

## MINISTRY OF FINANCE, ECONOMIC PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT Procurement Policy Office

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## Circular No. 06 of 2024

From: Procurement Policy Office

To: Heads of Public Bodies

## Permanent Archival of Invitation for Bids (IFBs) created prior to 1st July 2022

- 1. Refer to Circular No. 04 of 2024 regarding the archival of Invitation for Bids (IFBs)
- 2. The Procurement Policy Office will proceed with the permanent archival of Invitation for Bids(IFBs) created on the e-PS prior to 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022 and the procurement process cannot be continued on the e-Procurement system (e-Ps).
- 3. These data include bid data, bid evaluation reports, bidding documents, addenda, executive summary reports, procurement plans and notice of awards.
- 4. Public Bodies are hereby informed that the data will be archived and in case a public body feels that the data for any IFB has to be excluded from being permanently archived, they have to urgently inform PPO at latest by 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024.
- 5. After 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024, excluding archived data will not be possible.
- 6. In case no list of IFBs is provided by a public body to the Procurement Policy Office, it will be considered that all IFBs prior to 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022 could be archived.
- 7. After the 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024, public bodies willing to access the archived data must formally request by email the Procurement Policy Office (pposecretariat@govmu.org) for assistance.

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