

Republic of Liberia

Public Procurement & Concessions Commission



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Hon. Decontee T. King-Sackie

ACTING COMMISSIONER-GENERAL

Liberia Revenue Authority Republic of Liberia

Your ref: LRA/DKS-DCGTA/cgkh/9-364/19

Dear Hon. King-Sackie:

Subject: NOTIFICATION OF INTEND TO AWARD FRAMWEWORK CONTRACT TO

SODJATT GUARD SECURITY SERVICES FOR THE PROVISION OF SECURITY

GUARD SERVICES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019/2020

We present our compliments and wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter referenced above, and accompanying documents, which sought the approval of the Commission for the Liberia Revenue Authority (LRA) to award contract to Sodjatt Guard Security Services (SOGSS) for the provision of security guard services (the "Services") for a monthly amount not to exceed at an estimated cost of fifteen thousand five hundred seventy United States Dollars (US15,570.00).

The Commission notes your assertions and wishes to inform you that the intent of the Liberia Revenue Authority is in compliance with the PPCA, 2010, and thus advises that the LRA proceed to sign a framework agreement with the selected bidder for the provision of the service as indicated above. We ask that you kindly forward a signed copy, so as to update our records.

Meanwhile, it was observed that the LRA did not seek the Commission's No Objection prior to informing bidders about the outcome of the evaluation process; such premature release of said information could serve as grounds for litigation were the Commission to find reasons not to approve the request to award contract. The Commission therefore advises that for future procurement activities, the LRA should obtain "no objection" from the Commission prior to transmitting Notification of Contract Award" and "Regret Notification" to bidders.

The Public Procurement and Concessions Commission admonishes and deems it a priority that remain primarily in compliance with the PPCA, 2010, as we jointly aspire to achieve Transparency, Accountability, Fairness, Equality and ultimately public confidence in our procurement and concessions processes.

Best regards.

Yours sincere

Jargbe Roseline Nigbe Kowo (Atty CHIET EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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