



Republic of the Philippines
 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
NATIONAL MEAT INSPECTION SERVICE
 No.4 Visayas Avenue, Brgy. Vasra, Quezon City
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NOTICE OF AWARD

August 11, 2023

MR. JEROME CHRISTOPHER MANTE
 Authorized Representative
Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.
 #6023 Sacred Heart cor. Kamagong Sts.
 San Antonio, Makati City

Dear **Mr. Mante**:

This is to inform you that your company was awarded the contract as the lowest calculated and responsive bid during the bidding for the **Procurement of an end-to-end process for a real-time PCR detection system for food safety** in the amount of **Twenty-One Million Pesos (Php 21,000,000.00)**.

You are therefore required, within **ten (10) calendar days from receipt of this Notice of Award**, to post the **Performance Security** in the form and amount shown in the table below pursuant to Sec. 39.2 of the 2016 Revised IRR of R.A. 9184.

The Performance Security shall be in the form of a Notarized Performance Securing Declaration, or any of the following forms:	Amount of Performance Security (Not less than the required percentage of the Total Contract Price)
(a) Cash or cashier's/manager's check issued by a Universal or Commercial Bank.	Five percent (5%)
(b) Bank draft/guarantee or irrevocable letter of credit issued by a Universal or Commercial Bank: Provided, however, that it shall be confirmed or authenticated by a Universal or Commercial Bank if issued by a foreign bank.	
(c) Surety bond callable upon demand issued by a surety or insurance company duly certified by the Insurance Commission as authorized to issue such security.	Thirty percent (30%)

Failure to provide the **Performance Security** shall constitute sufficient grounds for the cancellation of this award.

Thank you and congratulations!

Very truly yours,


DR. CLARITA M. SANGCAL
 Executive Director

Conforms:


Jerome Christopher Mante
 (Name of Representative of Bidder)
Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.

Date: August 15, 2023

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BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (BAC)
RESOLUTION No. PB-2023-08-20

WHEREAS, the **National Meat Inspection Service** advertised the Invitation to Bid for the **Procurement of an end-to-end process for a real-time PCR detection system for food safety**, which was posted on the NMIS and PhilGEPS websites and in a conspicuous place in the premises of the NMIS on April 18, 2023, with a total approved budget for the contract (ABC) amounting to **Twenty-One Million Pesos (Php 21,000,000.00)** under the GAA 2023 fund;

WHEREAS, the deadline for submission of bid/quotation was on **May 9, 2023 (Tuesday) at 1:20 p.m.**;

WHEREAS, in response to the aforementioned advertisements, the following bidders purchased the bid documents;

No.	BIDDERS ACQUIRED BID DOCUMENTS
1	Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.
2	Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.

WHEREAS, the NMIS-BAC first opened the eligibility and technical documents of **Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.**, its itemized content was read as shown through a multimedia projector and found to have **PASSED** the “pass or fail” criteria as specified in the bid documents and was declared **“ELIGIBLE”**;

WHEREAS, the BAC proceeded to open the eligibility and technical documents of **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.**, its itemized content was read as shown through a multimedia projector and found to have **PASSED** the “pass or fail” criteria as specified in the bid documents; and was declared **“ELIGIBLE”**;

WHEREAS, the BAC proceeded to open the financial documents **Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.** and **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.** based on the financial proposals of the bid was opened and read as shown through a multimedia projector;

No.	BIDDERS	BID AMOUNT AS READ
1	Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.	Php 21,000,000.00
2	Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.	Php 18,000,000.00

WHEREAS, upon detailed evaluation of financial proposals, **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.** was identified as the lowest calculated bid. Consequently, the NMIS-BAC instructed the TWG to assist in further evaluating the bid submitted by **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.** Attached is the Abstract of Bids;

WHEREAS, the Technical Working Group submitted its detailed bid evaluation dated May 10, 2023 and received by the BAC Secretariat on May 11, 2023. Attached TWG Evaluation Report;

WHEREAS, following a thorough review of the TWG's submitted evaluation report, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) **post-disqualified** Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.'s bid under **BAC Resolution No. PD-2023-05-13**;

WHEREAS, on May 22, 2023, the NMIS-BAC, through its Secretariat, sent a Notice of Post Disqualification to **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.**;

WHEREAS, on the 25th day of May 2023, the NMIS-BAC received the motion for reconsideration from **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.** within the time period specified;

WHEREAS, upon careful review of the submitted motion for reconsideration, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), with the assistance of its TWG, denies **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.**'s request for reconsideration under **BAC Resolution No. MR-2023-05-13**;

WHEREAS, the NMIS-BAC through its Secretariat, sent a notice of denying request for reconsideration to **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.** on May 31, 2023;

WHEREAS, bidders were allowed a seven (7) calendar day reglementary period to file a protest on the BAC's decisions, as provided by **Sections 55.2 and 55.3 of the 2016 Revised IRR of RA 9184**:

"55.2. In the event that the request for reconsideration is denied, decisions of the BAC maybe protested in writing to the HoPE".

"55.3. The protest must be filed within seven (7) calendar days from receipt by the party concerned of the resolution of the BAC denying its request for reconsideration. A protest shall be made by filing a verified position paper with the HoPE concerned, accompanied by the payment of a non-refundable protest fee".

