

APPROVING THE GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT POLICY BOARD (GPPB) PROCUREMENT EXCELLENCE AWARD

WHEREAS, Republic Act (RA) No. 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act" and the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) took effect on 26 January 2003 and 28 October 2016, respectively;

WHEREAS, Section 63 of RA No. 9184 mandates the GPPB to ensure the proper implementation by procuring entities of the Act, its IRR and all other relevant rules and regulations pertaining to public procurement and to conduct an annual review of the effectiveness of the Act and recommend any amendments thereto, as may be necessary;

WHEREAS, to recognize the significant contribution of the Bids and Awards Committees (BACs) of procuring entities, including the participation of their BAC Secretariats and Technical Working Groups (TWGs), to the agency's overall procurement performance and compliance, the GPPB-Technical Support Office (GPPB-TSO) proposed to confer a special award to be called the "GPPB Procurement Excellence Award" to BACs that meet standards and best practices in procurement;

WHEREAS, during the 6th Regular Meeting of the GPPB on 04 December 2018, the GPPB-TSO presented the proposed general criteria and methodology to be used in determining the recipients of the GPPB Procurement Excellence Award;

WHEREAS, the GPPB-TSO requested the GPPB to: (1) designate its Executive Director as the Chairperson of the BAC Recognition Panel (BRP), which shall be composed of seven (7) members including the Chairperson, and authorize the Chairperson to select the members thereof; and (2) authorize the BRP to finalize the mechanics for the initial qualification, shortlisting, further screening, and final recommendation of awardees;

WHEREAS, after due deliberation and careful review, the GPPB approved the proposal of the GPPB-TSO to recognize exemplary BACs of procuring entities using the general criteria and methodology presented;

Now, Therefore, for and in view of all the foregoing, **W**E, the Members of the **GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT POLICY BOARD**, by virtue of the powers vested on **Us** by law and other executive issuances, hereby **RESOLVE** to confirm, adopt, and approve, as **W**E hereby confirm, adopt, and approve the following:

- 1. **APPROVE** the general criteria and methodology to determine recipients of the GPPB Procurement Excellence Award to include the following processes:
 - a. Initial qualification using the Agency Procurement Compliance Performance Indicator (APCPI) weighted scores;

- b. Subsequent screening on the basis of:
 - i. a BAC questionnaire;
 - ii. an end-user and bidder survey; and
 - iii. a confirmatory evaluation;
- c. Final recommendation of awardees for approval of the GPPB.
- 2. **DESIGNATE** the GPPB-TSO Executive Director as the Chairperson of the BRP and **AUTHORIZE** the Chairperson to select the members thereof; and
- 3. **AUTHORIZE** the BRP to finalize the mechanics in the selection of awardees.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED this 4th day of December 2018 at Pasig City, Philippines.

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