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TO: ACCOUNTING OFFICERS

**INVITATION TO A TWO-DAY PUBLIC PROCUREMENT SUMMIT 18-19 NOVEMBER 2026,
ZIMBABWE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION CENTRE - BULAWAYO.**

As the Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe (PRAZ) continues to enhance the electronic Government Procurement (e-GP) system in line with the recommendations of the Methodology for Assessing Procurement Systems (MAPS), the Authority will convene a **Public Procurement Summit on e-GP Enhancements** in Bulawayo from **18-19 November 2026**.

The Summit will be held under the theme **“Public Procurement Oversight in the Digital Era”** and is intended to strengthen the capacity of procurement process reviewers to effectively oversee public procurement processes and systems in an increasingly digital procurement environment.

Discussions will focus on the following sub-themes:

1. **Governance, Accountability and Transparency in Public Procurement**
2. **Digital Transformation and E-Government Procurement Systems**
3. **Detecting and Preventing Fraud and Corruption Procurement**
4. **Data Analytics and Technology-Driven Procurement Audits**
5. **Emerging Trends- Sustainable, Green and Innovative Procurement**

This high-level engagement will bring together key public sector stakeholders, including external and internal auditors, ICT and Risk Officials, Monitoring and Evaluation Specialists, Compliance Officers, Finance Specialists, Commercial Crime Investigators and Development Partner Representatives.

Participants will have the opportunity to:

- Explore enhancements of the e-GP system.
- Strengthen auditors' understanding of procurement governance frameworks.
- Share practical approaches to auditing e-Government procurement systems.
- Discuss fraud prevention, detection, and investigation in procurement.
- Promote the use of technology and data analytics in procurement audits.
- Facilitate collaboration among auditors, finance, procurement professionals, regulators, and oversight institutions.
- Bridge the gap between procurement planning and budgeting.
- Gain Insights into the **PROCUREMENT CIRCULAR/ 2026**.

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All participants are required to complete their reservations, registration, invoice downloads, and proof of payment uploads via <https://workshop.praz.org.zw>

Please note that summit fees cover conferencing teas, lunch, and conference materials only. Kindly ensure that the names of delegates attending the summit are registered on the same portal.

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We look forward to your participation in this important engagement.



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