



Republic of the Philippines
Professional Regulation Commission
Manila



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Resolution No. 2017 - 84

RECOMMENDING TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION FOR HIS APPROVAL THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT FOR THE PROCUREMENT FOR VARIOUS FURNITURE AND FIXTURE: LOT 3 – TWENTY-THREE (23) UNITS OF SENIOR EXECUTIVE CHAIR, TWENTY-ONE (21) UNITS OF JUNIOR EXECUTIVE CHAIR, TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX (266) UNITS OF STAFF CHAIR, TWENTY-EIGHT (28) UNITS OF DRAFTING/HIGH CHAIR, EIGHTY-TWO (82) UNITS OF VISITOR’S/GUEST CHAIR, AND SIXTY-FIVE (65) UNITS OF CONFERENCE CHAIR TO GEMSTONE ENTERPRISE WITH TOTAL BID AMOUNT OF ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE PESOS (Php.1,626,375.00) ONLY

WHEREAS, by virtue of the published invitation to apply for eligibility and to bid through Public Bidding in the PRC website and in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS), and in the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) Bulletin Board, Design Excellence Home & Office System Company (Design), Asahi Design Centre Inc. (Asahi), Gemstone Enterprise (Gemstone), Cubix Office Inc. (Cubix), Distinctive Blinds & Office Systems, Inc. (Distinctive), and Trend & Technologies, Inc. (TTI) participated the Public Bidding for the project: Procurement of Various Furniture and Fixture: Lot 3 – Twenty-Three (23) Units of Senior Executive Chair, Twenty- One (21) Units of Junior Executive Chair, Two Hundred Sixty-Six (266) Units of Staff Chair, Twenty-Eight (28) Units of Drafting/High Chair, Eighty-Two (82) Units of Visitor’s/Guest Chair, and Sixty-Five (65) Units of Conference Chair with an approved budget for the contract of One Million Nine Hundred Five Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (Php1,905,500.00)

WHEREAS, on December 7, 2017, a pre-bid conference was held, to explain and clarify the bidding documents and to accommodate any inquiry which the bidders may have and was attended by six (6) prospective bidders namely: Filcrafters, Inc., Gemstone Enterprise, Asahi, Design Cubix and Distinctive. Thus, Design, Asahi, Gemstone, Cubix, Distinctive, TJTF Trading (TJTF) purchased the Bid Documents.

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2017, the BAC issued Bid Bulletin No. 1 for the design and picture of the items to be procured and also the rescheduling of submission and opening of bids from December 19, 2017 to December 21, 2017.

WHEREAS, on December 18, 2017, the BAC issued Bid Bulletin No. 2 for the rescheduling of the submission and opening of bids from December 21, 2017 to December 27, 2017.

WHEREAS, on December 27, 2017, during the Submission and Opening of Bids, only Design, Asahi, Cubix, Gemstone and Distinctive submitted their eligibility, technical and financial requirements.

WHEREAS, Section 30, Rule IX of the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184, known as the Government Procurement Reform Act requires that the preliminary examination of the bids be conducted by merely checking for the presence or absence of documentary requirements using a non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion. If a bidder submits the required document, it shall be rated “passed” for the particular requirement. In this regard, bids that fail to include any requirement or are incomplete or patently insufficient shall be considered as “failed”.

WHEREAS, during the opening and evaluation of bids Cubix and Distinctive failed to pass the eligibility and technical evaluation (**Annex “A”**), the BAC did not open their financial bid proposals. Design, Asahi and Gemstone having passed the eligibility and technical evaluation, the BAC opened their financial bid proposals:

1. Design Php1,696,500.00
2. Gemstone Php1,626,375.00
3. Asahi Php1,399,410.00

WHEREAS, Asahi having the lowest financial bid was declared as the Lowest Calculated Bidder and thus subjected to post-qualification.

WHEREAS, on December 28, 2017, a post-qualification was conducted at Asahi #355 T.Pin-Pin St., cor. Escolta St., Binondo, Manila, to verify, validate and ascertain all statements made in its Eligibility and Technical Bid Envelopes during the submission and opening of bids, including the additional documentary requirements submitted by the bidder.

WHEREAS, Asahi passed the post-qualification for the Eligibility and additional documentary requirements for post-qualification, however when the Technical and Specification of the furniture was subjected to evaluation by Procurement and Supply Division, the end-user. The latter in its letter to the BAC (**ANNEX "B"**) moved for disqualification of the Lowest Calculated Bidder and to award the project to the bidder who had strictly complied with the required technical specification.

WHEREAS, on the same day, the BAC issued a Resolution to Post-Disqualify Asahi (**Annex "C"**), for its failure to strictly comply with the Technical Specification.

WHEREAS, Gemstone being the second lowest calculated bidder was subjected to post-qualification on the December 29, 2017 to verify, validate and ascertain all statements made in its Eligibility and Technical Bid Envelopes during the submission and opening of bids, including the additional documentary requirements submitted by the bidder.

WHEREAS, Gemstone having passed the post-qualification was declared to be the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bidder.

WHEREFORE, the **BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE RESOLVES**, as it hereby **RESOLVED**, to recommend to the Chairman of the Professional Regulation Commission for his approval the award of the contract for the **PROCUREMENT OF VARIOUS FURNITURE AND FIXTURE: LOT 3 – TWENTY-THREE (23) UNITS OF SENIOR EXECUTIVE CHAIR, TWENTY-ONE (21) UNITS OF JUNIOR EXECUTIVE CHAIR, TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX (266) UNITS OF STAFF CHAIR, TWENTY-EIGHT (28) UNITS OF DRAFTING/HIGH CHAIR, EIGHTY-TWO (82) UNITS OF VISITOR'S/GUEST CHAIR, AND SIXTY-FIVE (65) UNITS OF CONFERENCE CHAIR TO GEMSTONE ENTERPRISE** with bid amount of **ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE PESOS (Php.1,626,375.00) ONLY**.

Done in the City of Manila, Philippines, this 29th day of December 2017.

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