



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN
Bids and Awards Committee - GAO
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BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE – GAO
RESOLUTION NO. PB-25-07-GAO

12 November 2025

WHEREAS, the Office of the Ombudsman, through the General Appropriations Act for CY 2025, has programmed (APP Code: 2025APP-094) and approved Purchase Request (PR) No. PU-25-09-055 (GAO)¹ for the procurement through public bidding of shingles vaccines for the Office of the Ombudsman for CY 2025 (PB 2025-19-GAO) with an estimated budget of Nine Million Seven Hundred Sixty-One Thousand Pesos (PhP9,761,000.00) as indicated in the Annual Procurement Plan for CY 2025;

WHEREAS, a Pre-Procurement Conference was conducted on 02 October 2025 and was attended by the Bids and Awards Committee-General Administration Office (BAC-GAO), its Secretariat, and the Technical Working Group A (TWG-A);²

WHEREAS, the Head of the Procuring Entity (HOPE), upon the recommendation of the BAC-GAO and the TWG-A, approved the technical specifications and total Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) of the procurement project at Six Million Five Hundred Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Pesos (PhP6,500,250.00);³

WHEREAS, on 14 October 2025, the Invitation to Bid for PB 2025-19-GAO: Public Bidding for the Supply, Delivery and Administration of Shingles Vaccines for the Office of the Ombudsman was posted on the PhilGEPS and Ombudsman websites and the OMB BAC-GAO Bulletin Board;

WHEREAS, Letters of Invitation for the Pre-Bid Conference, Opening of Bids, Bid Evaluation, and Post-Qualification were sent to the Office of the Ombudsman-Proper (OMB-Proper), the Office of the Overall Deputy Ombudsman (ODO), the Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry, the Coalition Against Corruption – Bishops Business Conference – Laiko (Government Procurement Monitoring Committee), the Commission on Audit (COA), and the Ombudsman Employees Association (OMBEA);

WHEREAS, a Pre-Bid Conference was conducted on 22 October 2025 at 10:00 a.m. with the BAC-GAO, its Secretariat, the TWG-A, a witness/observer from the OMBEA, and two (2) prospective bidders⁴ in attendance;⁵

¹ Dated 12 August 2025 with a total cost of Seven Million Two Hundred Ninety Thousand Pesos (PhP7,290,000.00). (Annex "A")

² Memorandum dated 08 September 2025 constituting the Technical Working Group A. (Annex "B")

³ TWG-A Memorandum dated 29 September 2025 and BAC-GAO Memorandum dated 02 October 2025. (Annexes "C" and "C-1")

⁴ (1) Medstation Biologicals, Inc. and (2) Pharma Quest Co.

⁵ Attendance Sheet for the Pre-Bid Conference. (Annex "D")

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WHEREAS, on 23 October 2025, Supplemental Bid Bulletin No. 1 was issued and posted on the PhilGEPS and Ombudsman websites and the OMB BAC-GAO Bulletin Board to correct a typographical error⁶ in Item 20.2(ix) of the Bid Data Sheet and the change in the venue of the bid opening from the Executive Lounge to the Auditorium, both located in the Annex Building of the Office of the Ombudsman;

WHEREAS, from the period 14 October 2025 to 03 November 2025, only one (1) bidder, Amreivax Corporation, purchased the bidding documents and submitted its bid before the 2:00 p.m. deadline on 03 November 2025;

WHEREAS, the Opening of Bids was conducted on 04 November 2025 at 10:00 a.m. with the BAC-GAO, its Secretariat, the TWG-A, and the representative of the lone bidder, Amreivax Corporation, in attendance;⁷

WHEREAS, after the conduct of eligibility check and evaluation of the submitted bid (First Envelope),⁸ the BAC-GAO, upon the recommendation of the TWG-A, rated Amreivax Corporation as “PASSED” in its eligibility requirements and declared it as “ELIGIBLE” to participate further in the proceedings;

WHEREAS, after evaluation of the financial bid proposal (Second Envelope) of Amreivax Corporation in the amount of Five Million Seven Hundred Eighty-Three Thousand Three Hundred Ten Pesos and ⁹⁰/₁₀₀ (PhP5,783,310.90), which is below the ABC, the BAC-GAO, upon the recommendation of the TWG-A, rated it as “PASSED” and declared it as having the single bid subject to a detailed evaluation;

WHEREAS, to further evaluate the completeness of the bid and arithmetical calculations⁹ of the submitted financial component of Amreivax Corporation, a more detailed evaluation was conducted by the TWG-A, after which the BAC-GAO, upon the recommendation of the TWG-A, declared Amreivax Corporation as the *Single Calculated Bid* with a total calculated bid price of Five Million Seven Hundred Eighty-Three Thousand Three Hundred Ten Pesos and ⁹⁰/₁₀₀ (PhP5,783,310.90);

WHEREAS, on 05 November 2025, a Notice of Post Qualification was issued, and Amreivax Corporation was directed to submit/present the original copies and certified true copies of the required documents to the TWG-A during the post-qualification proceedings held on 07 November 2025;¹⁰

WHEREAS, on 11 November 2025, the TWG-A submitted its Memorandum¹¹ dated 07 November 2025, recommending that Amreivax Corporation be declared as the bidder with the Single Calculated and Responsive Bid after having passed all the criteria for post qualification;

⁶ The word “flu” was deleted.

⁷ Attendance Sheet for the Opening of Bids. (Annex “E”)

⁸ Summary of the Opening of Bids. (Annex “F”)

⁹ Rule IX – Bid Evaluation, Section 32.2 of the Updated 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9184.

¹⁰ Attendance Sheet for the Post Qualification. (Annex “G”)

¹¹ TWG-A Post Qualification Report dated 07 November 2025. (Annex “H”)

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NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the **Bids and Awards Committee-GAO** hereby **RESOLVE** and **RECOMMEND** to award the contract for the **Public Bidding for the Supply, Delivery and Administration of Shingles Vaccines for the Office of the Ombudsman (PB 2025-19-GAO)** to **Amreivax Corporation** for tendering the Single Calculated and Responsive Bid in the amount of **Five Million Seven Hundred Eighty-Three Thousand Three Hundred Ten Pesos and ⁹⁰/₁₀₀ (PhP5,783,310.90)**, subject to the posting of a bond to guarantee performance.

SO RESOLVED.

12 November 2025, Quezon City, Philippines.

THE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE-GAO:¹²

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APPROVED / DISAPPROVED:

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¹² Office Order No. 228, Series of 2025.