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COMMITTEE RESOLUTION NO. 45

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WHEREAS, BAR is in need of a supplier to provide Booth Contractor for the 14th Agriculture and Fisheries Technology Forum and Product Exhibition 2018;

WHEREAS, an invitation to eligible bidders/suppliers to participate and submit sealed bids for the above requirement was posted and disseminated on April 24, 2018 for which the opening of the sealed bids was conducted last May 7, 2018;

WHEREAS, out of the four (4) qualified bidders who participated, one (1) was determined to have the highest rated complying bid, RUBERT JAMES EXPOSYSTEM INC. PHILIPPINES with the total amount of P340,000.00 for which the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) decided to award the Booth Contractor for the 14th Agriculture and Fisheries Technology Forum and Technology Forum and Product Exhibition 2018. This is to justify the decision made in relation to the use of services of notable service provider proficient in handling booth management and exhibit materials which was very essential during our preparations and the actual handling of the 14th Agriculture and Fisheries Technology Forum and Product Exhibition conducted last August 30 – September 2, 2018.

There were there accredited for (4) contractors that participated in and submitted their respective bids for the above mentioned required service, (Total Exhibit and Expo Solutions, Inc. Rubert James Exposystems Inc. , Exist Corp. and MSD Godspeed Exhibits Corp.) of which they all bid with lesser and much higher amount than the allocated budgetary requirement stated in the Purchase Request amounting to P 304,000.00 Ultimately, Exposystem Inc. was selected instead of the Total Exhibit and Expo Solutions, Inc. even though their bid was lower in view of the following significance, to wit;

1. Based on site validation conducted by the end-user and BAC Secretariat, Exposystems Inc. apart from its track record it also offers wide array exhibit materials relevant to the technology forum and product exhibitions. Having a huge warehouse and fabrication site is likewise a major consideration for their selection, certainly days of work will be lessen if all the equipment's, materials, tools among others necessary for the event are readily available in just one big roof;
2. It offers and commands a number of service trucks that others do not have which is vital in the timely delivery and transport of logistics and personnel particularly those that were assigned in the construction and installation of booths.
3. As an accredited contractor, Rubert James Exposystems Inc. has been known as a trusted partner in this type of service, their records will show that other government agencies in the past and in recent events have

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