.					Submersible pumps					
3.	Physi	cs Research		One	сору	of	the	Finar	ncial	Fail
Proposal Envelope										

WHEREAS, on the same date, all the bidders were properly informed of the above results as they were all present during the bid opening;

WHEREFORE, premises considered, the BAC resolves to recommend to the Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE) the declaration of failure of bidding and rebidding for the procurement of four (4) lots of solar-powered irrigation system for the Climate Resilient Farm Productivity Support Project of the DAR;

Done this 20th day of November, 2017 at the DAR Central Office, Diliman, Quezon Citv.

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