



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Procurement of Goods and Consultancy Services (BAC-PGCS)

Resolution No. 024-2025

Series of 2025

RESOLUTION DECLARING FAILURE OF BIDDING FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF SERVICES OF CERTIFYING BODY FOR THE QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM OF PPA

ASD-132-2025

WHEREAS, the Philippine Ports Authority (PPA) posted an Invitation to Bid for the Procurement of Services of Certifying Body for the Quality Management System of PPA, in the website of the PPA, PhilGEPS and in the Bulletin Board located at the PPA Corporate Building, South Harbor, Port Area, Manila, on 19 June 2025, continuously for seven (7) calendar days;

WHEREAS, the Approved Budget for the Contract to be Bid as posted/advertised is **₱ 3,800,000.00**;

WHEREAS, in response to the said advertisement, two (2) bidders secured the Bid Documents in the amount of ₱ 5,000.00 and submitted their Technical and Financial Proposals, namely;

1. SOCOTEC Certification Philippines, Inc.
2. NQA Philippines, Inc.

WHEREAS, during the opening of bids on 10 July 2025 at 2:00 p.m., NQA Philippines, Inc. was declared "automatically disqualified" considering that the submitted Technical Proposal has no index tabs, as required under ITB Clause 15 of the Bid Data Sheet of the Bidding Documents, which states that "xxx All bid documents shall be book bound with hard cover and properly labelled with index tabs." SOCOTEC Certification Philippines, Inc. was declared "failed" for failure to submit a complete technical specifications form under Section VII of the Bidding Documents;"

WHEREAS, SOCOTEC Certification Philippines, Inc. signified its intention to file a request for reconsideration on its "failed" rating, hence, the unopened Second Envelopes were retained by the BAC, until the request for reconsideration has been resolved by the Committee;

WHEREAS, no request for reconsideration was filed by SOCOTEC Certification Philippines, Inc. within the prescribed deadline for submission thereof;

WHEREAS, considering that all bidders were declared "failed", the BAC, after a motion duly made and properly seconded, declared the bidding for the Procurement of Services of Certifying Body for the Quality Management System of PPA, a failure pursuant to Section 35.1 (b) of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, which provides, to wit:

“35.1 The BAC shall declare the bidding a failure when:

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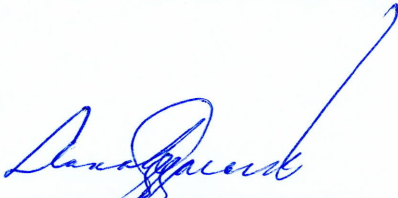
b) All prospective bidders are declared ineligible;

xxx xxx xxx.”

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises, the BAC hereby RESOLVE as it is hereby RESOLVED to recommend the following:

1. To recommend to the Head of the Procuring Entity that the bidding for the Procurement of Services of Certifying Body for the Quality Management System of PPA, be declared a “failure” pursuant to Section 35.1 (b) of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184;
2. To conduct a re-bidding with re-advertisement and/ or posting, as provided for in Section 21.2 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the BAC on 15 July 2025.


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16 July 2025

MEMORANDUM

F O R : The General Manager

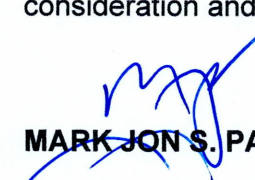
F R O M : The Chairperson, HO-BAC-PGCS

S U B J E C T : **BAC-PGCS Resolution No. 024-2025 Series of 2025 on the Declaration of Failure of Bidding for the Procurement of Services of Certifying Body for the Quality Management System of PPA**

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This has reference to the Opening of Bids for the Procurement of Services of Certifying Body for the Quality Management System of PPA held on 10 July 2025. The bidding was declared a failure by the BAC pursuant to Section 35.1 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, which states that: "The BAC shall declare the bidding a failure when: xxx xxx a) All prospective bidders are declared ineligible. xxx xxx."

In view thereof, we are submitting herewith BAC Resolution No. 024-2025 Series of 2025 Declaring Failure of Bidding for the Procurement of Services of Certifying Body for the Quality Management System of PPA and to conduct a re-bidding with re-advertisement and/or posting, as provided for in Section 21.2 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184, for consideration and approval of the General Manager as Head of the Procuring Entity.


MARK JON S. PALOMAR


APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:


JAY DANIEL R. SANTIAGO
General Manager