



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
BAC Resolution No. 18-2018 (PB)
Series of 2018

Re: Award for PB-2018-17

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) was created pursuant to Office Order No. 173 (Series of 2018), ensuring transparency in the procurement process and in the implementation of procurement contracts, with the end view of guaranteeing that contracts are awarded pursuant to the provisions of Republic Act 9184 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, and that all procurement are conducted strictly according to specifications.

WHEREAS, on July 17, 2018, the Invitation to Bid for **PB 2018-17: Public Bidding for the Supply, Installation and Configuration of Internet Bandwidth for the Office of the Ombudsman**, was posted at PhilGEPS, Office of the Ombudsman Website, as well as in the Agency's Bulletin Board.

WHEREAS, the total Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) **PB 2018-17: Public Bidding for the Supply, Installation and Configuration of Internet Bandwidth for the Office of the Ombudsman is One Million Six Hundred Eighty Pesos (Php1,680,000.00)**.

WHEREAS, for the period from July 17, 2018 to August 07, 2018, three (3) prospective bidders¹ bought the bid documents.

WHEREAS, a Pre-Bid Conference was conducted on July 26, 2018 at 1:30 p.m. with four (4) prospective bidders² in attendance.

WHEREAS, on August 07, 2018, only three (3) bidders³ submitted their bid before the 1:30 p.m. deadline and simultaneously, the BAC conducted the opening of bids with the presence of the Technical Working Group (TWG), after evaluation of eligibility and technical components of Innove Communication Inc. (Globe Telecom, Inc.), Converge Info & Communications Tech., Solutions Inc., and Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc., the BAC declared the bidder as "**eligible**". Thus Envelope No. 2 containing the financial proposal were opened, to wit:

¹ Innove Communication Inc. (Globe Telecom, Inc.), Converge Info & Communications Tech., Solutions Inc., and Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc.

² Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc., Now Corp., Converge Info & Communications Tech., Solutions Inc. and Innove Communication Inc. (Globe Telecom, Inc.)

³ Innove Communication Inc. (Globe Telecom, Inc.), Converge Info & Communications Tech., Solutions Inc., and Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc.

NAME OF BIDDER	SUBMITTED BID
1) Innove Communication Inc. (Globe Telecom, Inc.)	₱1,488,000.00 "3rd Lowest Calculated Bid"
2) Converge Info & Communications Tech., Solutions Inc.	₱768,768.00 "2 nd Lowest Calculated Bid"
3) Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc.	₱739,200.00 "Lowest Calculated Bid"


WHEREAS, the TWG conducted the necessary post-qualification proceedings pursuant to Notice of Post Qualification issued by the BAC on August 16, 2018 to Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc. After validation and verification, the TWG determined that the Eastern Telecommunications Philippines Inc. complied with the OMB technical specifications and are responsive to all the legal requirements and conditions for eligibility.


NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Bids and Awards Committee hereby **RESOLVE** and **RECOMMEND** the **award of contract** to **EASTERN TELECOMMUNICATIONS PHILIPPINES INC.**, having submitted the **Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid of ₱739,200.00**, subject to the posting of a bond to guarantee performance.

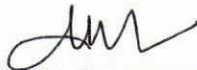
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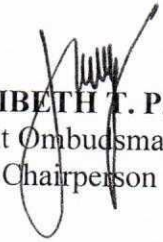
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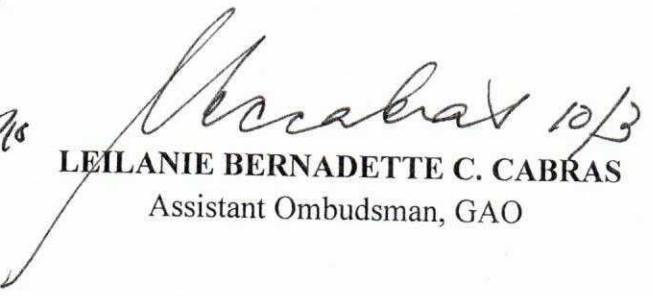
“NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Bids and Awards Committee hereby RESOLVE and RECOMMEND the award of contract TO EASTERN TELECOMMUNICATIONS PHILIPPINES INC., having submitted the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid of ₱739,200.00, subject to the posting of a bond to guarantee performance.

This 24th day of September, 2018 at the Office of the Ombudsman, Agham Road, Quezon City”.

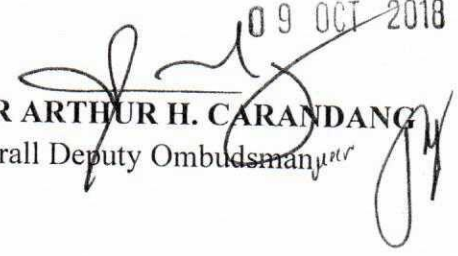
RECOMMENDING APPROVAL:

CERTIFIED FUNDS AVAILABLE:


WEOMARK RYAN G. LAYSON
Assistant Ombudsman, FMIO


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Assistant Ombudsman, GAO

APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:


MELCHOR ARTHUR H. CARANDANG
Overall Deputy Ombudsman

09 OCT 2018


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