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CIRCULAR No. 26 of 2024

8th November, 2024

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

RE: **SUSPENSION OF A SUPPLIER FOR NON-DELIVERY OF METALLIC CABINET-MEGWU GENERAL DEALERS**

In exercise of the powers contained in section 95 of the Public Procurement Act, No. 8 of 2020 as amended by the Public Procurement Amendment Act No. 17 of 2023 and regulation 230 of the Public Procurement Regulations, 2022, be advised that Megwu General Dealers of Mansa P.O. Box 710 Luapula, Zambia has been suspended from participating in public procurement in Zambia for a period of Two (2) years with effect from the date of this Circular for non-performance or under performance of its contractual obligations in the tender for procurement of three (3No.) metallic filling cabinets by the Luapula provincial Administration.


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

1. award contracts to Megwu General Dealers;
2. sell or issue solicitation documents to General General Dealers or in any way invite bids from them; and
3. enter into any other dealings or communications with Megwu General Dealers except in respect of existing contracts placed prior to this suspension.

This 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.

Be advised that the suspension does not in any way limit Megwu General Dealers from performing outstanding contracts that were entered into before the date of this Circular. Procuring Entities shall not enter into any new contracts with Megwu General Dealers 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 implemented and brought to the attention of all staff under their supervision.



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