



ZAMBIA PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AUTHORITY

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL

Our Ref:

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CIRCULAR No. 3 of 2023

23rd January, 2023

To: All Permanent Secretaries
All Chief Executives of Parastatal and Statutory Bodies
All Town Clerks and Council Secretaries of Local Authorities

RE: SUSPENSION OF AVERY HILLS ENTERPRISES LIMITED FROM PARTICIPATING IN PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

In exercise of the powers vested in the Zambia Public Procurement Authority by sections 95 and 96 of the Public Procurement Act No.8 of 2020, be advised that Avery Hills Enterprises Limited situated at Plot No.09 Kasumpe Road, Woodlands, P.O. Box 50937, Lusaka has been suspended from participating in public procurement in Zambia for a period of one (1) year with effect from the date of this Circular for failure to submit a performance security and non-performance of contractual obligations.

You are therefore, expected to enforce this suspension by ensuring that you do not:

- (i) Award contracts to Avery Hills Enterprises Limited;
- (ii) Sale or issue solicitation documents to Avery Hills Enterprises or any other way invite bids from the company; and
- (iii) Enter into any other dealings or communications with Avery Hills Enterprises Limited except in respect of existing contracts placed prior to this suspension.

The suspension includes any "successor in interest" including any entity which employs, or is associated with any partners, directors or other officers considered as successors in interest.

Please note that the suspension does not in any way prevent Avery Hills Enterprises Limited from performing outstanding contracts that were entered into before the date of this Circular. Procuring entities shall not enter into any new contracts with the company after the date of this Circular and during the period the suspension is in force.

All addressees are urged to ensure that the contents of this Circular are brought to the attention of all staff under their supervision.



Idah C. Chella (Mrs.)
DIRECTOR GENERAL

cc: Secretary to the Cabinet
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The Secretary to Treasury
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