

CONSULATE GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES VANCOUVER

BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

BAC Resolution No. 002 - 2023

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THE USE OF AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF PROCUREMENT THROUGH DIRECT CONTRACTING FOR THE DISPLAY OF TWELVE (12) PHILIPPINE FLAGS AT THE DAVIE & DENMAN FLAG ISLAND IN VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA

WHEREAS, the Philippine Consulate General in Vancouver (Consulate) will organize a Flag Display from 01 to 30 June 2023 to celebrate the Filipino Heritage Month and commemorate the 125th Anniversary of Philippine Independence for the Consulate's stakeholders in British Columbia, Canada;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 9184 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) as well as the Government Procurement Policy Board (GPPB) Resolution No. 28-2017 dated 31 July 2017, prescribe the rules and procedures to be followed by entities for goods and services to be procured and performed abroad;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 7.2 of the IRR and Annex A(3)(a) of GPPB Resolution No. 28-2017, the celebration of the Filipino Heritage Month and commemoration of the 125th Anniversary of Philippine Independence are included in the Consulate's approved Annual Procurement Plan for the Fiscal Year 2023;

WHEREAS, the Consulate, following diplomatic practice, has reached out to the Vancouver City Hall, to request and rent a designated area where twelve (12) Philippine flags may be displayed for the duration of the commemoration period;

WHEREAS, the Vancouver City Hall, through its Banner Program, designated the Denman & Davie Flag Island located at Denman corner Davie Streets in Vancouver, B.C., as display area to be rented out to the Philippine Consulate from 01 to 30 June 2023 in the amount of Eight Hundred Forty Five Canadian Dollars and Twenty Five Cents (CAD \$845.25);

WHEREAS, Section 50.c of RA 9184 and Annex H(V)(A) of the 2016 Revised IRR provides for Direct Contracting, as an alternative mode of procurement, whereby the procuring entity can procure from an exclusive provider (**City of Vancouver**), which does not have sub-dealers and for which no suitable substitute can be obtained at more advantageous terms to the Government;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Annex A(3)(b) of GPPB Resolution No. 28-2017, and upon evaluation of the Bids and Awards Committee, the City of Vancouver, as the exclusive provider of the rental display area, is able to meet the requirements of the Consulate in terms of budget and the technical specifications of the project;

NOW THEREFORE, this Committee unanimously resolves to recommend to the Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE) of the Consulate General of the Philippines the rental of City Government flag stands at Denman and Davie streets in Vancouver, from the **City of Vancouver**, as designated area to display twelve (12) Philippine flags on 01-30 June 2023, through Direct Contracting as an alternate mode of procurement, in the amount of **Eight Hundred Forty Five Canadian Dollars and Twenty Five Cents (CAD \$845.25)**, subject to the specified requirements, and provided that existing auditing rules and regulations shall be strictly complied with by the end-user;

ADOPTED this 4th day of May 2023, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

ANALYN D. RATONEL BAC Chairman

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Approved:

By the Authority of the Secretary of Foreign Affairs:

ARLENE T. MAGNO

Consul General Head of the Procuring Entity