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Government of Benin MCA-BENIN REGIONAL

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE (GPN)

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The United States of America, acting through the Millennium Challenge Corporation ("MCC"), and the Government of Benin (the "Government"), signed on **December 14, 2022,** a grant agreement (« Compact ») to support regional economic integration. The Compact, covers an amount of **two hundred two million (US\$202,000,000) US Dollars** (« MCC Funds »), as well as a contribution from the Government of Benin of **two hundred and three million nine hundred and fifty-one thousand four hundred and forty-six (US\$203,951,446) US Dollars**, aiming at reducing poverty through economic growth in Benin.

The Government has designated MCA-Benin Regional to implement the Government's responsibilities under the Agreement and intends to apply parts of the funds to payments for contracts for Goods, Works and Services.

Procurements for 1st October 2024 to 30th September 2025 Estimated Value of Contracts – USD\$ 585 917

The procurement program for the twelve (12) months period will include the following:

PROCUREMENT OF CONSULTANT SERVICES (Firms)

Program Administration and Control

0001 Health insurance for the benefit of MCA-Benin Regional staff

0002 Procurement of External Legal Counsel

PROCUREMENT OF CONSULTANT SERVICES (Individual Consultants)

0003 Recruitment of an insurance Expert to support MCA-Benin Regional in Corporate Health and Life Insurance procurement process

PROCUREMENT OF GOODS

Program Administration and Control

0004 Acquisition of audiovisual equipment

- 0005 Acquisition of a server for the compact archives
- 0006 Acquisition of IP telephone handsets
- 0007 Acquisition of toners (ink) for printers
- 0008 Supply and installation of IT software

0009 Acquisition of office furniture for MCA-Benin Regional

PROCUREMENT OF NON-CONSULTANT SERVICES

Program Administration and Control

0010 Recruitment of a press agency and development of communication tools

0011 Maintenance of security access control and patrol system

Updated GPNs shall be published as new procurements are added.

Contracts for Goods, Works and Services financed under the program will be implemented according to the principles, rules and procedures set out in the MCC Procurement Policy and Guidelines (PPG) which can be accessed on www.mcc.gov/ppg. The Procurement is open to all offerors from eligible source countries as defined in the MCC PPG.

Specific procurement notices for contracts to be tendered under competitive bidding procedures will be announced, as they become available, on MCA-Benin Regional website (www.ucfbenin.bj), United Nations Development Business (UNDB: http://www.devbusiness.com), Development Gateway Market (dgMarket: http://www.dgmarket.com), in local newspapers, and other media outlets as appropriate.

Interested eligible offerors who wish to be included on the mailing list to receive a copy of advertisements, or those requiring additional information should send an email to the Procurement Agent at ckpinfobenin@charleskendall.com with copy to vrotaru@charleskendall.com using as subject the General Procurement Notice and indicating which of the procurement items they are interested in.

Those requiring additional information should contact:

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