



BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
(A.O. 08-05, Series of 2023)

BAC Resolution No. 2024-11-02

**CANCELLATION OF THE BIDDING PROCESS FOR THE
PROCUREMENT FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF ICT
EQUIPMENT AND LAPTOP COMPUTERS FOR FY 2025**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 35.6 of the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act 9184, the Bids and Awards Committee is authorized to cancel the conduct of procurement activities, for any justifiable reason, such as but not limited to:

"a) the physical and economic conditions have significantly changed so as to render the project no longer economically, financially, or technically feasible, as determined by the end-user unit;

b) the project is no longer necessary as determined by the end-user unit;

c) the source of funds for the project has been withheld or reduced through no fault of the PE; or

d) brought about by the declaration of a State of Calamity, or implementation of community quarantine or similar restrictions.85(n)"

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee scheduled the pre-bid conference for the two procurement projects, particularly the **PROCUREMENT OF SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF ICT EQUIPMENT AND LAPTOPS FOR FY 2025** on 06 November 2024 at 10:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., respectively, to clarify and explain the requirements, terms, conditions, and specifications stipulated in the Bidding Documents to prospective bidders;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee noted during the scheduled pre-bid conference that inquiries from prospective bidders regarding the technical specifications, approved budget, and other conditions for the contract stipulated in the Bidding Documents for these procurement projects require the end-user's further in-depth evaluation;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee allowed prospective bidders to send their final comments and queries regarding the technical specifications, approved budget, and other conditions in the contract related to these procurement projects for review by the end-user;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee was subsequently informed by the end-user of significant changes to the terms of reference concerning the technical specifications of ICT equipment and laptops;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee may no longer post supplemental bid bulletins to reflect the appropriate technical specifications for the procurement projects due to the lack of material time;

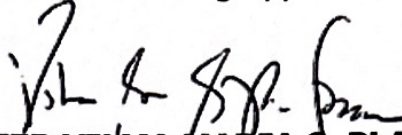
WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee unanimously agreed that continuing the bidding process using the technical specifications in the Bidding Documents would render the procurement projects no longer technically feasible;

WHEREFORE, RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Bids and Awards Committee **CANCELS** the **BIDDING PROCESS FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF ICT EQUIPMENT AND LAPTOPS FOR FY 2025** to allow the end-user to conduct an in-depth evaluation and revise the technical specifications for the procurement of ICT equipment and laptops.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that prospective bidders who purchased the Bidding Documents shall be allowed to either request a **REFUND** or **USE** their payment towards participation in the revised bidding process for the Procurement of ICT Equipment and Laptops for FY 2025 with revised technical specifications.

This Resolution is issued on 15 November 2024 at the National Labor Relations Commission, Ben-Lor IT Center, 1184 Quezon Avenue, Barangay Paligsahan, Quezon City.

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