

MALAWI MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT (MMD)

PUBLICATION OF THE AWARD OF CONTRACT NO. 005 (June 2024)

The Government of the Republic of Malawi (the "Government") acting through the Ministry of Finance and the Government of the United States of America through the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC), signed a Compact Development Funding (CDF) Grant Agreement dated May 22, 2020, as amended or otherwise modified from time to time (the "CDF Agreement"), pursuant to which MCC agreed to provide a grant of up to US\$11,650,000 under the authority of Section 609(g) of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003, as amended (the "Act"), to facilitate the development of a Compact between the United States of America and the Government of Malawi to help accelerate economic growth and poverty reduction in Malawi; and

A Compact dated September 28, 2022, as amended or otherwise modified from time to time under which MCC agreed to provide a grant of US\$350,000,000 to the Government of Malawi to support the execution of a number of preparatory activities leading to Entry Into Force of the Compact and thereafter, to fund the implementation of the various activities under the Compact.

The compact has three projects: 1) the Accelerated Growth Corridors Project (AGC) will focus on reducing the costs of transport in targeted rural areas; 2) the Increased Land Productivity Project will focus on improving land services, strengthening conditions for increased investment in land and better functioning land markets, including in Malawi's largest cities; and (3) the American Catalyst Facility for Development Project to facilitate U.S. International Development Finance Corporation (DFC) investment in Malawi to catalyse increased private investment.

In addition to these, there are the Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) and the Program Management & Administration components.

In compliance with Section 5, Subsection 5.5.3 of the governing Accountable Entity Procurement Policy & Guidelines, we hereby publish the following Award of Contracts.

1. PROGRAM MANAGEMENT & ADMINISTRATION

l .1	Activity Name	Program Administration
	Procurement Process Ref. No.:	M112744000
	Proc. Type & Method	Goods/Shopping
	Contract Title	Supply and Delivery of Communication Materials
	Name of the Winning Offeror	First Mark and Advertising and Marketing
	Contract Price	MWK 25,455,000.00
	Date of Contract Signature	30 th May, 2024
	Duration	Four (4) Days
	Summary of Scope of Contract	Supply and Delivery of communication materials.

1.2	Activity Name	Program Administration
	Procurement Process Ref. No.:	M483770000
	Proc. Type & Method	Goods/Shopping
	Contract Title	Supply and Delivery of Kitchen Equipment and Accessories
	Name of the Winning Offeror	Blockbuster
	Contract Price	MWK 7,600,913.15
	Date of Contract Signature	14 th June,2024
	Duration	One (1) Week
	Summary of Scope of Contract	Supply and Delivery of Kitchen Equipment, Electronics, Cutlery and Utensils

Contracts for Goods, Works, and Services financed under the MCC Compact Funding will be implemented according to the principles, rules and procedures set out in the Accountable Entity Procurement Policy & Guidelines and amendments thereto. These Procurements will be open to all Offerors from any eligible source country as defined in the said Guidelines which may be downloaded from the MCC website (www.mcc.gov/ppg).

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Specific Procurement Notices inviting Bids under "the Competitive Bidding Method" and Selection of Consultants under the "Request for Proposals" method will be announced, as and when they become available, in local newspapers, on the MMD Website (<u>http://www.mmd-malawi.org</u>), the Development Gateway Market (dgMarket) website <u>http://www.dgmarket.com/</u>) and the UN Development Business Online (UNDB) website (<u>http://www.devbusiness.com/</u>) for the procurements.

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