



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
BAC Resolution No. 01-2020 (PB)
Series of 2020

Re: Award for PB-2019-21

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) was created pursuant to Office Order No. 219 (Series of 2019), 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 11 November 2019 the Invitation to Bid for **PB 2019-21: Public Bidding of One (1) Year Subscription of Various Newspapers 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 2019-21: Public Bidding of One (1) Year Subscription of Various Newspapers for the Office of the Ombudsman** is **Two Hundred Sixty-One Thousand Pesos (₱261,000.00)**.

WHEREAS, for the period from 06 November 2019 to 25 November 2019, two (2) prospective bidders¹ bought the bid documents.

WHEREAS, on 25 November 2019², one (1) bidder 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 **JJJ Newspapers and Magazines and H-Asia Newspapers and Magazines Inc.**, the BAC declared all the bidders as **"eligible"**. Thus Envelope No. 2 containing their financial proposals was opened, to wit:

NAME OF BIDDERS	SUBMITTED BID
1. JJJ Newspapers and Magazines	₱257, 562.00 <i>"Lowest Calculated Bid"</i>
2. H-Asia Newspapers and Magazines Inc.	₱261,000.00 <i>"2nd Lowest Calculated Bid"</i>

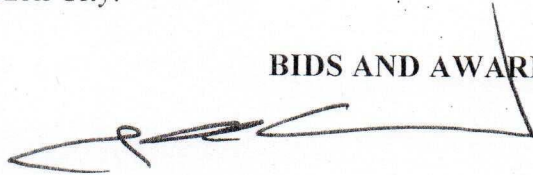
¹ JJJ Newspapers and Magazines and H-Asia Newspapers and Magazines Inc.
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WHEREAS, the TWG conducted the necessary post-qualification proceedings pursuant to Notice of Post Qualification issued by the BAC on 27 November 2019 to **JJJ Newspapers and Magazines** (having the Lowest Calculated Bid). After validation and verification³, the TWG determined that JJJ Newspapers and Magazines complied with the OMB technical specifications and is responsive to all the legal requirements and conditions for eligibility.

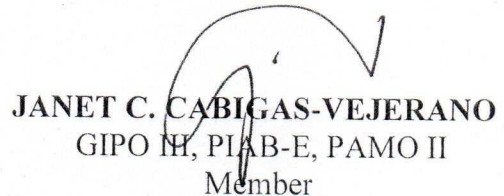
NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Bids and Awards Committee hereby **RESOLVE** and **RECOMMEND** the **award of contract** to **JJJ Newspapers and Magazines**, having submitted the **Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid** of **₱257, 562.00**, subject to the posting of a bond to guarantee performance.

This 09th day of January 2020 at the Office of the Ombudsman, Agham Road, Quezon City.

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE



JULIEVER ROQUE LAMUG
ASPO II, OSP
Member



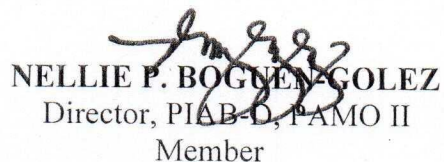
JANET C. CABIGAS-VEJERANO
GIPO III, PIAB-E, PAMO II
Member



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Vice-Chairperson

MARIBETH T. PADIOS
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Chairperson

³ TWG Post-Qualification Report dated 20 December 2019 received by the BAC Secretariat on January 09, 2020


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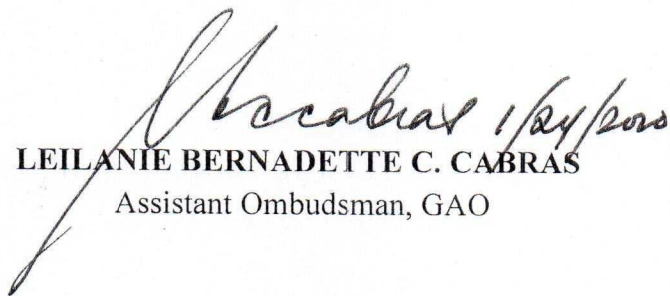
“NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Bids and Awards Committee hereby RESOLVE and RECOMMEND the award of contract to JJJ Newspapers and Magazines, having submitted the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid of ₱257, 562.00, subject to the posting of a bond to guarantee performance.

This 09th day of January 2020 at the Office of the Ombudsman, Agham Road, Quezon City.”

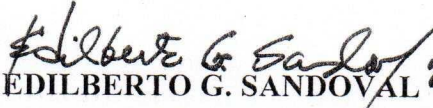
RECOMMENDING APPROVAL:

CERTIFIED FUNDS AVAILABLE:


WEOMARK RYAN G. LAYSON
Assistant Ombudsman, FMIO


LEILANIE BERNADETTE C. CABRAS
Assistant Ombudsman, GAO

APPROVED/~~DISAPPROVED~~:


EDILBERTO G. SANDOVAL 29 JAN 2020
Acting Overall Deputy Ombudsman/
Special Prosecutor, OSP 