## PROCUREMENT POLICY OFFICE

## Directive No. 50

(Issued Pursuant to Section 7 of the Public Procurement Act 2006)

## **Ensuring minimum domestic content of 30 percent in purchases of goods**

- 1. As announced in the budget speech 2020/2021, public bodies are required to have a minimum domestic content of 30 percent in their purchases of goods, wherever possible. The target shall be measured as a percentage of the value of locally manufactured goods out of the total amount spent for the procurement of goods by a public body during a financial year.
- 2. For the successful implementation of this measure, public bodies shall ensure that the Margins of Preference to locally manufactured goods, as stipulated in Directive 49, are strictly applied in all procurements and submit a return to this Office on a quarterly basis electronically on the template available on the PPO website (ppo.govmu.org).
- 3. This Directive takes effect as from 22 October 2020.

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