



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN
Bids and Awards Committee – Main
Ombudsman Building, Agham Road, Diliman, Quezon City

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE - MAIN
RESOLUTION NO. PB-24-02, s. 2024

**RE: AWARD FOR THE PUBLIC BIDDING OF SECURITY
SERVICES REQUIREMENT OF THE OFFICE OF THE
OMBUDSMAN FOR CY 2024-2025
(PB 2023-13)**

WHEREAS, the Office of the Ombudsman has programmed and approved Purchase Request (PR) No. PU-23-11-163¹ for the procurement of Security Services Requirement of the Office of the Ombudsman for CY 2024-2025 (APP Code: 2023APP-075)² with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the total amount of Forty-Two Million Pesos (P42,000,000.00);

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee-Main (BAC-Main) was authorized³ to conduct its procurement through Public Bidding in accordance with Republic Act (RA) No. 9184 and its Updated 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (RIRR);

WHEREAS, Pre-Procurement Conferences through video-conferencing were conducted on November 21 and 23, 2023, and were attended by the Chairperson and Members of the BAC-Main, Chairperson and Members of the Technical Working Group (TWG) and the BAC Secretariat-Main;

WHEREAS, on December 04, 2023, the Invitation to Bid (ITB) for PB 2023-13: Public Bidding of Security Services Requirement of the Office of the Ombudsman for CY 2024-2025 was posted at the PhilGEPS website, Ombudsman website and OMB Bulletin Board;

WHEREAS, Letters of Invitation for the Pre-Bid Conference, Opening of Bids, Bid Evaluation and Post-Qualification were sent to and received by the following witnesses and observers:

- a. Deputy Ombudsman Dante F. Vargas (OIC, ODO for Finance and Administrative Matters, OODO, Office of the Ombudsman);
- b. Assistant Ombudsman Pilarita T. Lapitan (OMB-Proper);
- c. Mr. Ruben J. Pascual (Secretary General, Phil. Chamber of Commerce and Industry);
- d. Mr. Paterno Menzon (Co-Chairman, Coalition Against Corruption – Bishops Business Conference – Laiko (Government Procurement Monitoring Committee));
- e. Auditor Joey I. Bernandino (Supervising Auditor, COA); and
- f. Ms. Joanna Mae E. Alberto (President, OMBEA);

¹ Annex "A" ✓

² Total ABC per Annual Procurement Plan CY 2023 for Security Services Requirement of the Office of the Ombudsman is Php 42,000,000.00 ✓

³ Note attached dated Nov. 14, 2023 ✓

WHEREAS, on December 12, 2023 at 9:00 a.m., a Pre-Bid Conference⁴ was conducted via Google Meet Application with the BAC-Main, TWG, three (3) prospective bidders and no witnesses/observers in attendance;

WHEREAS, Supplemental/Bid Bulletin No. 1 dated 14 December 2023 providing for the Amendments/Clarifications to the Bidding Documents was issued/posted on 15 December 2023;

WHEREAS, for the period December 04 to December 27, 2023, only one (1) bidder, LIFEGUARD ARCHANGELS SECURITY AGENCY CORPORATION (LASAC), purchased and submitted its bidding documents before the 9:00 a.m. deadline on December 27, 2023;⁵

WHEREAS, the Opening of Bids⁶ was conducted on December 27, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., with the BAC-Main and bidder attending via Google Meet Application, and with the BAC Secretariat and TWG in physical attendance, while there are no observers/witnesses in attendance;

WHEREAS, after the conduct of eligibility check and evaluation of the submitted bid,⁷ the BAC-Main, upon the recommendation of the TWG, rated LASAC as “PASSED” in all its eligibility requirements and declared it as “ELIGIBLE” to participate further in the Opening of Bids;

WHEREAS, on December 27, 2023 at 11:17 a.m., a Bid Evaluation⁸ was conducted to further establish the correct calculated price of the bids through a detailed evaluation of the financial component of the bids and to assess the total bid price as calculated from the eligible bidder, viz:

	NAME OF BIDDER	Financial Bid as read	Increase/Decrease	Financial Bid as calculated/ corrected	Ranking	Remarks
1	LIFEGUARD ARCHANGELS SECURITY AGENCY CORPORATION (LASAC)	₱40,399,841.64	- ₱315,691.08 (Decrease) ⁹	₱40,084,150.56	1	<u>“Single Calculated Bid”</u>

WHEREAS, on December 27, 2023, a Notice of Post Qualification¹⁰ was issued, directing LASAC to submit/present the originals and certified true copies of the required documents to the TWG/BAC during the post-qualification proceedings scheduled on January 03, 2024.

WHEREAS, the TWG, in its Memorandum dated January 04, 2024, upon careful evaluation of all the criteria for post-qualification recommended the award of the contract to LASAC after validating, verifying and determining that it complied with the Office’s

⁴ Minutes of the Pre-Bid Conference.
⁵ LASAC purchased bidding documents on December 18, 2023 and submitted its bid on December 27, 2023, 7:29 a.m.
⁶ Minutes of the Opening of Bids.
⁷ Summary of the Opening of Bids
⁸ Summary of the Bid Evaluation
⁹ Annex “B” (Pls. see attached TWG Computation)
¹⁰ Notice of Post-Qualification attach

technical specifications and was responsive to all the legal requirements and conditions for eligibility.¹¹

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Bids and Awards Committee-Main hereby **RESOLVE** and **RECOMMEND** to award the contract for the **Public Bidding of Security Services Requirement of the Office of the Ombudsman for CY 2024-2025** to **LIFEGUARD ARCHANGELS SECURITY AGENCY CORPORATION (LASAC)** for tendering the Single Calculated and Responsive Bid in the amount of **Forty-Million Eighty-Four Thousand One Hundred Fifty Pesos and Fifty-Six Centavos only (P40,084,150.56)** subject to the posting of a bond to guarantee performance.

SO RESOLVED.


04 January 2024, Quezon City, Philippines.


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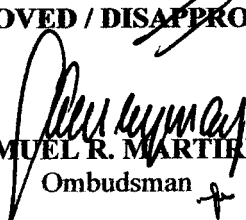
¹¹ TWG Post-Qualification Report on PB 2023-13 dated 04 January 2024, received 05 January 2024

The dispositive portion reads as thus:

“NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Bids and Awards Committee-Main hereby RESOLVE and RECOMMEND to award the contract for Public Bidding of Security Services Requirement of the Office of the Ombudsman for CY 2024-2025 to LIFEGUARD ARCHANGELS SECURITY AGENCY CORPORATION (LASAC) for tendering the Single Calculated and Responsive Bid in the amount of Forty Million Eighty-Four Thousand One Hundred Fifty Pesos and Fifty-Six Centavos only (P40,084,150.56) subject to the posting of a bond to guarantee performance.

SO RESOLVED.”

APPROVED / ~~DISAPPROVED~~:


SAMUEL R. MARTIRES
Ombudsman