



Republic of the Philippines  
**PROVINCE OF ISABELA**  
City of Ilagan

**OFFICE OF THE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2025-05-052**

**RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT TO NATIONAL FOOD AUTHORITY WITH P.R. NO. 100-2025-03-01376 AMOUNTING TO ₱8,700,000.00 THROUGH NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT (AGENCY-TO-AGENCY) FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF RICE TO BE DISTRIBUTED TO MARGINALIZED SECTORS AS FOOD/RICE ASSISTANCE**

**WHEREAS**, Section 35.5 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of R.A. No. 12009, otherwise known as the New Government Procurement Act, provides for Negotiated Procurement (Agency-to-Agency) as one of the modes of procurement consistent with the Fit-for-Purpose procurement approach;

**WHEREAS**, Section 35.5 of the said IRR states that Agency-to-Agency procurement is a mode of procurement of Goods, Infrastructure Projects, and Consulting Services from another agency of the government which has the mandate and absorptive capacity to undertake the project, subject to the conditions stated under the aforesaid provision;

**WHEREAS**, based on the assessment and recommendation of the End-User or Implementing Unit, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) has deemed it proper to conduct Negotiated Procurement (Agency-to-Agency) as an alternative mode of procurement pursuant to Section 35.5 of the IRR of R.A. No. 12009, and has recommended the use of the same to the Head of Procuring Entity (HoPE);

**WHEREAS**, the National Food Authority (NFA) is mandated to maintain an optimal level of national rice inventory to be sourced solely from local farmers and to distribute rice during emergency/calamity situations and sustain the disaster relief program of the government during natural and man-made calamities;

**WHEREAS**, after evaluation and due deliberation of the NFA's capability and completeness of the documentary requirements, the HoPE has determined that the NFA is eligible and capable to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with PGI as the Servicing Agency through Negotiated Procurement (Agency-to-Agency) in connection with PR 100-2025-03-01376;

**WHEREAS**, in compliance with Section 35.3.1 of the said IRR, the Provincial Government of Isabela (PGI) has secured a certification from the National Food Authority (NFA) that the latter complies with all the conditions set forth under Section 35.5 of the IRR of R.A. No. 12009;

**WHEREAS**, the PGI has requested the NFA to authorize them to purchase rice in cash under P29 Special Programs in order to provide immediate assistance to vulnerable and marginalized constituents;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE HEREBY RESOLVES, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVED, TO RECOMMEND TO THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA, REPRESENTED BY THE GOVERNOR, HON. RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, THE AWARD OF CONTRACT THROUGH NEGOTIATED PROCUREMENT (AGENCY-TO-AGENCY) TO THE NATIONAL FOOD AUTHORITY FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF RICE TO BE DISTRIBUTED TO MARGINALIZED SECTORS AS FOOD/RICE ASSISTANCE, PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 35.5 OF THE IRR OF R.A. NO. 12009;**

**RESOLVED**, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025 at the Bids and Awards Committee Office, Alibagu, City of Ilagan, Isabela.

  
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BAC Chairman

  
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**RODOLFO T. ALBANO III**   
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