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Procurement Regulations Laid in Parliament by Minister Imbert

The Minister of Finance, Honourable Colm Imbert, MP, today laid in the House of Representatives a package of Regulations required to operationalize the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property Act.

The legislative package consists of a total of ten (10) individual Regulations as follows:

1. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Challenge Proceedings) Regulations;
2. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Ineligibility Proceedings) Regulations;
3. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Participation in Procurement) Regulations;
4. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Pre-qualification and Pre-selection) Regulations;
5. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Evaluation) Regulations;
6. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Procurement Methods and Procedures) Regulations;

7. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Procurement of Consultants) Regulations;
8. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Record of Procurement Proceedings) Regulations;
9. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Retention of Public Property and Disposal of Personal Property) Regulations; and
10. The Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Miscellaneous) Regulations.

The above Regulations are subject to the affirmative resolution of the Parliament and will come into effect only when approved by both Houses.

The Government proposes to debate these Regulations later in the year, since the Parliament is due to go on its annual fixed recess from Friday July 9, 2021 to Friday September 3, 2021.

In the interim, the Regulations will be posted on the Parliament's website from today for public information and comment. All interested persons are invited to download copies of the regulations and, should they so desire, submit comments to the following email address: parl101@tparliament.org.

The Regulations will also be available on the website of the Ministry of Finance at <https://www.finance.gov.tt> and comments may thus also be submitted to the Ministry of Finance at e-mail address: procurement.finance@gov.tt

The opportunity is also being given to the Office of Procurement Regulation to further review the Regulations and propose amendments before they are subject to affirmative resolution later in the year.

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Minister of Finance