



**PAGASA Bids and Awards Committee Resolution (BAC)**

**Resolution No. 2024-026**

**Determining Resort to Alternative Method of Procurement through  
 Negotiated Procurement – Agency to Agency under  
 Section 53.5 of the IRR of RA9184; and, Recommending Approval**

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA), through the Research & Development and Training Division (RDTD) and the Green Climate Fund personnel, are desirous to undertake a certain project entitled: **“Consultancy Services for Hydrographic and Oceanographic Survey in Acquiring High-Resolution Bathymetric Data for Numerical Simulations of Storm Surge in Palo, Leyte”**, to address the urgent need to develop high-resolution storm surge hazard maps in the Philippines; and intends to apply the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the amount of **One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Pesos Only (Php1,800,000.00)**, under **Purchase Request No. 2024-05-0407** dated 29 May 2024, inclusive of all applicable taxes and fees for the said purpose;

**WHEREAS**, on **06 June 2024**, the BAC, by virtue of its mandates provided for under **Section 12** of the IRR of RA 9184, discussed, examined and evaluated the circumstances surrounding the proposed Project in order to determine the proper and expeditious method of procurement to be undertaken that is consistent to and in accordance with the procurement law and its rules and regulations;

**WHEREAS**, **Section 53.5** of the Revised IRR of RA 9184 allows procuring entities to resort to Alternative Methods of Procurement, specifically, through Negotiated Procurement (**Agency-to-Agency**) in cases where:

- 1) the procurement from another agency of the government (i.e., Servicing Agency) that has the mandate to deliver . . . consultancy services as required by the Procuring Entity;
- 2) Entering into an Agency-to Agency Agreement with the Servicing Agency is more efficient and economical to the government;
- 3) Servicing Agency has the academic expertise, professional experience and absorptive capacity to undertake the project;
- 4) Servicing Agency owns or has access to the necessary tools and equipment required for the project.

**WHEREAS**, NAMRIA as a government agency is responsible for providing the public with mapmaking services and acting as the central mapping agency, depository, and distribution facility of natural resources data in the form of maps, charts, texts and statistics;

**WHEREAS**, this unquestionable expertise, experience, resources and track record in geospatial data collection, particularly in the realm of bathymetry and coastal mapping, has been recognized by the PAGASA management as essential in achieving its goals and objectives for the Project within the specified timelines;

**WHEREAS**, after a careful discussion, the PAGASA BAC determined that the engagement of the services of the **National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA)**, complies accordingly with the conditionality set forth under Sec. 53.5 of the IRR of RA 9184; thus, it was moved and unanimously concurred by all BAC members present that, resort to **Alternative Method of Procurement, through Negotiated Procurement – Agency-to-Agency** is in order.

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 Member

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Joel C. Rivera  
 Member


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 Vice-Chairperson

Shirley J. David  
 Chairperson

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Members of the Bids and Awards Committee, hereby **RESOLVE** as it is hereby **RESOLVED**:

- a) to **RECOMMEND** the resort to **Alternative Method of Procurement through Negotiated Procurement Agency-to-Agency** pursuant to **Section 53.5** of the Revised IRR of R.A. 9184 for the procurement of the Project entitled: “**Consultancy Services for Hydrographic and Oceanographic Survey in Acquiring High-Resolution Bathymetric Data for Numerical Simulations of Storm Surge in Palo, Leyte**”;
- b) to **RECOMMEND** further, the engagement of the services of the **National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA)**, for the implementation of the above-entitled Project in the amount of *One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php1,800,000.00)* only;
- c) to **DIRECT**, the end-user unit to coordinate closely with the BAC Head Secretariat for the above-stated purpose until the award and execution of the contract thereof; and
- d) to **RECOMMEND**, finally, the approval of the foregoing findings and recommendations.

**RESOLVED**, this **6th day of June 2024** at the Amihan Conference Room, 2nd Floor PAGASA Main Building, Science Garden Complex, Senator Miriam P. Defensor-Santiago Ave., Brgy. Central, Quezon City.

  
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APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:

  
**NATHANIEL T. SERVANDO, Ph.D.**  
Administrator

Approved on: 14 JUN 2024