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The Chief Budget Manager (All)

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Dear Madam / Sir,

Subject: Using straw panels made by “Strawtec Building Solutions Ltd” for internal walls and partitionings

Article 79 of the law n° 62/2018 of 25/08/2018 governing public procurement provides for exclusive preference for goods produced in Rwanda, while article 80 of the same law provides for 15 % local preference for the same goods. A ministerial order will determine the thresholds for exclusive preference.

In order to support “Made in Rwanda Policy” through public procurement, RPPA has been working with RHA to establish modalities by which building materials produced in Rwanda by “Strawtec Building Solutions Ltd” can be used by government institutions. In this regard, building materials produced by this company have been confirmed by both RHA and RSB as suitable.

Therefore, in the same line of supporting made in Rwanda through public procurement, and as we wait the adoption of the ministerial order establishing thresholds for exclusive preference, I would like to advise you to request RPPA authorization to award, by single source method, any tender for internal walls and partitionings to “Strawtec Building Solutions Ltd” for use of its materials produced in Rwanda.

Rwanda Housing Authority will negotiate with “Strawtec Building Solutions Ltd” prices for the supply and installation of internal walls and partitionings including necessary materials not produced by the company like glasses etc and transport for areas far from Kigali.

By copy of this letter, RHA is requested to start price negotiations with “Strawtec Building Solutions Ltd”.

Yours Sincerely,



SEMINEGA Augustus
Director General

Cc:

- Honorable Minister of Finance and Economic Planning
- Director General Rwanda Housing Authority
- Strawtec Building Solutions Ltd