

## Electronic Government Procurement (e-GP) System

## **STRENGTHENING e-GP IMPLEMENTATION DURING COVID**

## THE BHUTAN EXPERIENCE

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## **Overview on e-GP system**







Objectives

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- Efficiency
- Wider Competition among bidder
- Fair and equal treatment to bidders
- Transparency in the procurement procedures
- Uniformity
- Accountability
- Value for money





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New Edge Technologies Pvt. Ltd Local Partner, Data Center Management, System Maintenance, Help Desk and Support





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### Modules

Phase I	Phase II	Phase III
Registration	Grievance Redressal/Complaints	eGP under Donor funded Projects
Annual Procurement Plan	System Integration	Contract Management
Tendering	Enhancement to Registration	Purchase Order
Debarment	Enhancement to Reporting	Reverse Auction
Admin	Tendering Evaluation	System Integration
Reporting		Integration to e-Payment, e-invoice and works CMS
Business process Re- engineering		Reporting





Phase I -21 June 2017

**Phase II - 7 July 2020** 

## Data as of 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2021

- PA Offices : **150**
- Integrated Agencies 7
- PA offices floating at least one tender : 122
- Financial Institutions : 9
- Financial Institution Branches: 105
- Bidders Participated in at least one Tender : 4042
- Number of Tenders invited from June, 2017 to Nov, 2021 : 6208
- Total Value of Procurement : Nu.3189 Million

### **Users**

- Financial Institution Users 440
- Registered Bidders 4567
- Admin Users 198

http://www.egp.gov.bt/



### Electronic Government Procurement (e-GP) System

Strengthening e-GP system Implementation in Bhutan during COVID



Training





Work from Home



**Changes in the Rules & Regulations** 



Help Desk Support





Strategies





### **Procuring Agencies**

• 98

Bidders

· 130



Work From Home During Lock Down

- Discussions & Meetings
- Help Desk Support
- Trainings

#### Strategies



PMDD



Strategies

Change in Rules and Regulations



### **Simplified Procurement Rules and Regulations**

- Reduction in procurement process timelines
  - Increase in Procurement Thresholds

#### Help Desk Support



- Increased number of Help Desk Personnel
- Enabled text and email clarification and guidance
- Around the clock help







# **THANK YOU**

