

REITERATING THE VALIDITY OF GPPB RESOLUTION NO. 01-2004 DATED 10 MARCH 2004 ON THE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE COMPOSITION FOR BARANGAYS

WHEREAS, Republic Act (RA) No. 9184, entitled "An Act Providing for the Modernization, Standardization and Regulation of the Procurement Activities of the Government and For Other Purposes," took effect on 26 January 2003, while its revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) took effect on 2 September 2009;

WHEREAS, the Government Procurement Policy Board (GPPB), under Section 63 of RA 9184 and its IRR, is mandated to formulate and amend public procurement policies, rules and regulations, and amend the IRR, whenever necessary;

WHEREAS, Section 11.2.3 of the revised IRR of RA 9184 on the BAC Composition for LGUs is silent on the BAC composition for Barangays;

WHEREAS, GPPB issued Resolution No. 01-2004 dated 10 March 2004, identifying and confirming the BAC composition for LGUs, including the Barangays;

WHEREAS, GPPB Resolution No. 01-2004 dated 10 March 2004 provides that the BAC for Barangays shall be composed of at least five (5) but not more than seven (7) regular members of the Sangguniang Barangay, except the Punong Barangay. It likewise provides that the Punong Barangay, being the local chief executive, shall designate the members of the BAC, while the members shall elect among themselves who shall act as Chairman and Vice-Chairman. It further provides that in no case shall the local chief executive and/or approving authority be the Chairman or a member of the BAC;

WHEREAS, the composition of the BAC for Barangays under GPPB Resolution No. 01-2004 remains valid and has not been neither repealed nor amended;

WHEREAS, in its 3rd Regular Meeting held on 26 April 2013, the GPPB discussed and deliberated on whether the rule on the composition of the BAC for Barangays as set forth in GPPB Resolution No. 01-2004 remains valid and effective;

NOW, **THEREFORE**, for and in consideration of the foregoing, **WE**, the Members of the **GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT POLICY BOARD**, by virtue of the powers vested on **US** by law, hereby **RESOLVE** to confirm, adopt, and approve, as **WE** hereby confirm, adopt, and approve the issuance of a Circular reiterating that the rule on the composition of the BAC for Barangays as set forth in GPPB Resolution No. 01-2004, remains valid and effective.

This resolution shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED this 26th day of April 2013 at Pasig City, Philippines

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS	DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
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DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS
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