WHEREAS, the NMIS-BAC received a motion to protest from **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.** on June 5, 2023. In accordance with **Sections 55.2 and 55.3** above, the protest must be endorsed to the **Head of The Procuring Entity**. The endoresement letter and other attached documents were received by the HoPE/Office of the Director on June 13, 2023;

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2023, the NMIS-BAC received a protest motion from **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies Inc.**, the protest must be endorsed by the Head of the Procuring Entity in accordance with Sections 55.2 and 55.3 above. On June 13, 2023, the Head of the Procuring Entity (Office of the Executive Director) received the motion to protest and other related documents, which were endorsed by the BAC;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee **Resolution No. P-2023-07-18** recommends to the Head of the Procuring Entity to **DENY** the protest of **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies, Inc.** for **non-compliance** with the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 9184 under **Section 55**;

WHEREAS, on July 20, 2023, **Lifeline Diagnostics Supplies, Inc.** received a **Notice of Denied for a Motion to Protest** issued on July 17, 2023, which was approved by the Head of the Procuring Entity (Executive Director);

WHEREAS, the NMIS-BAC shall initiate and complete the same post-qualification process on the bidder with the second Lowest Calculated Bid, **Scientific Biotech Specialties Inc.**, pursuant to **Section 34.6** of the Revised IRR of RA 9184;

WHEREAS, following a post-qualification assessment of **Scientific Biotech Specialties Inc.**'s bid, the Technical Working Group determined that the bidder's bid was responsive and most advantageous to the government. The post-qualification report is attached;

WHEREAS, the BAC/TWG conducted validation/verification of all the requirements submitted by the bidder, and thereby certifies its authenticity;

WHEREAS, premises considered, the Bids and Awards Committee hereby resolves to recommend the award of the contract to **Scientific Biotech Specialties Inc.** for having been submitted as the lowest calculated and responsive bid in the amount of **Twenty-One Million Pesos (Php 21,000,000.00)**.

Done this **8th** day of **August 2023** in National Meat Inspection Service, #4 Visayas Avenue, Brgy. Vasra, Quezon City.


DR. RONA REGINA I. REYES
BAC Chairperson


DR. VENUS G. GARCIA
BAC Vice-Chairperson


MS. KAISER KIM S. VILLAR
BAC Member


MS. MARILYN D. BITONG
BAC Member


MS. MARIANNE JANE V. REPASO
BAC Member

Approved by:


DR. CLARITA M. SANGCAL
Executive Director

PURCHASE ORDER

N.M.I.S.
Entity Name

Supplier: SCIENTIFIC BIOTECH SPECIALTIES INC	P.O. No.: 310-09-23
Address: #6023 Sacred Heart cor. Kamagong Sts. San Antonio, Makati City	Date: 9/6/2023
TIN: 201-841-917-000	Mode of Procurement:

Gentlemen:
Please furnish this office the following articles subject to the terms and conditions contained herein:

Place of Delivery: NMIS C.O.	Delivery Term:
Date of Delivery : One Hundred Twenty (120) Calendar days upon receipt of Notice to Proceed	Payment Term: upon completion

Stock/ Property No.	Unit	Description	Quantity	Unit Cost	Amount
	sets	End-to-End process for a real-time PCR detection system for food safety	3	7,000,000.00	21,000,000.00
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(Total Amount in Words) Twenty-One Million Pesos Only. **₱21,000,000.00**

In case of failure to make the full delivery within the time specified above, a penalty of one-tenth (1/10) of one percent for every day of delay shall be imposed.

Conforme:

Jerome Christopher Mante
Signature over Printed Name of Authorized Official

09-14-23
(Date)

Very truly yours,

DR. CLARITA M. SANGCAL
Signature over Printed Name of Authorized Official

Executive Director
Designation

Fund Cluster:	<p><i>ALYZA JANE V. CARBUNGO</i> Signature over Printer Name of Chief accountant / Head of Accounting Division/Unit</p> <p>09.08.2023</p>
Funds Available:	

ORS/BURS No.: 23-09-0006
Date of the ORS/BURS: 9/7/23
Amount: ₱ 21,000,000.00

ACCOUNTING SECTION
RECEIVED BY: *Aline*
DATE: SEP 07 2023
TIME: 3pm **4518**



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NOTICE TO PROCEED

September 4, 2023

MR. JEROME CHRISTOPHER MANTE
Authorized Representative
Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.
#6023 Sacred Heart cor. Kamagong Sts.
San Antonio, Makati City

Dear **Mr. Mante**:

The attached Purchase Order has been approved, and notice is hereby given to **Scientific Biotech Specialties, Inc.** to proceed with the delivery of the *end-to-end process for a real-time PCR detection system for food safety.*

You are responsible for performing the services under mutually agreed terms and conditions and in line with the Implementation Schedule once you receive this notification.

Please indicate your agreement by signing the Notice to Proceed in the space below "Conforme" and returning it once signed

Very truly yours,


DR. CLARITA M. SANGCAL
Executive Director

Conforme:


Jerome Christopher Mante

(Signature over the Printed Name of Representative of Bidder)

Date: 9-14-23