

The Public Procurement
and
Disposal of Public Assets
Guidelines

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Public Assets Act, 2003.*

Guideline Details:

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*Guidelines are distributed to all Accounting Officers who are responsible for
distributing copies of this Guideline to the Contracts Committee and members of the
Procurement and Disposal Unit of the Procuring and Disposing Entity.*

Guideline Subject: Thresholds for Procurement Methods

In accordance with Regulation 6 (4) of the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets (Rules and Methods for procurement of supplies, works and non- consultancy services) Regulations, 2014 and Regulation 6 of the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets (Procurement of Consultancy Services) Regulations, 2014, the following thresholds shall apply to the procurement methods detailed below:

1. Thresholds for Procurement of Works

- 1.1. **Open Domestic Bidding or Open International Bidding** shall be used if the estimated value of the works exceeds UGX 500,000,000.
- 1.2. **Restricted Domestic Bidding or Restricted International Bidding** shall be used if the estimated value of the works is greater than UGX 200,000,000 but does not exceed UGX 500,000,000.
- 1.3. **The Quotation Method** shall be used if the estimated value of the works is greater than UGX 10,000,000 but does not exceed UGX 200,000,000.
- 1.4. **Micro Procurement** shall be used if the estimated value of the works does not exceed UGX 10,000,000.

2. Thresholds for Procurement of Supplies and Non-Consultancy Services

- 2.1. **Open Domestic Bidding or Open International Bidding** shall be used if the estimated value of the supplies or the non consultancy services exceeds UGX 200,000,000.
- 2.2. **Restricted Domestic Bidding or Restricted International Bidding** shall be used if the estimated value of the supplies or the non consultancy services is greater than UGX 100,000,000 but does not exceed UGX 200,000,000.
- 2.3. **The Quotation Method or the Proposals Method** shall be used if the estimated value of the supplies or the non consultancy services is greater than UGX 5,000,000 but does not exceed UGX 100,000,000.
- 2.4. **Micro Procurement** shall be used if the estimated value of the supplies or the non consultancy services does not exceed UGX 5,000,000.

3. Thresholds for Procurement of Consultancy Services

- 3.1. In accordance with section 88A (7), the Fourth Schedule of the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets Act, 2003, and Regulation 6 of the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets (Procurement of Consultancy Services) Regulations 2014, the following thresholds shall apply to the procurement methods detailed below:

3.2. For Procurement from consultancy firms:

3.2.1. Publication of a notice inviting expression of interest and developing a shortlist shall be used if the estimated value of the consultancy services exceeds UGX 200,000,000.

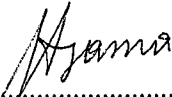
3.2.2. Short listing without publication of expression of interest shall be used if the estimated value of the consultancy services does not exceed UGX 200,000,000.

3.3. For Procurement of individual consultants:

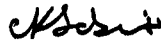
3.3.1. Publication of a notice inviting expression of interest and developing a shortlist shall be used if the estimated value of the consultancy services exceeds UGX 50,000,000.

3.3.2. Short listing without publication of expression of interest shall be used if the estimated value of the consultancy services does not exceed UGX 50,000,000.

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Chairman of the Board of Directors



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Executive Director