



Republic of the Philippines
Supreme Court
Manila

**BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE
FOR GOODS AND SERVICES (SC-BAC-GS)**

Resolution No. 2019-22

**RE: AWARD OF THE CONTRACT FOR THE
PROCUREMENT OF BROTHER TN-2380 TONER
CARTRIDGES FOR ISSUANCE TO THE LOWER
COURTS**

WHEREAS, the SC-BAC-GS received the 1st Indorsement dated June 19, 2019 from the Procurement Planning Committee relative to the *Procurement of Brother TN-2380 Toner Cartridges for Issuance to the Lower Courts* with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) in the amount of Thirty Million Pesos (P30,000,000.00) inclusive of taxes;

WHEREAS, on the basis of the said Indorsement and after the conduct of the Pre-Procurement Conference on July 2, 2019, the SC-BAC-GS caused the posting of the Invitation to Bid on July 8, 2019 on the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement Service (PHILGEPS), the Supreme Court website and the bulletin boards within the Supreme Court premises;

WHEREAS, two (2) prospective bidders attended the pre-bid conference on July 16, 2019, namely:

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| 1. Columbia Technologies, Inc. |
| 2. Multibiz International Corporation |

WHEREAS, only Columbia Technologies, Inc. purchased the bidding documents and paid the non-refundable fee of Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P17,500.00) to cover the cost for the preparation of the said bidding documents;

WHEREAS, due to the lack of quorum, the deadline of submission of bids and its opening has been moved to July 29, 2019;

WHEREAS, on the day of the submission of bids and opening of bids on July 29, 2019, only Columbia Technologies, Inc. submitted its bid and was declared eligible and qualified after the opening and evaluation of its Eligibility/Technical and Financial Envelopes;



WHEREAS, Columbia Technologies, Inc. tendered the financial bid of *Twenty Million Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (P20,250,000.00)*. The bid was declared as the *Single Calculated Bid*, subject to post-qualification process;

WHEREAS, the notice for submission of post-qualification documents was issued on August 1, 2019 to Columbia Technologies, Inc. which upon its receipt submitted the documents within the prescribed period;

WHEREAS, to verify, validate, ascertain the genuineness, validity, accuracy, and determine the responsiveness of the bid based on the documents submitted, post-qualification inspection was conducted by the SC-BAC-GS and the representatives of the end-user on August 14, 2019, which consisted of the ocular inspection of the premises and facilities of Columbia Technologies, Inc.;

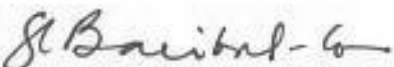
WHEREAS, in its Post-Qualification Report dated September 2, 2019, the post-qualification inspection team found no ground to post-disqualify the bid of Columbia Technologies, Inc.;

WHEREAS, after review and evaluation of the findings of the post-qualification inspection team on Columbia Technologies, Inc.'s documentary submissions and the ocular inspection of its premises, the SC-BAC-GS is of the view that Columbia Technologies, Inc. has met the requirements of the Supreme Court and declared its bid as the *Single Calculated and Responsive Bid*;

NOW THEREFORE, We, the members of the SC-BAC-GS, hereby RESOLVE as it is hereby RESOLVED to:

1. recommend the award of the contract for the *Supply and Delivery of Brother TN-2380 Toner Cartridges for Issuance to the Lower Courts* to **COLUMBIA TECHNOLOGIES, INC.** in the amount of *Twenty Million Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (P20,250,000.00, inclusive of taxes)*; and
2. request that **HON. JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ**, Court Administrator, be authorized to sign the contract with the winning bidder.

Done in the City of Manila, Philippines, this 10th day of September 2019.



LILIAN C. BARRIBAL-CO
Chairperson


RUBY C. ESTEBAN-GARCIA
Vice-Chairperson



Members:


MARIFE M. LOMIBAO-CUEVAS


ANALIZA O. THOMAS-PARRA


TENIOSO B. LIBED


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