

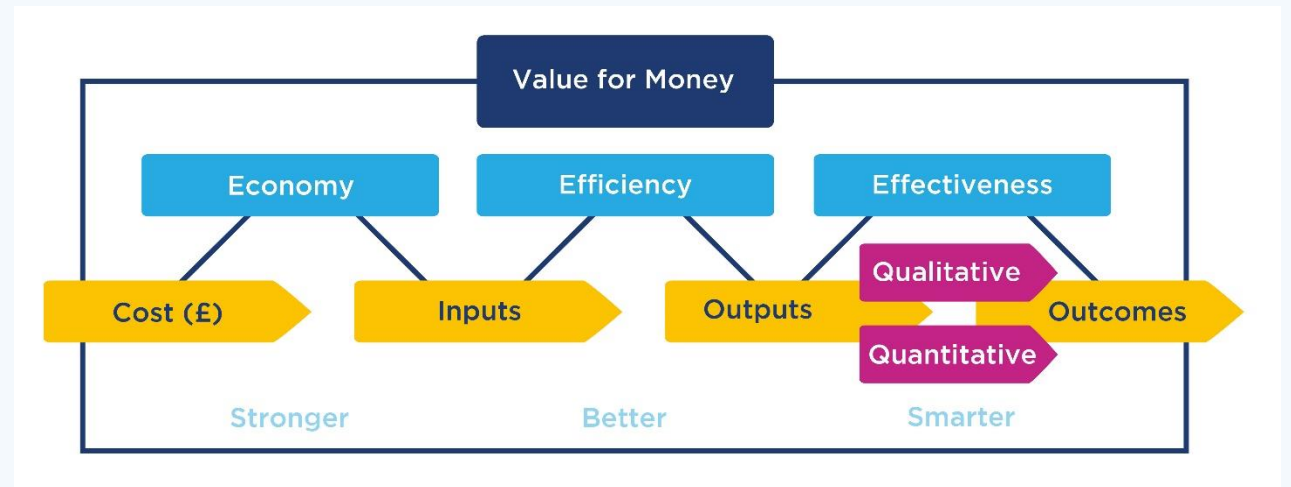
Benefits of a well-functioning public procurement system

- Value for Money – VFM
- Increased efficiency & effectiveness
- Less corruption
- Trust with the public & donors
- Domestic supplier development – MSME
- Better public services



Ambitions

- *Clear and concise rules*
 - *Good structure*
- *Less complicated*
- *Efficient Public Procurement*
 - *Well organised*
 - *Clear and connected processes & responsibilities*
- *Effective Public Procurement*
- *Easy to use Manual*
- *Qualified support*
- *A holistic system!*



Six focus areas

- *Public Procurement Framework*
- *Institutional Building*
- *Capacity Building & Training*
- *Procurement Planning, Execution & Coordination*
- *E-procurement*
- *Outreach/communication*

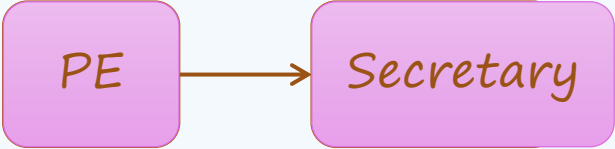
Public Procurement Framework

- *Legislation - unified*
 - *Act & Regulations*
- *Manual & guidelines*
- *Tender document templates (Model Documents)*
- *Standard Contract Terms & Conditions*
- *Procurement Report template, including evaluation & award forms & minutes, etc.*

Institutional Building

- Establishment & support to Central Procurement Unit - CPU
- New Central Tender Board
- Other Public 'Procurement Committees'
- Dispute Resolution Mechanism
- Independent Public Procurement Oversight (auditing)

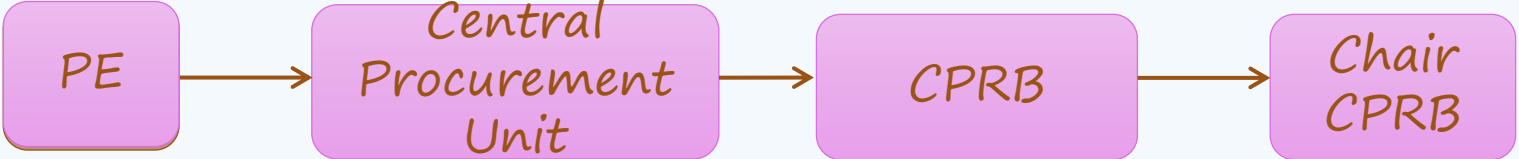
CURRENT APPROVAL CHANNELS



For LVP
(currently less than \$5k)



For MVP
(currently between \$5k and \$50k)

