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Contract for the Procurement of Consulting Services of an Agency for Local Public Relations

This *Contract for the Procurement of Consulting Services of an Agency for Local Public Relations* ("Agreement") is made and entered into this ____ day of JUN 11 2021 2021 between:

The DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM (DOT), a government agency with principal office at New DOT Building, 351 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, represented by its **Assistant Secretary, HOWARD LANCE A. UYKING** ("Entity");

and

EON (EVENTS ORGANIZER NETWORK), INC., a private entity with business address at Basement 1, Salustiana D. Ty Tower, 104 Paseo de Roxas, Legaspi Village, Makati City represented by its **Chief Innovation Officer, MR. CARLOS MORI A. RODRIGUEZ** ("Consultant");

Each a "Party" and collectively, the "Parties"

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Entity is mandated to be the primary planning, programming, coordinating, implementing, and regulatory government agency in the development and promotion of the tourism industry, both domestic and international;

WHEREAS, in view of its mandate, and as a response to the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on tourism, the Entity is working to revive local tourism in a safe manner and restore employment in the tourism sector;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this, the Entity needs to engage the services of an agency to communicate health measures of open destinations to the public, and to inform stakeholders of the Entity's programs that will benefit them such as cash-for-work programs, capital loans for MSMEs, capacity-building projects and trainings, and product development plans for regional destinations;

WHEREAS, the Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) of the Entity, through **BAC Resolution No. 2021-052**, has declared the Consultant to be the **Highest Rated and Responsive Bidder (HRRB)** following a competitive bidding procedure for the procurement of consulting services of an Agency for Local Public Relations with a contract duration of seven (7) months effective from the receipt by the Consultant of the Notice to Proceed;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the abovementioned BAC Resolution, the Entity has accepted the bid of the Consultant for **Twenty-Nine Million Nine Hundred Seventy-Nine Thousand Forty-Eight Pesos and 75/100 (PhP29,979,048.75)** inclusive of all applicable taxes;

NOW, THEREFORE, based on the foregoing, the Parties agree 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 hereinafter referred to.
2. The following documents shall be attached, deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this Agreement, to wit.:



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- (a) General and Special Conditions of Contract;
- (b) Terms of Reference
- (c) Request for Expression of Interest;
- (d) Instruction to Bidders;
- (e) Bid Data Sheet
- (f) Addenda and/or Supplemental/Bid Bulletins, if any;
- (g) Bid forms, including all the documents/statements contained in the Bidder's bidding envelopes, as annexes, and all other documents/statements submitted (e.g., bidder's response to request for clarifications on the bid), including corrections to the bid, if any, resulting from Procuring Entity's bid evaluation;
- (h) Eligibility requirements, documents and/or statements;
- (i) Performance Security;
- (j) Notice of Award of Contract and the Bidder's conforme thereto;
- (k) Other contract documents that may be required by existing laws and/or the Entity.

3. In consideration of the payments to be made by the Entity to the Consultant as hereinafter mentioned, the Consultant hereby covenants with the Entity to execute and complete the Consulting Services and remedy any defects therein in conformity with the provisions of this Consultant in all respects.

4. The Entity hereby covenants to pay the Consultant in consideration of the execution and completion of the Consulting Services, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of this Contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by this Contract.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed the day and year first above written.

DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM
(Entity)

EON (EVENTS ORGANIZER NETWORK),
INC.
(Consultant)

By:



HOWARD LANCE A. UYKING
Assistant Secretary

By:




CARLOS MORI A. RODRIGUEZ
Chief Innovation Officer

SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF:



JOSE VICTOR M. GAITE
CHIEF FINANCE OFFICER

Certified Funds Available:



ROMAN G. BERSAMIRA
Chief, Accounting Division

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)
MAKATI)S.S.

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public, in and for Makati, this 18th day of June 2021, personally appeared:

Name	Government ID	Date/Place Issued
Howard Lance A. Uyking	DOT ID# 180055	
Carlos Mori A. Rodriguez	PASSPORT - P0184984A	08 SEP 2016 - DFA Manila

known to me to be the same persons who executed the foregoing Agreement and they acknowledged the same to be their free and voluntary act and deed and of the entities they represent.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL on this 18th day of June 2021.

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NOTARY PUBLIC
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