## **BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

BAC Resolution No. 010 - 2023

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THE PROCUREMENT OF AN OFFICIAL CAR FOR THE USE OF THE CONSUL GENERAL, AND THE AWARDING OF THE CONTRACT TO MERCEDES BENZ VANCOUVER WITH THE TOTAL BID AMOUNT OF NINETY SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED CANADIAN DOLLARS (CAD\$ 96,500.00)

WHEREAS, the Philippine Consulate General in Vancouver (the Consulate) intends to procure a motor vehicle for the official use of the Consul General, in pursuant of the Department of Foreign Affairs' FY 2022 Car Re-fleeting Program;

WHEREAS, it is recognized that motor vehicles are indispensable for the efficient and effective performance and delivery of essential government services, and it is imperative to update the vehicles in view of the recent developments in the automotive industry;

WHEREAS, to ensure the prudent and judicious acquisition, use and replacement of government motor vehicles, the motor vehicle to be procured should be cost-effective, fuel efficient, environment-friendly, and at par with the improvements in relevant technologies;

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 in their procurement activities;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Item 3(b) of Resolution No. 28-2017, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) caused the posting on its website, and in a conspicuous place in the Consulate, of the Request for Quotations from service providers (car dealers) in British Columbia who can meet the following considerations: 1) has adequate financial resources, organization, experience or the ability to obtain them, 2) has the ability to comply with the required performance period, taking into consideration all existing commercial and governmental business commitments, 3) satisfactory record of integrity and business ethics, 4) has the necessary equipment and facilities or the ability to obtain them, 5) be qualified and eligible to receive an award under applicable laws and regulations, 6) has company brochure and catalogues on the offered vehicle, 7) shall clearly identify and state the warranty period, 8) shall be responsible and liable for providing the necessary compensation in case of finding any defective, faulted or shortages in the vehicle after the delivery to the Consulate, 9) shall provide the Consulate all necessary documentation for vehicle license plate and registration, 10)

shall be ready to submit the invoice and original technical conformity document of the vehicle to the Consulate in Vancouver; 11) the vehicle shall be prepared to be readily available upon receipt of the payment for the delivery to the Consulate;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 11639 - FY 2022 General Appropriations Act dated 03 Jan 2022 and DBM's Authority to Purchase Motor Vehicles (APMV) No. D3-22-00015 dated 27 June 2022, VA-138-OFMS-2022 dated 05 July 2022, and VA-96-OFMS-2023 dated 19 July 2023, authority is granted to Post to purchase an official car with the following details: a) Specifications - Car (Sedan) with an engine displacement not exceeding 2500 cc if gasoline-fed or 3500 cc if diesel-fed, b) Intended use - for the exercise of executive functions, c) Intended User - for the use of the Head of Post (Consul General) of the Philippine Consulate General in Vancouver, for exclusive use in Canada where the Consulate is located:

WHEREAS, in response to the Request for Quotations, the following three (3) reputable companies provided quotations:

Rank	Company	Amount
1	Mercedes-Benz Vancouver (o/b 1187938 B.C. Ltd.)	CAD\$ 96,500.00
2	Volvo of Vancouver (o/b Don Docksteader Motors, Ltd.)	CAD\$ 105,380.25
3	The BMW Store (o/b OpenRoad Auto Group Ltd.)	CAD\$ 118,000.00

WHEREAS, upon evaluation of the BAC, Mercedes-Benz Vancouver (o/b 1187938 B.C. Ltd.) submitted the lowest quotation in the amount of Ninety Six Thousand Five Hundred Canadian Dollars (CAD\$ 96,500.00) inclusive of taxes, is technically and financially capable to meet the requirements of the Consulate, and its reasonable cost is most advantageous to the Philippine Government;

**NOW THEREFORE**, this Committee unanimously resolves to recommend to the Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE) of the Consulate General of the Philippines the procurement of an official car (sedan) for the Consul General from Mercedes-Benz Vancouver (o/b 1187938 B.C. Ltd.), subject to the specified requirements and provided that existing auditing rules and regulations shall be strictly complied with by the end-user.

ADOPTED this 28th day of July 2023, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

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Approved:
By the Authority of the Secretary of Foreign Affairs:

ARLENE T. MAGNO
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Head of the Procuring Entity