Procurement of Service Provider for Individual and Household Focus Group Discussions for the Analysis of PCC Cases and Other Research Initiatives

CONTRACT AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made on the ___ day of September 2024 (the "Agreement") between the **Philippine Competition Commission** ("PCC"), with office address at 25/F Vertis North Corporate Center Tower 1, North Avenue, Quezon City, represented herein by its Executive Director, **Kenneth V. Tanate, PhD** (hereinafter referred to as the "Entity") and **The Philippine Survey and Research Center, Inc.,** with business address at 10/F OMM-Citra Bldg. San Miguel Ave. Ortigas Center, Pasig City**,** represented herein by its Executive Director, **Ms. Maria Cristina C. Reyes** (hereinafter referred to as the "Service Provider") (collectively herein referred to as "Parties");

WHEREAS, the Entity requested for consultancy services, particularly for the **Procurement of Service Provider for Individual and Household Focus Group Discussions for the Analysis of PCC Cases and Other Research Initiatives** (the "Consulting Services") and has accepted a bid by the Service Provider for the execution and completion of the Consulting Services for a period of six (6) months, or until 31 March 2025, in the sum of ***Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (PhP950,000.00)*** inclusive of all applicable taxes (hereinafter called "the Contract Price").

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:

1. In this Agreement, words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to.

2. The following documents as required by the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184 shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as integral part of this Agreement, viz.:

    i. Request for Expression of Interest;
    ii. Schedule of Requirements;
    iii. Terms of Reference;
    iv. Notice of Award of Contract and the Consultant's conforme thereto; and
    v. Other contract documents that may be required by existing laws and/or the Procuring Entity concerned in the Philippine Bidding Documents.

    The Consultant agrees that additional contract documents or information prescribed by the Government Policy Procurement Board that maybe required for submission after the contract execution, such as the Notice to Proceed, Variation Orders, and Warranty Security, shall likewise form part of the Agreement.

3. In consideration of the Contract Price or such other sums as may be ascertained, the Service Provider hereby agrees with the Entity to

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execute and complete the Consulting Services and remedy the defects therein in conformity with the provisions of this Agreement in accordance with its bid.

4. The Entity agrees to pay the Service Provider, in consideration of the provision of the required Consulting Services, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of this Agreement in the time and manner prescribed, and in accordance with the terms of the bid.

5. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. Delivery of an executed counterpart of a signature page to this Agreement shall be effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS whereof, the Parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with the laws of the Republic of the Philippines on the day and year first above written.

For the **PHILIPPINE COMPETITION COMMISSION**

By: [SIGNATURE REDACTED]

KENNETH V. TANATE, PhD
Executive Director and
Head of the Procuring Entity

For the **PHILIPPINE SURVEY AND RESEARCH CENTER, INC.**

By: [SIGNATURE REDACTED]

MARIA CRISTINA C. REYES
Executive Director

WITNESSES:

[SIGNATURE REDACTED]

JESTONI A. OLIVO
End-user (EO)

[SIGNATURE REDACTED]

EMIL P. AVENIDO
Research Director

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES) S.S.
QUEZON CITY)

FIRST ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Before me, a notary public for and in Quezon City, this 11 SEP 2024 September 2024, personally appeared the following:

Name	Competent Evidence of Identity	Date/Place Issued
KENNETH V. TANATE, PhD.	GSIS UMID 006-0100-6833-7	Quezon City

Known to me or identified by me through competent evidence of identity to be the same person who executed the foregoing Contract Agreement consisting of three (3) pages, excluding its Annexes and the page on which this Acknowledgment is written, and acknowledged to me that the same is his free and voluntary act and deed, as well as that of his principal.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, on the date and in the place first above written.

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Page No. 80;
Book No. IV;
Series of 2024.

ATTY. JUAN JAIME D. VELASCO
NOTARY PUBLIC UNTIL DEC. 31, 2024
IBP NO. 386369-1/2/24 - RIZAL
PTR NO. 5428315-1/3/24 - MAND. CITY
ROLL NO. 60593 / MCLE NO. VII-0019594 / 4/13/2025
UNIT 3F CSV BLDG. MAYSILO CIRCLE
BRGY. PLAINVIEW MAND. CITY

[SIGNATURE REDACTED]

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES) S.S.
MANDALUYONG CITY

SECOND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Before me, a notary public for and in MANDALUYONG CITY, this 11 SEP 2024 September 2024, personally appeared the following:

Name	Competent Evidence of Identity	Date/Place Issued
MARIA CRISTINA C. REYES	P6406385A	14 March 2018 DFA NCR East

Known to me or identified by me through competent evidence of identity to be the same person who executed the foregoing Contract Agreement consisting of three (3) pages, excluding its Annexes and the page on which this Acknowledgment is written, and acknowledged to me that the same is her free and voluntary act and deed, as well as that of her principal.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, on the date and in the place first above written.

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NOTICE TO PROCEED

MS. MARIA CRISTINA C. REYES
Executive Director
The Philippine Survey & Research Center, Inc.
10/F OMM-Citra Bldg. San Miguel Ave.
Ortigas Center, Pasig City

Dear **Ms. Reyes,**

This refers to the Notice of Award to ***The Philippine Survey & Research Center (PSRC), Inc.*** for the ***Procurement of Service Provider for Individual and Household Focus Group Discussions for the Analysis of PCC Cases and Other Research Initiatives*** with the total contract amount of **Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (PhP950,000.00)**, inclusive of all applicable taxes.

In relation thereto, notice is hereby given to **PSRC Inc.** that the implementation of the said engagement shall commence immediately. You are expected to perform the terms and conditions stipulated in the attached Contract Agreement.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice by signing at the portion provided below. Keep a copy and return the original copy to this office at the soonest.

For further details, please contact the PBAC Secretariat through the following contact details: (a) email: procurement@phcc.gov.ph or procurementunit@phcc.gov.ph and (b) Tel. No. (+632) 8771-9722 local 203/204.

Thank you.

Very sincerely,

[SIGNATURE REDACTED]

KENNETH V. TANATE, PhD
Executive Director and
Head of the Procuring Entity

Conforme:

[SIGNATURE REDACTED]

MS. MARIA CRISTINA C. REYES
Date: 11 September 2024

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