

## PROCUREMENT PLAN (Textual Part)

**Project information:** *Ethiopia, Digital Ethiopia (P171034)*

**Project Implementation agency:** *Ministry of Finance and Economic Cooperation, Channel One Project Coordination Directorate*

**Date of the Procurement Plan:** *September 2019*

**Period covered by this Procurement Plan:** *from September 2019 to June 2020*

### Preamble

In accordance with paragraph 5.9 of the “World Bank Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” (July 2016) (“Procurement Regulations”) the Bank’s Systematic Tracking and Exchanges in Procurement (STEP) system will be used to prepare, clear and update Procurement Plans and conduct all procurement transactions for the Project.

This textual part along with the Procurement Plan tables in STEP constitute the Procurement Plan for the Project. The following conditions apply to all procurement activities in the Procurement Plan. The other elements of the Procurement Plan as required under paragraph 4.4 of the Procurement Regulations are set forth in STEP.

***The Bank’s Standard Procurement Documents:*** shall be used for all contracts subject to international competitive procurement and those contracts as specified in the Procurement Plan tables in STEP.

**National Procurement Arrangements:** In accordance with paragraph 5.3 of the Procurement Regulations, when approaching the national market (as specified in the Procurement Plan tables in STEP), the country’s own procurement procedures may be used.

When the Borrower uses its own national open competitive procurement arrangements as set forth in ***Section 33(1)(a) from 35-48 of the Proclamation Number 649/2009 of the Ethiopian Federal Government Procurement and Property Administration Proclamation*** such arrangements shall be subject to paragraph 5.4 of the Procurement Regulations and the following conditions.

- *Open Advertising of the procurement opportunity at the national level;*
- *The procurement is open to eligible firms from any country;*

- *The request for bids/Proposal documents shall require that bidders/proposers submitting Bids/Proposal present a signed acceptance at the time of bidding, to be incorporated in any resulting contracts, confirming application of and compliance with the Bank's Anti-Corruption Guidelines, including without limitation the bank's right to sanction and the Bank's inspection and audit right;*
- *Contracts with an appropriate allocation of responsibilities, risks and liabilities;*
- *Application of Standstill period and Publication of contract award information;*
- *Maintenance of records of the procurement process; and*
- *The Bank has the right to review procurement documentation and activities.*

When other national procurement arrangements other than national open competitive procurement arrangements are applied by the Borrower, such arrangements shall be subject to paragraph 5.5 of the Procurement Regulations.

**PROCUREMENT PLAN Ethiopia : Ethiopia Digital Foundations Project**

**General Information**

Country: Ethiopia Bank's Approval Date of the Original Procurement Plan: 2021-05-19  
 Revised Plan Date(s): (comma delineated, leave blank if non 2021-06-28  
 Project ID: P171034 GPN Date:  
 Project Name: Ethiopia Digital Foundations Project  
 Loan / Credit No: IDA / 68560  
 Executing Agency(ies) Ministry of Innovation and Technology

Activity Reference No. / Description	Loan / Credit No.	Component	Review Type	Method	Market Approach	Procurement Process	Prequalification (Y/N)	High SEA/SH Risk	Procurement Document Type	Actual Amount (US\$)	Process Status	Draft Pre-qualification Documents		Prequalification Evaluation Report		Draft Bidding Document / Justification		Specific Procurement Notice / Invitation		Bidding Documents as Issued		Proposal Submission / Opening / Minutes		Bid Evaluation Report and Recommendation for Award		Signed Contract		Contract Completion	
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MINT/DE/ICB/NC-01/21 / Provision of connectivity services and value-added services to EthernNet (Research and Education Network of Ethiopia), through membership of EU AfricaConnect 3 program	IDA / 68560	2. Digital government and connectivity	Post	Direct Selection	Direct			0.00	Pending Implementation					2021-08-23		2021-08-28									2021-10-02		2022-03-31		

Activity Reference No. / Description	Loan / Credit No.	Component	Review Type	Method	Market Approach	Contract Type	Actual Amount (US\$)	Process Status	Terms of Reference		Expression of Interest Notice		Short List and Draft Request for Proposals		Request for Proposals as Issued		Opening of Technical Proposals / Minutes		Evaluation of Technical Proposal		Combined Evaluation Report and Draft Negotiated Contract		Signed Contract		Contract Completion			
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MINT/DE/QCBS/C-14/21 / Support to the government through technical assistance for establishing an internet Exchange	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-22/21 / Assisting ECA to issue further class licenses and authorizations in specific market segments, including broadcasting	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-20/21 / Assisting ECA with ensuring that Ethio Telecom implements a functional separation	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-21/21 / Assisting ECA in its role of monitoring market development, including setting up an ICT indicators unit, and training staff in data collection and analysis	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-15/21 / Consultancy Services for Developing Universal Service Fund (USF)	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-18/21 / Data collection and study on gender disparities in the sector	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - National		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-01/21 / Consultancy Services for Portal Design	IDA / 68560	2. Digital government and connectivity	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-02/21 / Consultancy Services for Developing online transaction systems for Ministry-1	IDA / 68560	2. Digital government and connectivity	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-03/21 / Consultancy Services for Developing online transaction systems for Ministry-2	IDA / 68560	2. Digital government and connectivity	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-04/21 / Consultancy Services for Developing online transaction systems for Ministry-3	IDA / 68560	2. Digital government and connectivity	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		
MINT/DE/QCBS/C-11/21 / Consultancy Services for Gap Analysis Study of Government Bandwidth Needs	IDA / 68560	2. Digital government and connectivity	Prior	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - International		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18					2021-10-16		2021-11-15		2021-12-20		2022-01-24		2023-01-24		

