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### **PAO BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (PBAC)**

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PAO BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (PBAC) DATED 28 AUGUST 2019 RE: PROCUREMENT OF SECURITY GUARDS FOR THE PUBLIC ATTORNEYS OFFICE FOR 2019.

### **RESOLUTION**

**DECLARING A FAILURE OF BIDDING IN THE PROCUREMENT OF SECURITY GUARDS FOR THE PUBLIC ATTORNEY'S OFFICE FOR 2019 AND THE CONDUCT OF A MANDATORY REVIEW AND EVALUATION OF THE TERMS, CONDITIONS, COST ESTIMATES AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE INVITATION TO BID FOR PURPOSES OF A SECOND BIDDING UNDER SECTION 35.2 AND SECTION 35.3 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. (RA) 9184**

**WHEREAS**, The PUBLIC ATTORNEY'S OFFICE (PAO), through the General Appropriations Act (GAA) 2019<sup>1</sup> intends to apply the sum of Six Hundred Forty Eight Thousand pesos (Php 648,000.00) being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) to payments under the contract for the procurement of Security Guards for the Public Attorney's Office for September to December 2019;

**WHEREAS**, PAO posted an invitation to bid in the PAO website, PAO lobby and in PhilGEPS under Reference No. 6368125 on 03 August 2019 but no bids were received until the scheduled last day of submission of bids on 22 August 2019;

**WHEREAS**, Section 35.1 (a) of the Revised IRR of R.A. 9184 provides that the BAC shall declare the bidding a failure when no bids are received;

**WHEREAS**, Section 35.2 of the same Act provides that in order to determine the reason for the failed bidding, the BAC shall conduct a mandatory review and evaluation of the terms, conditions and specifications in the Bidding Documents, including its cost estimates;

**WHEREAS**, Section 35.3 of the same Act provides that the BAC shall conduct a re-bidding with re-advertisement and/or posting, as provided for in Section 21.2 of the IRR;

**NOW THEREFORE, WE**, the Members of the PAO Bids and Awards Committee (PBAC), by virtue of the powers vested on Us by Law, after duly considering the recommendations of the Technical Working Group (TWG), and all members here present, **hereby resolve to DECLARE A FAILURE OF BIDDING IN THE PROCUREMENT OF THE 2019 SECURITY GUARDS OF THE PUBLIC**

<sup>1</sup> In the case of National Government Agencies, the General Appropriations Act and/or continuing appropriations; in the case of GOCCs, GFIs, and SUCs, the Corporate Budget for the contract approved by the governing Boards; in the case of (LGUs, the Budget for the contract approved by the respective Sanggunian. (Section 5(a), R.A. 9184)