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Sir/Madam,

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

## FAKE TENDERS INTENDED TO DEFRAUD POTENTIAL BIDDERS

The Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Board (PPADB) is concerned about the recent fake circulating tenders intended to defraud potential bidders, which are purported to be originating from PPADB. One such fake tender is entitled, "ITT 15 DUAL ALCOHOL SENSOR MEASURING DEVICES PR-PPADB-072".

The Board would like to advise bidders to always be careful and confirm the authenticity of tenders with relevant entities such as PPADB, Procuring Entities, Ministerial Tender Committees or District Administration Committees before committing their time and resources to respond to tenders.

Please note that parastatals normally place their notices in the local media such as the Dailynews and private media. Government's formal tenders are mainly published in the Government Gazette and in the Dailynews. In addition, Tender notices and procurement plans from different Procuring Entities are published in the PPADB website and the Integrated Procurement

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Management System (IPMS) portal. These platforms can also assist in verifying the authenticity of any tender notice.

Please contact the Public Relations and Education Office at 3602014/17 for any clarification on the matter.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,

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