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SBAC RESOLUTION declaring **CEBU ERNBRI IMPORT INC., ELAND TRADING CORP., & CL SIA TRADING, INELIGIBLE** for the procurement of **BID REFERENCE NO. FISHCORE-2025-NCB-GOODS-1** entitled **“PROCUREMENT OF EQUIPMENT AND OTHER ACCESSORIES FOR HABITAT AND ECOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT AND MONITORING”**.

WHEREAS, on 29 October 2025, the Pre-Procurement Conference was held through a hybrid set-up via ZOOM and face-to-face at the FishCoRe SBAC Office, 2/F, National Food Authority Building, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Ave., Quezon City;

WHEREAS, the FishCoRe SBAC advertised the Invitation to Bid dated 18 November 2025 for the above-stated procurement project and posted at the websites of the *Philippine Government Electronic Procurement Service* (PhilGEPS) with Reference No. 12587406, *Philippine Fisheries and Coastal Resiliency Project* (FishCoRe) (<https://fishcore.bfar.da.gov.ph>), and *Systematic Tracking of Exchanges in Procurement* (STEP);

WHEREAS, on 21 November 2025, a Supplemental Bid Bulletin No. 1 was issued reflecting the revised technical specifications and details of the scheduled Pre-Bid Conference (attached as Annex “A”);

WHEREAS, on 26 November 2025, the Pre-Bid Conference for the referenced procurement project was held through a hybrid set-up via ZOOM and face-to-face at the FishCoRe Conference Room, 2/F, National Food Authority Building, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Ave., Quezon City, attended by the following prospective bidders: (1) Sun East Asia Corporation, (2) Eland Trading Corporation, (4) Chemisphere Lab Sciences, (5) Sea and Land Technologies (Philippines), Inc., (6) Cebu Ernbri, Inc., and (7) Metronix Inc.;

WHEREAS, on 03 December 2025, a Supplemental Bid Bulletin No. 2 was issued reflecting the amendments on the bidding documents and the responses to the clarifications/queries from the bidders (attached as Annex “B”);

WHEREAS, before the lapse of the deadline for the submission and receipt of the bids, which was set on 10 December 2025, three (3) bidders were able to submit their bid proposals with the following details:



No.	Bidder	Date and Time of Submission and Receipt of Bids
1	Cebu Ernabri Import Inc.	December 10, 2025, at 7:55 AM
2	Eland Trading Corp.	December 10, 2025, at 8:28 AM
3	CL SIA Trading	December 10, 2025, at 8:20 AM

WHEREAS, on 10 December 2025, the scheduled Opening of Bids for the Procurement Project was held through a hybrid set-up via ZOOM and face-to-face at the FishCoRe Conference Room, 2/F, National Food Authority Building, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Ave., Quezon City. The FishCoRe SBAC opened the bids submitted by *three (3) bidders* who bid for the procurement project in public, and in the presence of the bidder’s representatives, to determine the latter’s compliance with the Eligibility, Technical, and Financial requirements specified in the Bidding Document;

WHEREAS, during the preliminary examination of bids, the FishCoRe SBAC examined the submitted eligibility and technical documents of the *three (3) bidders* versus a checklist to ascertain if the required documents were all submitted, using a non-discretionary pass/fail criterion;

WHEREAS, the SBAC determined that, based on the aforementioned findings, all three (3) bidders are declared ineligible due to their failure to comply with the mandatory technical specification clearly defined in the Bidding Documents. This failure to meet a mandatory technical specification, identified during the SBAC’s deliberation, renders a bid non-responsive under the following provisions;

“Section III: Bid Data Sheet

Instruction to Bidders (ITB) Clause 12.1

During Bid opening, if the first bid envelope lacks any of the following documents, the bid shall be declared non-responsive. The first envelope shall contain the following eligibility and technical documents:

a. Eligibility Requirements

xxx

(iv). Line of Credit from a universal or commercial bank, in accordance with ITB Clause 5.5;

xxx”

(Emphasis supplied)



NOW, THEREFORE, on the motion duly made and seconded by the Special Bids and Awards Committee acting unanimously, **HEREBY RESOLVES**, as it is **HEREBY RESOLVED** that:

- a. Pursuant to Section III - Bid Data Sheet, ITB Clause 12.1, Eligibility Requirements Item (iv), **CEBU ERNBRI IMPORT INC., ELAND TRADING CORP., & CL SIA TRADING**, be declared **INELIGIBLE**; and
- b. Pursuant to **Section 55, Item 55.1 of R.A. 9184**, as further amended by **Section 83, Item 83.1 of R.A. 12009**, or the New Government Procurement Act (NGPA), it provides that:

“The bidder may file a request for reconsideration to the BAC within three (3) calendar days upon receipt of written notice or upon verbal notification of the BAC decision. [x x x]. The bidder shall not be allowed to submit additional documents to correct any defects in the bid submitted. ”

(Emphasis supplied)

RESOLVED, this **10th day of December 2025**, at FishCoRe - Special Bids and Awards Committee (SBAC) Secretariat Office, 2nd floor, National Food Authority Building, Brgy. Vasra, Visayas Ave., Quezon City.

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