



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON



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BAC RESOLUTION

**RECOMMENDING TO THE HEAD OF THE PROCURING ENTITY THE RENEWAL
OF CONTRACT TO EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC. FOR THE
PROCUREMENT OF INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER FOR REGIONAL OFFICE
FROM FEBRUARY 2026 TO DECEMBER 2026**

WHEREAS, DepEd Regional Office IV-A CALABARZON, requisitioned for the renewal of contract for the **PROCUREMENT OF INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER FOR REGIONAL OFFICE** from **FEBRUARY 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026**;

WHEREAS, the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) is **EIGHT HUNDRED FOURTEEN THOUSAND PESOS (Php814,000.00)**;

WHEREAS, the end-user conducted a market survey/cost-benefit analysis to determine available providers for said project. Some of the prospective bidder submitted their quotations;

WHEREAS, based on the submitted quotation/s, the following data were gathered:

Internet Service Provider	MBPS	Public IP	One-Time Charge	One Year Cost (VAT Exclusive)
Nexlogic	300 mbps	6	20,000.00	660,000.00
East Manila Cable Network Inc.	350 mbps	8	0	888,000.00
Converge ICT	Up to 300 Mbps	1		216,000.00

WHEREAS, the continued partnership with **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.** has ensured stable and reliable internet connectivity for the regional office and their prompt communication in case any internet-related issues, informing the End-user of disruptions and providing updates on resolution, has greatly supported the smooth delivery of the regional programs and services;

WHEREAS, based on the quotation submitted, the end-user recommends to renew the contract of **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.** considering that its offer is more efficient and economical to the government for the following reasons:

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1. The quotation submitted by **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.** offers the lowest price among the dedicated internet service providers evaluated;
2. Renewal of the contract with **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.** will not result in internet downtime, as it will not require new installation, system setup, or IP address propagation to broadcast the new IP address;
3. The performance rating of **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.**, as reflected in the attached document is 3.19, indicating that the provider meets the expectations of this office;

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4. **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.** does not require a one-time payment installation fee.
5. **NEXLOGIC** only offers a 300 Mbps internet service.
6. **CONVERGE** only offers an SME service that is applicable to household use, with non-peak-to-peak and peak-to-peak hour limitations. This does not meet the office requirement, as a dedicated fiber line is necessary.

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WHEREAS, the Procuring Entity has upgraded its subscription from 300 mbps to 350 mbps to meet the growing demand for online services and digitalization. Also, it allows for faster and more reliable data transmission, facilitating the expansion and improvement of digital infrastructure and experiences.

WHEREAS, based on the submitted report on the Internet Service subscription, **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.** offered the Lowest Calculated and Responsive Bid (LCRB) and provided satisfactory service to the Procuring Entity. Hence, renewal of its contract remains most advantageous to Procuring Entity;

NOW THEREFORE, the BAC hereby **RESOLVES**, as it hereby **RESOLVED**:

1. **To ADOPT** the recommendation of the end-user to renew its contract with **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.**; and
2. **To RECOMMEND** to the Regional Director as the Head of Procuring Entity the award of contract to **EAST MANILA CABLE NETWORK, INC.** for the **Procurement of Internet Service Provider for Regional Office from February 2026 to December 2026** in the amount of **EIGHT HUNDRED FOURTEEN THOUSAND PESOS (Php814,000.00)**.

DONE, at DepEd Regional Office IV-A CALABARZON, this 16th of January 2026.


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 ☒ **APPROVED** ☐ **DISAPPROVED:**


ATTY. ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE, CESO II
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