



PROVINCIAL TREASURY

NATIONAL CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE

BACKGROUND

The National Treasury identified the registration by prospective service providers on each and every organs of state's individual list of prospective suppliersⁱ as one of the processes that makes it difficult to do business with the state.

The National Treasury decided to establish and administer the NCSD on behalf of all Departments, Constitutional institutions and Public entities listed in Schedule 2 and 3 of the PFMA to avoid the multiple registrations by prospective suppliers with each organ of state they intend doing business with.

The NCSD is a web application where institutionsⁱⁱ are required to source quotations from a list of prospective suppliers and verify key information.

ESTABLISHMENT OF CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE

In order to give effect to the mandatory requirements of this instruction:

Accounting Officers and Accounting Authorities are required to invite and accept price quotations from a list of prospective suppliers listed on the NCSD; and

Verify prospective suppliers' key information on the NCSD.

If it is not possible to obtain price quotations from the list of prospective suppliers listed on the NCSD, the reasons should be recorded and approved by the accounting officer / authority or his / her delegate.

From 1 April 2016, institutions may not award any bid to a supplier who is not registered on the NCSD.

It is therefore against this background, that we request a free slot on your station to talk to communities about the coming workshop where the whole issue will be ironed out.

Details of the workshop are as follows:

Date: 14 March-15 March 2016

Venue: Bolivia Lodge

Time: 08h00

For more information, you are requested to contact

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