

SPECIAL BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
Resolution No. 0013
Series of 2015

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDING THE RENEWAL OF CONTRACTS TO PHILIPPINE RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (PRDP)-NATIONAL PROJECT COORDINATION OFFICE (NPCO) TECHNICAL PERSONNEL UNDER I-REAP THROUGH SINGLE SOURCE SELECTION (SSS)

REFERENCES:

- Procurement Request Action Slip (PRAS) No. 0001-N with an Estimated Project Cost (EPC) of Php2,500,000.00.
- Included in the Revised CY 2015 PRDP Procurement Plan - NPCO
- Mode of Procurement: Single Source Selection (SSS) under World Bank Procurement Guidelines.

WHEREAS, under World Bank Procurement Guidelines, other methods may be availed of where International Competitive Bidding (ICB) would not be the most economic and efficient method of procurement, and where other methods are deemed to be more appropriate;

WHEREAS, before proceeding with the procurement of the PRDP-NPCO Technical Personnel under I-REAP using the mode of Single Source Selection, prior consent from the World Bank was obtained;

WHEREAS, the World Bank issued a No Objection Letter (NOL) in using the Single Source Selection (SSS) as the mode of procurement for PRDD-NPCO Technical Personnel under I-REAP. The NOL issued by the World Bank is hereby attached as Annex "A" and made an integral part hereof;

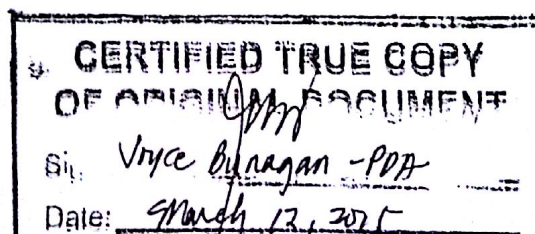
WHEREAS, under Single Source Selection (SSS), it provides:

III. OTHER METHODS OF PROCUREMENT

Single-Source Selection (SSS)

3.8 Single-source selection of consultants does not provide the benefits of competition in regard to quality and cost, lacks transparency in selection, and could encourage unacceptable practices. Therefore, single-source selection shall be used only in exceptional cases. The justification for single-source selection shall be examined in the context of the overall interests of the client and the project, and the Bank's responsibility to ensure economy and efficiency and provide equal opportunity to all qualified consultants.

3.9 Single-source selection may be appropriate in the following cases, and only if it presents a clear advantage over competition: (a) for tasks that represent a natural continuation of previous work carried out by the firm (see next paragraph); (b) in exceptional cases, such as, but not limited to, in response to natural disasters and for emergency situations both declared by the Borrower and recognized by the Bank; (c) for very small assignments; or (d) when only one firm is qualified or has experience of exceptional worth for the assignment. In all such cases, the Borrower is not required to issue an RFP and shall submit to the Bank for its review and no objection the TOR of the assignment, a sufficiently detailed justification including the rationale for single-source selection instead of a competitive selection process, and the basis for recommending a particular firm,



except for contracts below a threshold defined on the basis of risks and the scope of the project, and set forth in the Procurement Plan.

3.10 When continuity for downstream work is essential, the initial RFP shall outline this prospect, and, if practical, the factors used for the selection of the consultant shall take the likelihood of continuation into account. Continuity in the technical approach, experience acquired, and continued professional liability of the same consultant may make continuation with the initial consultant preferable to a new competition subject to satisfactory performance in the initial assignment. For such downstream assignments, the Borrower shall ask the initially selected consultant to prepare technical and financial proposals on the basis of the TOR furnished by the Borrower, which shall then be negotiated.

3.11 If the initial assignment was not awarded on a competitive basis or was awarded under tied financing or if the downstream assignment is substantially larger in value, a competitive process acceptable to the Bank shall normally be followed in which the consultant carrying out the initial work is not excluded from consideration if it expresses interest. The Bank will consider exceptions to this rule only under special circumstances and only when a new competitive process is not practicable. The award of contract shall be published as per paragraph 7 of Appendix 1.;

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Signed: Jose B. Buegan - JPB

Date: March 13, 2015

WHEREAS, the Curricula Vitae of the PRDP-NPCO Technical Personnel as well as their Performance Evaluation Profile (PEP) were endorsed to the Technical Working Group (TWG) for their evaluation;

WHEREAS, the TWG issued a memorandum recommending the renewal of contract for the following PRDP-NPCO Technical Personnel under I-REAP, viz:

NATIONAL PROJECT COORDINATION OFFICE - I-REAP

NAME	POSITION	END OF CONTRACT	TOTAL COST FOR RENEWAL
1. Patrick B. Belisario	Business Development Consultant (output-based)	31 January 2015	Php1,500,000.00
2. Charito A. Cardona	Enterprise Development and Marketing Consultant (output-based)	31 January 2015	Php1,000,000.00

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, the Committee resolved to consider and recommend the renewal of contracts on the above-stated PRDP-NPCO Technical Personnel under I-REAP for a period of six (6) months;

WHEREAS, it was, further, agreed that this resolution although agreed upon/approved in open session shall be signed by referendum by the Special Bids and Awards Committee Members;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing premises, **THE COMMITTEE RESOLVES AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to recommend the renewal of contracts to the following PRDP-NPCO Technical Personnel under I-REAP, through the use of Single Source Selection (SSS) for a period of six (6) months, to wit:

NATIONAL PROJECT COORDINATION OFFICE - I-REAP

NAME	POSITION	DURATION	CONTRACT RATE OF RENEWAL
1. Patrick B. Belisario	Business Development	six months	Php1,500,000.00

	Consultant (output-based)		
2. Charito A. Cardona	Enterprise Development and Marketing Consultant (output-based)	six months	Php1,000,000.00

Done this 30th day of January 2015 at D.A. offices Elliptical Road, Diliman Quezon City, Philippines.

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Signed: Joyce Bunagan-PDA

Date: March 12, 2015