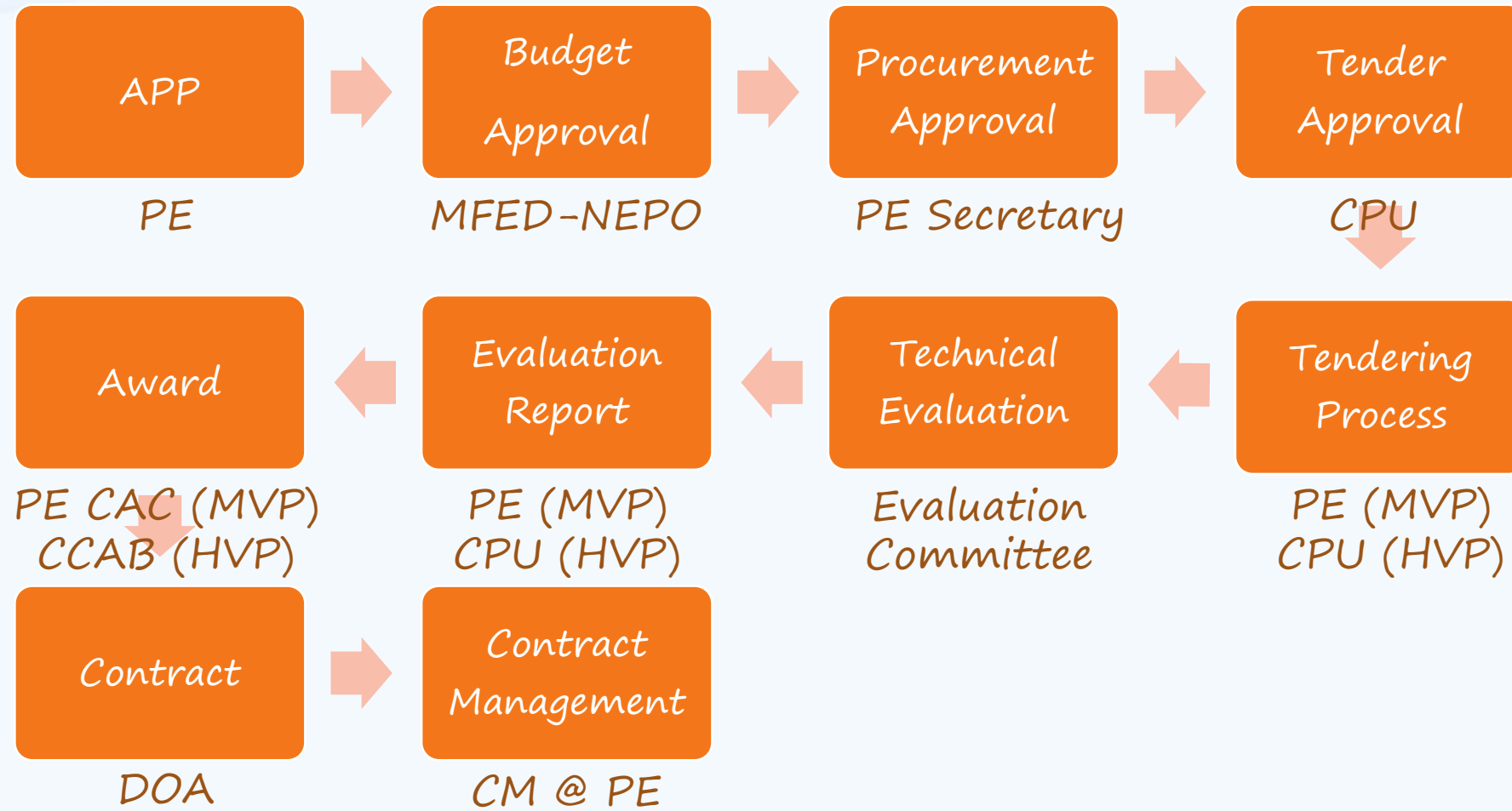


For HVP
(currently higher than \$50k)

Public Procurement Procedure



Procurement above **AUD10.000** (MVP & HVP)



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Capacity Building & Training

- Development of training materials
- Train CPU – Centre of Excellence & TOT
- Training of Procuring Entities – PE's
- Training other stakeholders

Procurement Planning, Execution & Coordination

- Annual Procurement Plans
- Centralised Procurement Planning and Monitoring
- Centralised Procurement Execution (over thresholds¹)
 - Low Value Procurement (LVP) - coordination
 - Medium Value Procurement (MVP) - cooperation
 - High Value Procurement (HVP) - execution
- Framework Agreements
- Outsourcing potentials

¹Pending APP's

E-procurement

- *Supplier database (contact details, scope, pre-qualification capacity criteria, performance, black-listing, etc.)*
- *E-tendering*
- *Integrated (e.g. FMIS) and all-encompassing e-procurement*

Outreach/communication

- *Communication Plan for CPU*
- *Charter for CPU (role of CPU)*
- *Information & communication on Public Procurement, including the KPPRP progress to all stakeholders*
 - *Policy Makers*
 - *Management*
 - *Donors*
 - *Procuring Entities*
 - *Supplier Market*
 - *The Public*
 - *Media*

Preliminary time schedule

- Public Procurement Framework [January 2019-January 2020]
- Institutional Building [October 2018-December 2019]
- Capacity Building & Training [October 2018-April 2021]
- Procurement Planning, Execution & Coordination [October 2018-----]
- E-procurement [January 2019-September 2021]
- Outreach/communication [October 2018-----]



Some key highlights

The importance of doing right from the start – the right things and doing it right

To-date achievements (March 2021)

- CPU partly established – 2 of 5 positions
- Public Procurement Act 2019 (December 2019)
- Public Procurement Regulations 2020 (May 2020)
- Public Procurement Manual
- Kiribati Public Procurement Web Portal (procurement.gov.ki)
- Training of Trainers (CPU) (September-October 2020)
- Training of Procuring Entities (February-March 2021)



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