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In the Appeal of ASC Trust, LLC OPA-PA-25-007- Agency Report and Agency Statement

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Dear Mr. Hernandez and Attorney Brennan,

Attached, please find the following for filing:

- Agency Report; and
- Agency Statement.

Thank you,

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BEFORE THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY PROCUREMENT APPEAL TERRITORY OF GUAM

In the Appeal of

ASC TRUST, LLC,

Appellant

and

THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM RETIREMENT FUND

Purchasing Agency

AGENCY REPORT

Purchasing Agency, the Government of Guam Retirement Fund ("GGRF"), by and through its attorneys, Carlsmith Ball LLP, hereby submits its Agency Report, pursuant to 2 GAR Div. 4 § 12105:

AGENCY REPORT

Docket No. OPA-PA-25-007

- (a) A copy of the protest: Submitted to the Office of Public Accountability ("OPA") by GGRF in its Procurement Record filed herein. See GGRF PR000248 to GGRF PR000252.
- (b) A copy of the bid or offer submitted by the Appellant and a copy of the bid or offer that is being considered for award or whose bid or offer is being protested, if any has been submitted prior to the protest: Proposals submitted by offerors, including Appellant, are not available for public inspection because the Purchasing Agency has not completed evaluations of offerors and no award has been made. See 2 GAR Div. 4 § 3114(l) (Negotiation and Award of Contract); see also 2 GAR Div. 4 § 3114(h)(1) ("proposals of offerors who are not awarded the contract shall not be opened to public inspection").
- (c) A copy of the solicitation, including the specifications or portions thereof relevant to the protest: Submitted to the OPA by GGRF in its Procurement Record filed herein. See GGRF PR000156 to GGRF PR0000225; GGRF PR000231 to GGRF PR000241.
- (d) A copy of the abstract of bids or offers or relevant portions to the protest: Not applicable.
- (e) Any other documents which are relevant to the protest; including the contract, if one has been awarded, pertinent amendments, and plans and drawings: **Not applicable.**
- (f) The decision from which Appeal is taken, if different from the decision submitted by Appellant: Submitted to the OPA by GGRF in its Procurement Record filed herein. See GGRF PR000254 to GGRF PR000255 (not different from the decision submitted by Appellant).
- (g) A statement answering the allegation of the Appeal and setting forth findings, actions, and recommendations in the matter together with any additional evidence or information deemed necessary in determining the validity of the Appeal. The statement shall be fully responsive to the allegations of the Appeal: **Please see attached Agency Statement submitted concurrently herein.**
- (h) If award after receipt of the protest, the report will include the determination required under 2 GAR § 9101(e): Not applicable.
- (i) A statement in substantially the same format as Appendix B to this Chapter, indicating whether the matter is the subject of a court proceeding: **Submitted to OPA herein on May 14, 2025.**

In the Appeal of ASC Trust, LLC Office of Public Accountability Docket No. OPA-PA-25-007 GGRF Agency Report

Respectfully submitted this 15th day of May, 2025.

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