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GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Republic of Cabo Verde DIGITAL CABO VERDE PROJECT

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE Credit No. 6792-CV | Project ID No. P171099

The Government of Republic of Cabo Verde has received financing in the amount of US\$ twenty million dollars (\$20, 000 000) from the International Development Association (World Bank) toward the cost to facilitate the implementation of DIGITAL CABO VERDE PROJECT, designed to contribute to transforming Cabo Verde into a regional digital hub for accelerating its digital economy through and enhanced digital infrastructure and strengthened demand of digital services and skills.

The project will include the following components:

- Component 1: Enabling Legal and Regulatory Environment
- Component 2: Digital Competitiveness
- Component 3: Digital Public Services and Marketplaces
- Component 4: Project Implementation Support
- Component 5: Contingent emergency Response Component

The following major consulting services will be procured under the Project:

- TA to create a legal and regulatory framework allowing to test in real environment new technologies
- TA to strengthen regulatory tools for the ex-ante regulation on the wholesale and retail telecommunications markets
- Legal TA to support the implementation of the Cybersecurity Policy and Strategy
- TA to conduct technical, legal and financial audits of NOSi's legacy systems and infrastructure
- TA to develop a new Human Capital Strategy and Management Model/Human Resources system
- TA to support the implementation of Cabo Verde Telecom (CVT) repositioning
- TA to develop Digital Economy Strategy and Roadmap
- TA to prepare Cabo Verde Digital (CVD) action plan (2021-2026)
- TA to support the development of the "Code for All" program
- Single External Trade System – JUCE
- E-Embassy – Consulado Digital

- Cloud Blockchain Platform as a service (upgrading, PDEX, Open Data, IGRPWeb)
- e-ID – SNIAC consolidation
- Digital Governance plan
- Doing Business / Global Competitiveness Package (one stop shop)

The following major goods and non-consulting services will be procured under the project:

- Purchase of equipment and other supplies/materials for the implementation of 44 new Web Labs II
- Capacity Purchase for Education
- Broadband Capacity Purchase

Procurement of contracts financed by the World Bank will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the World Bank's *Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, dated July 2016 edition, revised on November 2017 and August 2018, and Bank's standard bidding documents*, and is open to all eligible firms and individuals as defined in the *Procurement Regulations*. After project negotiations, the World Bank shall arrange the publication on its external website of the agreed initial procurement plan and all subsequent updates once it has provided a no objection.

Specific procurement notices for contracts subject to open international competitive procurement will be announced, as they become available, in [UN Development Business](#), World Bank's external website, MF site www.mf.gov.cv, and in the newspaper of national circulation in the Borrower's country.

Interested eligible firms and individuals who would wish to be considered for the provision of goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services for the above mentioned project, or those requiring additional information, should contact the Borrower at the address below:

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