



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
PRESIDENTIAL COMMUNICATIONS OPERATIONS OFFICE
Tanggapang Pampanguluhan sa Operasyong Pangkomunikasyon
Malacañang, Manila

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE – I

RESOLUTION No. 2020-006

SUBJECT : GRANTING THE REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED BY MULTISYS TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT) SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE ELECTRONIC FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (eFOI) PORTAL (Contract No. 2019-PCOO-I-007a)

DATE : 10 February 2020

WHEREAS, on 15 January 2020, the Presidential Communications Operations Office (PCOO), through the Bids and Awards Committee – I (Committee), posted on PhilGEPS the Invitation to Bid and the Bidding Documents for the Procurement of Information Technology (IT) Service Provider for the Electronic Freedom of Information (eFOI) Portal;

WHEREAS, on 03 February 2020, the day before the Deadline of Submission of Bids, two (2) bidders, namely **OVERTON EQUITY VENTURES CORPORATION (OVERTON)** and **MULTISYS TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION (MULTISYS)** timely submitted their bids;

WHEREAS, on 04 February 2020, during the Opening of Bids, the eligibility documents of the said bidders were examined, and it was found that both bidders failed the eligibility check for the following reasons:

1. For **OVERTON**, it failed to include the official receipt showing proof of payment of fees for renewal of its expired Business Permit; further, its Board Resolution submitted as proof of the authority of the signatory was defective in form for a lack of a *jurat*; and
2. For **MULTISYS**, its Bid Securing Declaration failed to indicate that the affiant thereon executed the same in her capacity as the duly authorized representative of **MULTISYS**;

WHEREAS, both **OVERTON** and **MULTISYS** manifested their respective intentions to request for reconsideration;

WHEREAS, only **MULTISYS** submitted such request in writing on 07 February 2020, averring:

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1. It merely complied with the prescribed form as provided in the Bidding Documents for this project;
2. The Bid Securing Declaration was part of its bid proposal; and
3. Liability in the Bid Securing Declaration is in effect under the company's name.

WHEREAS, the Committee through its Members constituting a quorum, other than the Vice Chairperson as Presiding Officer who votes only to break a tie, found merit in the Request for Reconsideration filed by **MULTISYS**;

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, the Committee **RESOLVES**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to:

1. Grant the Request for Reconsideration filed by **MULTISYS**;
2. Reverse the declaration of second failure of bidding per BAC-I Resolution No. 005 dated 04 February 2020; and
3. Direct the BAC Secretariat to:
 - a. Schedule the opening of the financial envelope of **MULTISYS** on Monday, 17 February 2020 at two o'clock in the afternoon (2:00 PM) at the 4th Floor Conference Room, New Executive Building, Malacañang, Manila;
 - b. Issue the Notice to Observers on or before 12 February 2020;

RESOLVED at the 4th Floor Conference Room, New Executive Building, Malacañang, Manila.

(ORIGINAL SIGNED)
USec. MARVIN R. GATPAYAT
Chairperson

ASec. OMAR V. ROMERO
Vice Chairperson

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MA. ALMA A. FRANCISCO
Member

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Dir. EUGENE A. EARLE, JR.

Member

MARTIN JANN G. CENETA

End-User Representative
Provisional BAC Member

☐ **APPROVED**

☐ **DISAPPROVED:**

(In case of disapproval, the HoPE shall state the reason/s therefor.)

ASec. RYAN VINCENT L. UY

Authorized Representative of the Head of
Procuring Entity