MINT/DE/QCBS/C-17/21 / Technical assistance for establishment of legal framework for data protection and digital ID	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Quality And Cost-Based Selection	Open - National			0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-08-05		2021-09-18				2021-10-16	2021-11-15	2021-12-20		2022-01-24	2023-01-24
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**INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS**

Activity Reference No. / Description	Loan / Credit No.	Component	Review Type	Method	Market Approach	Contract Type	Actual Amount (US\$)	Process Status	Teams of Reference		Invitation to Identified/Selected Consultant		Draft Negotiated Contract		Signed Contract		Contract Completion						
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ET-MINT-234123-CS-INDV / Finance Officer positions for the Ethiopian Education and Research Network (ETHERNet) to work under MOE reporting to PIU for 18 months duration, subject to renewal based on performance. The estimated budget is for the 18 months. Full time position.	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-13	2021-05-25	2021-07-01		2021-07-22		2021-08-26		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-234135-CS-INDV / IT Project Manager positions to work under PIU initially for 18 months duration, subject to renewal based on performance. The estimated budget is for the 18 months. Full time position.	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-13	2021-05-26	2021-07-01		2021-07-22		2021-08-26		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-234179-CS-INDV / Contract Management Specialist is to work under the PIU handling the overall project. To be contracted for 18 months subject to renewal based on the performance of the consultant. The estimated budget is only for the 18 months. Full time position.	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Prior	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-13	2021-06-11	2021-07-01		2021-07-22		2021-08-26		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-233870-CS-INDV / Procurement Specialist	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Prior	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-25	2021-06-10	2021-06-16		2021-06-23		2021-07-07		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-233864-CS-INDV / PIU Manager	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Limited		67,369.19	Under Implementation	2021-05-26	2021-05-26	2021-06-05	2021-06-01	2021-06-12	2021-06-14	2021-06-26		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-234125-CS-INDV / Environmental Safeguards Specialist	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-26	2021-05-26	2021-06-17		2021-06-24		2021-07-08		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-234131-CS-INDV / M&E Specialist	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-26	2021-05-26	2021-06-17		2021-06-24		2021-07-08		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-233871-CS-INDV / Financial Management Specialist	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-26	2021-05-26	2021-06-17		2021-06-24		2021-07-08		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-234130-CS-INDV / Social Safeguards Specialist	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-26	2021-05-26	2021-06-17		2021-06-24		2021-07-08		2022-11-30						
ET-MINT-234133-CS-INDV / Finance Officer positions to work under PIU initially for 18 months duration, subject to renewal based on performance. The estimated budget is for the 18 months. Full time position.	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Under Implementation	2021-05-25	2021-05-26	2021-06-14		2021-06-19		2021-06-29		2022-10-25						
MINT/DE/J/C-61/21 / Website Developer for the Digital Foundation Project and support for one year	IDA / 68560	4. Project management	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Limited		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-06-30		2021-07-05		2021-07-26		2021-08-30		2022-02-26						
MINT/DE/J/C-29/21 / Developing a communications plan, for the wider telecoms reform process and especially for the privatization	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Prior	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-09-02		2021-09-23		2021-10-28		2022-04-26						
MINT/DE/J/C-35/21 / Creating a Dispute Resolution Mechanism	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-09-02		2021-09-23		2021-10-28		2022-04-26						
MINT/DE/J/C-32/21 / Developing Guidelines on Data Protection	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-09-02		2021-09-23		2021-10-28		2022-04-26						
MINT/DE/J/C-33/21 / Developing Guidelines on Cybersecurity and Privacy	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-09-02		2021-09-23		2021-10-28		2022-04-26						
MINT/DE/J/C-34/21 / Developing Regulators to Support the Development of eCommerce	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-09-02		2021-09-23		2021-10-28		2022-04-26						
MINT/DE/J/C-37/21 / Development of bid documents for Sub Component 2 (Connecting Targeted Public Institutions to Broadband)	IDA / 68560	2. Digital government and connectivity	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2021-07-15		2021-09-02		2021-09-23		2021-10-28		2022-04-26						

MINT/DE/IC/C-50/22 / Individual Consultant for Digital ID for determination of significant market power (Int. lawyer)	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2022-01-10		2022-02-28		2022-03-21		2022-04-25		2023-07-30
MINT/DE/IC/C-51/22 / Individual Consultant for Digital ID for determination of significant market power (Int.Economist)	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2022-01-10		2022-02-28		2022-03-21		2022-04-25		2023-07-30
MINT/DE/IC/C-52/22 / Individual Consultant for Digital ID for determination of significant market power (local market researcher)	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2022-01-10		2022-02-28		2022-03-21		2022-04-25		2023-07-30
MINT/DE/IC/C-53/22 / Individual Consultant for Digital ID for determination of significant market power (local IC specialist)	IDA / 68560	1. Digital economy, enabling legal and regulatory environment	Post	Individual Consultant Selection	Open		0.00	Pending Implementation	2022-01-10		2022-02-28		2022-03-21		2022-04-25		2023-07-30