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BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE SUPPLEMENTAL /BID BULLETIN (SBB) NO. 1

This SBB No. 1 dated January 19, 2022 for the Project, "Supply and Delivery of Security Services with Project ID No. DSWD4B-2021-001 and PHILGEPS Reference Number 8345463 "isissued to clarify, modify or amend items in the Bidding Documents. Accordingly, this shall forman integral part of said documents.

PARTICULARS

Clarification on the applicability of 10% administrative fee imposed under Section 9(b)(ii) of DOLE DO No.18-A and 20% administrative fee provided under Section 4 of DOLE DO No. 150-2016.

CLARIFICATIONS/AMENDMENTS

With regards to the applicability of 10% standard administrative fee provided under DOLE Department Order No.18-A. and 20% administrative fee provided under DOLE Department Order No. 150-2016, the prospective bidders are enjoined to refer to the attached GPPB Policy Opinion No., 03-2012 dated November 30, 2012 and GPPB NPM-093-2016 dated November 15, 2016. Pertinent portion of the GPPB opinion reads" " Based on the foregoing discussions and considering the obvious conflict between Section 31 of RA 9184 and Section 9(b) (ii) of DOLE DO 18-A, we express the view that the latter should be considered INVALID. and thus cannot be source of any right, duty, obligation or power (Attached herein for reference is a copy of GPPB Policy Opinion No. 03-2012. Further based on GPPB NPM -093-2016 in the case of Philippine Sports Commission et.al vs. Dear John Services, which reads that "we are of the opinion that

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Section 4 of DOLE DO No. 150-16 as it imposes a minimum administrative fee of 20% of the total contract cost per the Agreement for Service Security Services, runs counter to the provision of Section 31 of RA 9184 and its IRR." (Attached herein for reference copy of GPPB NPM093-2016). Therefore, the BAC will follow GPPB policy opinion in accordance with the mandatory provision of Section 31 of RA 9184 and its IRR.

For guidance and information of all concerned.

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