

Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT
Intramuros, Manila

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BAC Resolution No. 020
Series of 2022

**DECLARING PLDT INC. AS THE LOWEST CALCULATED AND
RESPONSIVE BIDDER FOR THE PLANNING SERVICE'S PROJECT
"SUBSCRIPTION OF 350 MBPS INTERNET LEASED LINE FOR ONE (1) YEAR"**

WHEREAS, the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) advertised the Invitation to Bid for the competitive bidding of the project "Subscription of 350 Mbps Internet Leased Line for One (1) Year" with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of ₱2,500,000.00 in the Philippine Government E-Procurement System (PhilGEPS), DOLE Website and conspicuous places at the DOLE's premises from 20 December 2021 to 11 January 2022;

WHEREAS, said project is included in the 2022 FY Indicative Annual Procurement Plan of the Department;

WHEREAS, the Pre-bid Conference which was scheduled on 28 December 2021 was attended by two (2) bidders namely: (1) Pronet Systems Integrated Network Solutions, Inc.; and (2) Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions, Inc.;

WHEREAS, in response to the advertisement, three (3) bidders namely: (1) Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions, Inc.; (2) PLDT Inc.; and (3) Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc. purchased the bidding documents from the DOLE Bids and Awards Committee (DOLE BAC) Secretariat on 10 January 2022 to 11 January 2022;

WHEREAS, the submission and opening of bids which was scheduled on 11 January 2022 was attended by three (3) prospective bidders namely: (1) PLDT Inc.; (2) Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions, Inc.; and (3) Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc. Said bidders submitted their technical and financial envelopes. After preliminary examination, the technical proposals of the three (3) prospective bidders namely: (1) PLDT Inc.; (2) Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions, Inc.; and (3) Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc. were rated as "**passed**" hence, the BAC opened their financial envelopes which were also rated as "**passed**" among the three (3) bidders PLDT Inc. submitted the lowest bid price;

WHEREAS, the BAC - TWG in its bid evaluation report dated 12 January 2022 as duly concurred by the members of the BAC, examined and evaluated the bid proposals of the three (3) prospective bidders namely: (1) PLDT Inc.; (2) Converge Information and

Communications Technology Solutions, Inc.; and (3) Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc.

WHEREAS, based on the evaluation of the bids conducted by the DOLE-BAC Technical Working Group, the three (3) prospective bidders namely: (1) PLDT Inc.; (2) Converge Information and Communications Technology Solutions, Inc.; and (3) Eastern Telecommunications Philippines, Inc. complied with the mandatory minimum technical specifications of the said project. While PLDT Inc. was declared as the **Lowest Calculated Bidder** for the **Planning Service's** project "**Subscription of 350 Mbps Internet Leased Line for One (1) Year**" per BAC Resolution No. 009, Series of 2022;

WHEREAS, BAC Secretariat sent a letter to PLDT Inc. requesting for submission of post-qualification documents;

WHEREAS, PLDT Inc. submitted additional documents for post-qualification;

WHEREAS, upon careful examination, validation and verification of all the eligibility, technical and financial requirements submitted by PLDT Inc. its bid has been found to be responsive;

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the members of the Bids and Awards Committee, hereby **RESOLVE** as it is hereby **RESOLVED**:

- a. To declare **PLDT Inc.** as the **Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bidder** for the **Planning Service's** project "**Subscription of 350 Mbps Internet Leased Line for One (1) Year**";
- b. To award the procurement of the **Planning Service's** project "**Subscription of 350 Mbps Internet Leased Line for One (1) Year**" to **PLDT Inc.** at a contract price of ₱1,000,000.00; and
- c. To recommend for approval by the DOLE Undersecretary the foregoing findings.

RESOLVED, at the DOLE Building, Intramuros, Manila, this 25th day of January 2022.

DOLE - BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Recommending Approval:



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