



Republic of the Philippines  
TARLAC STATE UNIVERSITY  
**BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE FOR GOODS AND SERVICES**  
Romulo Blvd., San Vicente, Tarlac City

**BAC RESOLUTION DECLARING THE LOWEST CALCULATED AND RESPONSIVE  
BID (LCRB) AND RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT**

**RESOLUTION NO. PB041-2023**

**BIDDING NO.: PURCHASE REQUEST NO. 2023-03-126**  
Category per RA9184:  GOODS  INFRAWORKS  CONSULTING  
TITLE/DESCRIPTION: **"SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF IT TOOLS (APP 2023)"**  
APPROVED BUDGET FOR THE CONTRACT (ABC): **₱ 4,069,160.00**

**WHEREAS**, the TARLAC STATE UNIVERSITY advertised the Invitation to Bid for the project Supply and Delivery of IT Tools (APP 2023) with an Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of ₱ 4,069,160.00 in the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) and in conspicuous places in Tarlac State University on May 5, 2023;

**WHEREAS**, in response to the Invitation to Bid, three (3) prospective bidders participated in the Pre-Bidding Conference held at Tarlac State University Business Center Audio Visual Room (TSU-BC AVR) and webcasted via Zoom on May 16, 2023;

**WHEREAS**, in the public bidding held at the Tarlac State University Business Center Audio Visual Room (TSU-BC AVR) and webcasted via Zoom on May 30, 2023, at 3:00 P.M.:

- (a) three (3) bidders, namely, Infoworx Inc., Datacore Technologies, and Vera Equinox Technologies Inc., tendered bids for the aforementioned project,
- (b) the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), with the assistance of the Technical Working Groups (TWGs), opened and checked the first envelopes contained in the bids submitted by the three bidders, using the non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion, and found the first envelopes of Infoworx Inc., and Datacore Technologies Inc. contained all the required documents and were rated "passed", while the first envelope of Vera Equinox Technologies Inc. was rated "failed" on the ground that the audited financial statement enclosed in the bidder's first envelope has no stamped "received" by the BIR.
- (c) the BAC, with the assistance of the TWGs, evaluated and ranked the bids of the two bidders whose first envelopes were rated "passed",
- (d) the BAC resolved to declare Datacore Technologies Inc. as the bidder with the Lowest Calculated Bid (LCB) with the bid price of ₱ 4,058,640.00, and
- (e) the BAC directed the TWGs to proceed with the post-qualification evaluation of the LCB;

**WHEREAS**, in the Post-Qualification Evaluation Conference webcasted via Zoom on July 19, 2023:


- (a) the TWG for the Legal and Financial Aspects reported that the LCB was responsive to the legal and financial requirements for the project as prescribed in the Bidding Documents,

- (b) the TWG for Technical Aspect reported that the LCB was responsive to the technical requirements for the project as prescribed in the Bidding Documents, and
- (c) the BAC verified the reports of the TWGs, deliberated, and unanimously agreed to declare the LCB as responsive;

**THEREFORE**, We, the members of the Bids and Awards Committee, hereby **RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**:


- (a) to declare the bid of Datacore Technologies Inc. as the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid with the bid price of ₱ 4,058,640.00 and
- (b) to recommend to the President the Award of Contract for the project Supply and Delivery of IT Tools (APP 2023) to Datacore Technologies Inc.

**RESOLVED**, at TSU-BC AVR, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 2023.


  
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Member/End-user

Approved:

  
**DR. ARNOLD E. VELASCO**  
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## ABSTRACT OF BIDS AS READ

Project Name: **SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF IT TOOLS (APP 2023)**

Project Location: Main Campus, Tarlac State University  
Implementing Office: Tarlac State University  
Approved Budget for the Contract: ₱ 4,069,160.00

Date: May 30, 2023  
Time: 3:00 P.M.  
Venue: BC-AVR

BIDDER	INFOWORX INC.	DATACORE TECHNOLOGIES INC.
Total Amount of Bid	₱ 4,069,000.00	₱ 4,058,640.00
Form of Bid Security	Bid Securing Declaration	Bid Securing Declaration
Validity Period	120 days	120 days
Remarks	Complying	Complying


  
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TWG on Financial and Legal Aspects  
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**RYAN G. SIH**  
TWG on Technical Aspects  
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**ABSTRACT OF BIDS AS CALCULATED**

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**WHEREAS**, in the public bidding held at the TSU-BC AVR on May 30, 2023, at 3:00 P.M., three (3) bidders, namely, Infoworx Inc., Datacore Technologies, and Vera Equinox Technologies Inc. participated and tendered their bids for the aforementioned project;

**WHEREAS**, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC), with the assistance of the Technical Working Groups (TWGs), opened and checked the first envelopes contained in the bids submitted by the three bidders, using the non-discretionary "pass/fail" criterion, and found that the first envelopes of Infoworx Inc., and Datacore Technologies contained all the required documents and were rated "passed", while the first envelope of Vera Equinox Technologies Inc. was rated "ineligible" on the ground that the audited financial statement enclosed in the bidder's first envelope has no stamped "received" by the BIR.

**WHEREAS**, the BAC with the assistance of the TWGs, proceeded with the opening and evaluation of the second envelopes of the two bidders and found that the envelopes of the two bidders contained the prescribed documents and were rated "passed";


**WHEREAS**, the BAC with the assistance of the TWGs, proceeded with the evaluation of the financial bids of the two bidders with the results as summarized below:

Bidder	Bid Price (As Read), ₱	Bid Price (As Calculated), ₱	Variance from ABC, %	Rank
Datacore Technologies Inc.	4,058,640.00	4,058,640.00	0.26 %	1
Infoworx Inc.	4,069,000.00	4,069,000.00	0.004 %	2


**NOW, THEREFORE**, based on the foregoing findings, WE, the members of the Bids and Awards Committee, hereby RESOLVE, as it is hereby RESOLVED:

- (a) to declare Datacore Technologies Inc. as the bidder with the Lowest Calculated Bid (LCB) for the project with the bid price of ₱ 4,058,640.00 and
- (b) to direct the TWGs to proceed with the Post-Qualification Evaluation of the LCB and report their findings to the BAC within the prescribed period.

**RESOLVED**, at TSU-BC AVR, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 2023.


  
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