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## BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

### BAC RESOLUTION NO. 4

Series of 2021

**“RESOLUTION DECLARING THE ASIAN SOCIAL PROJECT SERVICES, INC. (ASPSI) AS THE BIDDER WITH THE HIGHEST RATED AND RESPONSIVE BID (HRRB) AND RECOMMENDING THE AWARD THEREUNTO OF THE CONTRACT FOR THE CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR THE MID-TERM EVALUATION OF PRODUCTION LOAN EASY ACCESS (PLEA) AND SURVIVAL AND RECOVERY (SURE) PROGRAM”**

**WHEREAS**, the Agricultural Credit Policy Council (ACPC), through its Bids and Award Committee (BAC), is procuring the **“Consultancy Services for the Mid-Term Evaluation of Production Loan Easy Access (PLEA) and Survival and Recovery (SURE) Program”** using the Quality-Cost Based Evaluation (QCBE) system with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) amounting to **Five Million Pesos (PhP 5,000,000.00)** in accordance with the provisions of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR);

**WHEREAS**, the Request for Expression of Interest for the said project was advertised at the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) from May 12 -19, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, two (2) prospective bidders responded to the invitation and submitted their eligibility documents on May 19, 2021, namely:

1. Asian Social Project Services, Inc. (ASPSI)
2. The All-Asian Centre for Enterprise Development, Inc. (ASCEND, Inc.)

**WHEREAS**, the ASPSI and ASCEND were both found eligible thru an eligibility check and thus, were both sent a Notice of Eligibility and Shortlisting dated May 25, 2021, informing them that they may start to acquire the bidding documents amounting to Five Thousand Pesos (PhP 5,000.00) and are invited a Pre-Bid Conference;

**WHEREAS**, a Pre-Bid Conference was conducted on May 28, 2021, attended by representatives from ASPSI and ASCEND, Inc.;

**WHEREAS**, during the bid opening on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June 2021, where authorized representatives of the ASPSI and ASCEND, Inc. were present, the Technical and Financial Proposals of both prospective bidders were evaluated and found compliant in accordance with the forms and content provided in the Bid Data Sheet;

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**WHEREAS**, further evaluation of the Technical and Financial Proposals of the ASPSI and ASCEND, Inc. by the BAC-TWG and End-User unit using the QCBE system, yielded the following result:

<b>BIDDERS</b>	<b>TOTAL SCORE</b>	<b>RANK</b>
Asian Social Project Services, Inc. (ASPSI)	96.81	1
The All-Asian Centre for Enterprise Development, Inc. (ASCEND, Inc.)	95.68	2

**WHEREAS**, the BAC-TWG, through its memorandum dated June 30, 2021, recommended to the BAC the ASPSI as the bidder with the Highest Rated Bid (HRB) in accordance with the result of evaluation and therefore recommends the awarding thereunto of the contract for the “Consultancy Services for the Mid-Term Evaluation of Production Loan Easy Access (PLEA) and Survival and Recovery (SURE) Program”;

**WHEREAS**, the BAC, through its July 7, 2021 memorandum, which was subsequently approved by the Head of Procuring Entity (HoPE), requested the approval of the engagement of the ASPSI in the project and to undertake the next process of the procurement;

**WHEREAS**, with the approval by the HoPE of the engagement of the ASPSI, the BAC, met with the authorized representatives of the ASPSI for the negotiation in accordance with Section 33.2.5 of the 2016 revised IRR of RA 9184;

**WHEREAS**, subsequently after the negotiation, the TWG conducted the Post-Qualification on the bid of the ASPSI on July 21, 2021 in accordance with Section 34 of the Revised IRR of RA 9184 by validating, verifying, and ascertaining the authenticity of the documents submitted by the bidder and the veracity of the statements contained in those documents;

**WHEREAS**, upon careful examination, validation and verification of all the eligibility, technical and financial requirements, the ASPSI is found responsive and thus, post-qualified;

**WHEREAS**, the BAC adopted the recommendation of the TWG, through its memorandum dated on July 22, 2021, to declare the bid of Asian Social Project Services, Inc. (ASPSI) as the Highest Rated and Responsive Bid (HRRB) and to award the contract to the said bidder;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, to declare the ASPSI, as the bidder with the Highest Rated and Responsive Bid (HRRB) for the “Consultancy Services for the Mid-Term Evaluation of Production Loan Easy Access (PLEA) and Survival and Recovery (SURE) Program” and to recommend to the HoPE the awarding of the contract for the said project to the ASPSI at its respective bid amounting to Four Million Nine Hundred Eighty-One Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Pesos (PhP4,981,350.00), which is 1% below the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC).

By:

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