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## SPECIAL BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE Resolution No. 305 Series of 2017

SUBJECT:

RECOMMENDING AWARD OF CONTRACT TO PARTNERSHIPS IN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT FOR THE SEAS OF EAST ASIA (PEMSEA) FOR THE HIRING OF CONSULTANCY FIRM FOR THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF PRDP-GEF INFORMATION KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT PORTAL UNDER PRAS NO. 0352-2017

## REFERENCES:

Procurement Request Action Slip (PRAS) No. 0352-2017 with an Estimated Project Cost (EPC) of Php2,000,000.00 under Fund Source: SARO NO. BMB-E-17-0011142

PRDP Procurement Plan for C.Y. 2017 which covers the subject of the procurement request, specifically in Page 7 of 55

Mode of Procurement: Single Source Selection (SSS) under the World Bank Procurement Guidelines

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section III Procurement of the Philippine Rural Development Project (PRDP) Global Environment Facility Trust Fund Grant Agreement, procurement for consults' services required for the Project and to be financed out of the proceeds of the Grant shall be procured in accordance with the "Guidelines for Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits and Grants by World Bank Borrowers". Standard processes and procedures acceptable to the WB will be followed;

WHEREAS, DA-PRDP endorsed to World Bank the Request for No Objection to the Terms of Reference (TOR) the Technical Assistance for the Establishment of PRDP-GEF Information Knowledge Management Portal on the Success Stories and Best Practices of Integrated Coastal & Fisheries Resources Management Activities of the PRDP-GEF Covered LGUs and Hiring of Consultancy Firm for the Said Engagement through Single Source Selection (SSS) method of procurement dated 16 January 2017. Copy of the request letter is hereto attached marked as Annex "A" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, in response to the said request for NOL, the World Bank issued the 'no objection' on 13 February 2017 for the Terms of Reference and for hiring of Partnerships in Environmental Management for the Seas of East Asia (PEMSEA) as Consultancy Firm through SSS. Copies of the WB NOL and TOR are hereto attached marked as Annexes "B" and "C", and are made an integral parts hereof;

WHEREAS, on 27 September 2017, DA-PRDP NPCO invited PEMSEA to submit its Technical and Financial Proposal. Copy of invitation letter is hereto attached marked as Annex "D" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, the submitted Technical and Financial Proposal submitted by PEMSEA were referred to the End-user for evaluation. On 27 October2017 the SBAC Secretariat received the evaluation report for the Technical and Financial proposal. Copy of evaluation report is hereto attached marked as Annex "E" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, SBAC Secretariat notified/invited PEMSEA for contract negotiation for the said hiring scheduled on 24 November 2017. Based on the result of contract negotiation, it is recommended to proceed contracting PEMSEA. Copy of the said minutes of contract negotiation is hereto attached marked as Annex "F" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, the Request for NOL on the initialed negotiated contract dated 13 December 2017 was endorsed to World Bank on 5 December 2017. Copy of the said endorsement is hereto attached marked as Annex "G" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, on 23 December 2017, World Bank issued the 'no objection' on the initialed negotiated contract and recommendation to proceed with the award and finalization of contract with PEMSEA. Copy of the said WB NOL is hereto attached marked as Annex "H" and made an integral part hereof:

**WHEREAS**, it was agreed that this resolution shall be approved through a referendum by the Special Bids and Awards Committee.

WHEREFORE, THE COMMITTEE RESOLVES AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to recommend the award of contract to Partnerships In Environmental Management for the Seas of East Asia (PEMSEA) as Consulting Firm for the Technical Assistance for the Establishment of PRDP-GEF Information Knowledge Management Portal under PRAS No. 0352-2017 with atotal contract amount of Two MillionPesos (Php2,000,000.00).

Done this 28th day of December 2017 at the D.A. Office, Elliptical Road, Quezon City, Philippines.

**Assistant Secretary ROLDAN G. GORGONIO** 

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End – User

**APPROVED BY:** 

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