

RESOLUTION NO.:2024-06
Series of 2024

A Resolution Recommending Award of the Contract for Bid Reference No. 2024-06 entitled “SUPPLY, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF BRAND-NEW ANCHOR CHAINS” to GOLDEN ARROW TRADING for being the Single Calculated and Responsive Bidder (SCRB).

WHEREAS, Fisheries Order No. 081, was issued on 06 February 2024 reconstituting the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) with Atty. Glady Mae T. Kiat-Ong as its new Vice-Chairperson;

WHEREAS, on *05 February 2024*, the Pre-Procurement Conference for Purchase Request No. 24-01-40 was held via ZOOM at the BFAR BAC Room, 2 /F Fisheries Building Complex, BPI Compound, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Ave., Quezon City;

WHEREAS, the BFAR-BAC advertised the Invitation to Bid for the above-stated procurement project consisting of *one (1)* lot and with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) amounting to **Five Million Seven Hundred Forty Thousand pesos only (Php 5,740,000.00)** and posted at the websites of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement Service (PhilGEPS) with Reference No. 10543655, BFAR (www.bfar.da.gov.ph) and in conspicuous places within the Bureau’s premises for *seven (7)* days;

WHEREAS, on *16 February 2024 at 1000H*, the Pre-Bid Conference for the Procurement Project was held via ZOOM at the BFAR BAC Room, 2/F Fisheries Building Complex, BPI Compound, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Avenue, Quezon City, attended by *(1) Navnautics Phils. Inc.*, and *(2) Golden Arrow Trading*;

WHEREAS, on *19 February 2024*, a Supplemental Bid Bulletin was issued reflecting the amendment on the bidding document;

WHEREAS, before the lapse of the deadline for the submission and receipt of the bids which was set on *28 February 2024 at 0930H*, two (2) bidders were able to submit their bid proposal on time, namely, (1) Navnautics Phils. Inc. submitted its bid on 28 February 2024 at 0806H and (2) Golden Arrow Trading submitted its bid on 28 February 2024 at 0905H;

WHEREAS, on *28 February 2024*, the scheduled Opening of Bids for the Procurement Project was held via ZOOM at the BFAR BAC Room, 2/F Fisheries Building Complex, BPI Compound, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Avenue, Quezon City Quezon



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City. The BFAR-BAC opened the bids submitted by (1) **Navnautics Phils Inc.**, and (2) **Golden Arrow Trading** who bided for the procurement project in public, and the presence of the bidder's representatives to determine the latter's compliance with the Eligibility, Technical, and Financial requirements specified in the PBD;

WHEREAS, during the preliminary examination of bids, the BFAR-BAC examined the submitted eligibility and technical documents of (1) **Navnautics Phils Inc.**, and (2) **Golden Arrow Trading** versus a checklist to ascertain if the required documents were all submitted, using a non-discretionary pass/fail criterion;

WHEREAS, after examining the eligibility and technical documents received from **Navnautics Phils Inc.**, the BAC found that the latter failed to comply with the eligibility requirements stated in the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (RIRR) of RA 9184, as it failed to submit a duly notarized Bid Securing Declaration resulting to a "failed" rating and its outright disqualification, while **Golden Arrow Trading** was rated "passed" and declared eligible for the opening of the financial bid envelopes;

WHEREAS, the BAC informed the disqualified bidder that they have the right to file a motion/request for reconsideration within three (3) calendar days from receipt of a verbal/notice of disqualification. Subsequently, their submitted bids were ordered to be resealed and will only be opened if the BAC finds meritorious grounds in their motion/request for reconsideration;

WHEREAS, the BAC proceeded to open the financial bid envelopes of Golden Arrow Trading which were rated "passed" and declared eligible. The bid offer of **Golden Arrow Trading** is *Four Million Seven Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-Eight pesos only (4,799,828.00)*;

WHEREAS, having passed the preliminary evaluation, the bids submitted by **Golden Arrow Trading** were subjected to a detailed bid evaluation conducted by the Technical Working Group (TWG) pursuant to Section 32 of the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act No. 9184, wherein the TWG checked the completeness of the documents submitted and verified the arithmetical computations of the bid proposals;

WHEREAS, on *28 February 2024*, the submitted copy 1 of the Eligibility, Technical and Financial envelopes of the bidder were transmitted to the TWG for post-evaluation and post-qualification process;





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WHEREAS, the BAC did not receive any request for reconsideration from *Navnautics Phils. Inc.* within three (3) calendar days from the notice of the disqualification;

WHEREAS, on 08 March 2024, the TWG submitted the Bid Evaluation report proposing **Golden Arrow Trading** as the *Single Calculated Bidder (SCB)* and therefore recommended to proceed in the conduct of the Post Qualification procedure;

WHEREAS, on 08 March 2024, a Notice to Conduct Post Qualification was sent to **Golden Arrow Trading** to submit the (1) Latest Income Tax Returns with proof of payment, and (2) VAT Returns (Form 2550M and 2550Q) or Percentage Tax Returns (2551M) with proof of payment covering the previous six (6) months;

WHEREAS, on 13 March 2024, the BAC Secretariat received the post-qualification documents submitted by **Golden Arrow Trading**;

WHEREAS, on 05 April 2024, the TWG submitted the Post Qualification report recommending that the award for the procurement project be awarded to **Golden Arrow Trading**, being the *Single Calculated and Responsive Bidder*;

WHEREAS, the BAC, upon due consideration of the report of the TWG, resolved to adopt the same and recommend the awarding of the contract to **Golden Arrow Trading**;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the procurement of the project with **Bid Reference No. 2024-06** entitled "**SUPPLY, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF BRAND-NEW ANCHOR CHAINS**", be awarded to **Golden Arrow Trading** in the amount of **Four Million Seven Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-Eight pesos only (4,799,828.00)** for being the bidder who offered the **Single Calculated and Responsive Bid (SCRB)**;

RESOLVED FINALLY that the Notice of Award be issued to the above-stated bidder, for the preparation of the contract agreement, Notice to Proceed, and commencement of the delivery of the Goods.

Done this 10th day of April 2024 in Quezon City.





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