GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Cape Verde

Technology Park Project

Project ID No: P-C-V-G00-002 Loan No.: 2000130010633 Sector: Information and Communication Technology (ICT)

1. The Cape Verde has received a loan from the African Development Bank to finance the Technology Park.

2. The principal objectives of this project are :

- Empowering the development, visibility and distribution of e-governance services by promoting mobile solutions and services for diverse business areas;
- Fostering an ecosystem of technology-based innovation and entrepreneurship;
- Establishing partnerships with key international players in the sector;
- Attracting foreign direct investment for ICT-based services; and
- Encouraging ICT training for domestic human resources.

3. The project includes the following components :

- **Component 1:** Construction and equipping of DC and BCP: This component will support: (i) construction of a Data Centre (DC) and Business Continuity Plan (BCP) site and (ii) IT and energy equipment for the DC and BCP site.
- Component 2: Construction and equipping of BC, IC and TQC: The component will support: (i) construction of a Business and Common facilities (BC) Centre and supply of IT and office equipment; (ii) construction of (IC) Incubation, supply of IT and office equipment (iii) construction of Training and Qualification (TQC); supply of IT and office equipment.
- **Component 3:** Institutional Strengthening and Capacity building/training: Technical Assistance Real-Estate Management, Event Management, Financial Management, Procurement, Incubation process, Marketing Data Center; and specialized training.
- **Component 4:** Project management: The Component will include detailed architectural & engineering design of the Tech Park, Supervision of works and annual auditing during the entire project duration.

4. Procurement of International Competitive Bidding contracts and Consulting Services for the Project will be carried out in accordance with the Bank's Rules and Procedures for Procurement

of Goods and Works (May 2008 Edition, Revised July 2012); and The Rules and Procedures for the Use of Consultants (May 2008 Edition, revised July 2012), using the relevant Bank Standard Bidding Documents. Procurement of National Competitive Bidding contracts will be carried out in accordance with the national procurement law, Law No. 17/VII/2007 dated September 10, 2007 and updated on January 5, 2009, using the National Standard Bidding Documents.

5. Procurement under the Project will include e works, goods and consultancy services. Works will be procured under ICB and NCB. Procurement of goods will be carried out using ICB, NCB and Shopping. In addition, acquisition of Consultancy Services shall be conducted competitively by shortlisting using Quality Cost Based Selection and Least Cost Selection.

Bidding documents are expected to be available on January 2014.

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6. Interested bidders may obtain further information, and should confirm their interest, by contacting

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