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10	In the Appeal of	DOCKET NO. OPA-PA-14-013	
11		INTERESTED PARTY DOCOMO	
12	PACIFIC DATA SYSTEMS, INC.	PACIFIC, INC.'S COMMENTS TO GUAM POWER AUTHORITY'S	
13		AGENCY REPORT	
14	Appellant.		
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16	DOCOMO PACIFIC, INC. ("Docomo"), an Interested Party in the above-captioned		
17	appeal, hereby submits the following comments to the Agency Report filed by the Guam Power		
18	Authority ("GPA"). Docomo concurs with and joins in the position of GPA that Docomo has the		
19	appropriate authority to provide the services sought by GPA in the IFB, specifically Bid Items A-		
20	3, A-4, and A-5.		
21	The IFB specifically allows bidders to include affiliate companies in support of the		
22	performance of the services solicited under the IFB. The IFB provides:		
23	2.10.1.1 Technical Proposal		
24	Each BIDDER's Technical Proposal shall include the following: a. Business Structure and Business Approach The CONTRACTOR shall provide company information such as name, local		
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26	address, corporate headquarters (if any) and affiliate company in support for the performance of its contractual obligations.		
27	(IFB p. 12; Procurement Record ("PR") p. 691.)		
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Docomo made clear in its Technical Proposal that services would be provided by affiliate companies:

With the recent acquisition of MCV Broadband, Docomo Pacific now provides our customers a full suite of enterprise level solutions to include Wireless Voice & Data Services ... Cable TV services, High Speed Internet Data solutions and business telephone services/systems (SIP) with long distance capabilities to enhance your communication needs.

(Docomo Technical Proposal Cover Page; PR p. 450.)

With the full suite of enterprise service offerings above, Docomo Pacific has the capability of providing service to the Federal and Local Government. We are confident that the expertise and direction of both legacy companies (MCV Broadband and Docomo Pacific), now combined, offer the most and reliable services to Guam and the Marianas.

(Docomo Technical Proposal, Business Structure & Approach p. 1; PR p. 453.)

In 2013, Docomo Pacific acquired MCV Broadband expanding our service offering into a full suite of enterprise level solutions including Landline Phone, Internet, Cable TV, Fiber Solutions, and Enterprise WiFi services.

(Docomo Technical Proposal, Experience & Qualifications; PR p. 397.)

Docomo's Technical Proposal illustrated Docomo's and its affiliate companies' (including Guam Telecom, LLC's) compliance with local and federal regulatory requirements. (Docomo Technical Proposal, Federal and Regulatory Compliance; PR pp. 555-570.) Docomo's Technical Proposal included Guam Telecom's Certificate of Authority from the Guam Public Utilities Commission (Id; PR p. 562-570.) Docomo's Technical Proposal included the business licenses for its affiliate companies Guam Cablevision, LLC and Guam Telecom. (Docomo Technical Proposal, Required Forms; PR pp. 663-667.)

Docomo understood the services solicited by GPA and understood that GPA would accept services being performed by affiliate entities as clearly set forth on page 12 of the IFB. Accordingly, Docomo presented its technical qualifications for the wide range of voice and data services being solicited by including the appropriate certifications for services to be provided by affiliate companies.¹ This was clearly permitted by the IFB and Docomo's Technical Proposal

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¹ A chart setting forth the relationship between Docomo Pacific, Inc. and Guam Telecom, LLC is attached to the Declaration of James W. Hofman, II, filed concurrently herein.

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conformed in all material respects to the IFB. 5 GCA § 5201(g) ("Responsive bidder means a person who has submitted a bid which conforms in all material respects to the Invitation for Bids.")

For all the foregoing reasons and for all the reasons set forth in GPA's Agency Report, Docomo is a qualified bidder and GPA's intent to award Bid Items A-3, A-4 and A-5 to Docomo must stand. Accordingly, Docomo concurs with and joins in GPA's request that Appellant's appeal be dismissed.

Respectfully submitted this 12th day of January, 2015.

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Attorneys for Interested Party Docomo Pacific, Inc.

By: JANALYNN CRUZ DAMIAN

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Janalynn Cruz Damian, do hereby certify that on January 12, 2015, I caused to have copies of 1) INTERESTED PARTY DOCOMO PACIFIC, INC.'S COMMENTS TO GUAM POWER AUTHORITY'S AGENCY REPORT and 2) DECLARTION OF JAMES W. HOFMAN, II IN SUPPORT OF DOCOMO PACIFIC, INC.'S COMMENTS TO GUAM POWER AUTHORITY'S AGENCY REPORT filed with the Office of Public Accountability on January 12, 2015, to be served upon the following, by hand delivery:

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Pacific Data Systems, Inc. 185 Ilipog Drive, Suite 204A Tamuning, Guam 96913

Dated this 12th day of January, 2015.

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