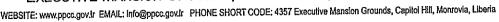
REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA



PUBLIC PROCUREMENT & CONCESSIONS COMMISSION

EXECUTIVE MANSION GROUNDS, CAPITOL HILL, MONROVIA, LIBERIA





Ref. PPCC/RL/CEO/0419/25'

March 26, 2025

Hon. Joel Gamys **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

Forestry Training Institute Tubmanburg, Bomi County Republic of Liberia

Dear Hon. Gamys:

Subj: <u>request for no objection to award contract to msf brother general construction</u> FOR THE RENOVATION OF RESIDENTIAL AND NON-RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL BUILDINGS FOR THE FISCAL

We present our compliments and wish to acknowledge receipt of your communication requesting the Commission's approval for the Forestry Training Institute (FTI) request as indicated above.

Based on the review, the Commission is pleased to highlight the following:-

- The FTI submitted its evidence of publication (newspapers), bidding document, bidder submission (MSF Brother General Construction), Bid Evaluation Report, due diligence report, Procurement Committee meeting minutes, bid opening minutes, letter appointing BEP members, and draft contract.
- The contract package (IFB No. FTI/SBA/NCB/001/2025) was duly planned for in the entity's approved procurement plan by the Commission.
- The procurement process is consistent with Section 48 (3) of the 2010 PPCA.
- . The proposed amount of US\$ 261,326.14 (Two Hundred Sixty-One Thousand Three Flundred Twenty-Six United States Dollars Fourteen Cents) falls below the required threshold of US\$ 400,000.00 (Four Hundred Thousand United States Dollars) for the entity to seek the Commission's na objection for works procurement.

From the above findings mentioned, the Commission herewith grants the Forestry Training Institute "No Objection" to award a contract to MSF Brother General Construction for the renovation of residential and non-residential school buildings at the estimated value of US\$ 261,326.14 (Two Hundred Sixty-One Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-Six United States Dollars Fourteen Cents) for the Fiscal Year 2025. However, the Commission advises that the Environmental Protection Agency should not award a contract for more than the estimated cost approved on the entity's procurement plan for the Fisca! Year 2025.

Kindly be reminded that all contracts whose cumulative annual value exceeds the threshold of US\$ 250,000.00 must also be signed by the Minister responsible for Finance and attested by the Minister responsible for Justice.

The Public Procurement and Concessions Commission admonishes and deems it a priority that you remain compliant with the PPCA, 2010, as we jointly aspire to achieve transparency, accountability, fairness, equality, and plaimately public confidence in our procurement and concessions processes.

Regulating Procurement Compliance for National Development



Forestry Training Institute

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March 7, 2025

Hon. Bodger Scott Johnson

Executive Director

Public Procurement and Concession Commission (PPCC)

Capital Hill

Monrovia, Liberia

Ref: Request for NO OBJECTION for civil works at Forestry Training Institute.

Dear Hon Johnson:

We present our compliments and write to inform you that the Forestry Training Institute has completed its national bidding process for the award of a civil works contract to MSF Brothers General Constructions Inc. (IFB No. NCB/SBA/001/2025), valued at Five Hundred Thousand (500,000.00) USD, as allocated for the 2025 fiscal year.

As you may be aware, the institution has been elevated to a community college and requires additional facilities to support its smooth operations. Therefore, the Forestry Training Institute requests a "No Objection" from the Commission regarding its intent to enter into a contract agreement with MSF Brothers General Construction Inc. for the execution of civil works at the institute.

This request is in compliance with Section 31, which states that except in the case of emergency and with the prior approval of the Commission, the Procurement Committee shall deliver to the Commission a notice of intent to award a contract exceeding the Thresholds as establish by Regulations promulgated by the Commission. No Procuring Entity shall enter into a procurement contract above the Thresholds establish by Regulations promulgated by the Commission unless a minimum of fourteen (14) days have lapsed since the notification of intent to award a contract was delivered to the Commission. The Commission shall cause a notice of intent to award a contract whose contract price exceeds the Thresholds in the Regulation to be published within two (2) business days of receipt of such notice. A Procuring Entity may award a contract whose contract price is less than the Thresholds in the Regulation without notice to the Commission and passage of a minimum of fourteen (14) days as provided in this subsection (1).

We appreciate your attention to this matter and look forward to your response.

With kind Regards,

Joel Gamys

Executive Director

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