



## AGRICULTURAL TRAINING INSTITUTE – CENTRAL OFFICE

### BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

#### A RESOLUTION DECLARING ALPINE MOTORS CORPORATION AS THE LOWEST CALCULATED AND RESPONSIVE BIDDER FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF MINI-BUS (ITB-ATI-CO-2024-05/PhilGEPS Ref. No. 10545395)

BAC Resolution No. 05-04, series of 2024

WHEREAS, Republic Act (RA) No. 9184 otherwise known as “The Government Procurement Reform Act” created the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) to ensure among others that the Procuring Entity (PE) abides by the standard set forth by the said act;

WHEREAS, Section 10, Rule IV of the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of RA 9184 provides that all procurement shall pass through competitive bidding except as otherwise provided for under Rule XIV;

WHEREAS, the procurement of **one (1) Mini-Bus** which will be used for the transport of Agricultural Training Institute (ATI) staff and participants, as well as other official functions, not being an exemption, must necessarily pass through competitive bidding;

WHEREAS, the ATI posted the Invitation to Bid for the aforementioned Project with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) amounting to **Five Million One Hundred Thousand Pesos Only (PhP5,100,000.00)** in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) Website (ITB-ATI-CO-2024-05/ PhilGEPS Ref. No. 10545395) and the ATI Website;

WHEREAS, in response to the said posting, two (2) prospective bidders namely Alpine Motors Corporation and Hino Motor Phils. Corp. bought the bidding documents from the BAC Secretariat and submitted their bid proposals during the bid opening held on March 1, 2024;

WHEREAS, during the Bid Opening, it was found out that having complied with the eligibility/technical and financial requirements, the two (2) bidders were declared as “**ELIGIBLE**” to participate in the bidding and thus rated as “**PASSED**”;

| Name of Bidder            | Bid Amount as Read (Php) |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Alpine Motors Corporation | 3,998,600.00             |
| Hino Motors Phils. Corp.  | 5,050,000.00             |

WHEREAS, the Technical Working Group (TWG) for Goods and Services conducted a careful examination, validation, and verification of all eligibility documents technical and financial documents required including post-qualification documents as required by RA 9184 and its IRR to the lowest eligible bidder, **Alpine Motors Corporation** and found to be “**non-responsive**” to the requirements and conditions specified in the bidding documents for the said project. (see *Bid Evaluation and Post Qualification Report of the TWG*);

WHEREAS, the BAC issued a Notice of Post Disqualification to Alpine Motors Corporation on April 15, 2024, adopting the findings of the TWG for Goods and Services on being non-responsive with the requirements and conditions of the project, particularly on the individual seating with backrest;

WHEREAS, Alpine Motors Corporation filed a Motion for Reconsideration on April 16, 2024, citing that the unit presented during the TWG’s inspection is not the actual unit but used for common reference and the actual unit will be reproduced upon the issuance of the Notice to Proceed;

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WHEREAS, the BAC granted the Motion for Reconsideration of Alpine Motors Corporation on April 23, 2024, with the following considerations:

1. Permit the BAC-TWG for Goods and Services to undergo a post-qualification process again; and
2. During the post-qualification process, Alpine Motors Corporation should be able to present a sample of the Mini Bus to be procured by the ATI considering the specifications indicated in the Bidding Document.

WHEREAS, the TWG for Goods and Services conducted a second site inspection to Alpine Motors Corporation on May 14, 2024, and determined that the unit presented complied with the specifications indicated in the Bidding Document set by the End-User. Through sample pictures of the recently delivered service vehicle with the same required specifications, it was noted that Alpine Motors Corporation's actual seats adhere to the specifications specified in the Purchase Request. Furthermore, the bidder agreed to meet with the End-User to finalize the color, texture, and other details. Therefore, the TWG declared Alpine Motors Corporation "responsive" to the requirements of the project. *(See Post Qualification Report of the TWG);*

WHEREAS, the BAC further evaluated the aforementioned bid proposal and agreed to adopt the TWG's recommendation and declare **Alpine Motors Corporation** as the **LOWEST CALCULATED AND RESPONSIVE BIDDER** with a Bid Amount as Calculated amounting to Three Million Nine Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Pesos only (Php 3,998,600.00);

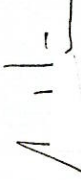
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, We, the BAC Members, hereby **RESOLVE AS IT HEREBY RESOLVED** to:

1. Declare **Alpine Motors Corporation** as the **Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bidder** for the **Procurement of Mini-Bus**;
2. Recommend for the approval of the award of the said Contract to **Alpine Motors Corporation** and its Bid Amount as calculated amounting to **Three Million Nine Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Pesos only (Php 3,998,600.00)**; and
3. Recommend for Approval by the ATI Director IV of the foregoing findings and recommendations.

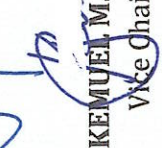
Done this 31<sup>st</sup> day of MAY 2024 at Agricultural Training Institute Bldg., Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City.

**THE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE:**

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APPROVED BY:

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Director

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

BAC Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ series of 2024.