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Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation, The Presidency, Federal Secretariat Complex, Abuia.

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Chief of Staff to the President,

Deputy Chief of Staff to the Vice-President,

Honourable Ministers.

Head of the Civil Service of the Federation,

Economic Adviser to the President,

Special Advisers/Senior Special Assistants,

Service Chiefs/Inspector-General of Police,

Governor, Central Bank of Nigeria,

Chairman, Federal Civil Service Commission,

Chairman, Police Service Commission,

Chairman, Federal Inland Revenue Service,

Chairman, Revenue Mobilization, Allocation and Fiscal Commission,

conomic and Financial Crimes Commission,

Chairman, Code of Conduct Bureau,

Chairman, Code of Conduct Tribunal,

Chairman, Independent National Electoral Commission,

Chairman, National Assembly Service Commission,

Chairman, Federal Character Commission,

Chairman, Independent Corrupt Practices and Other Related Offences Commission,

SA-AA Ple mulde pall Clerk of the National Assembly,
Secretary, National Judicial Council,
Accountant-General of the Federation,
Auditor-General for the Federation,
Directors-General/Chief Executives of Parastatals
Agencies and Government-Owned Companies,

COMPLIANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLE OF DUE PROCESS IN PUBLIC PROCUREMENT BY MINISTRIES, DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES (MDAs)

As the year is about to come to an end, it is normal to expect the usual rush by Ministries, Departments and Agencies (MDAs) to get their projects certified by the Bureau of Public Procurement (BPP). In doing so, Mr. President has directed that Due Process <u>must</u> strictly be adhered to in considering the requests by MDAs.

- 2. The BPP is instructed to observe zero tolerance for corruption and resist any pressure or undue influence in the process of receiving and certifying Federal Government projects. I, therefore, wish to emphasize that MDAs are similarly instructed to allow the BPP carry out its assignment without any interference.
- 3. Please bring the contents of this circular to all your officers, particularly those who relate with the BPP for information, guidance and compliance.

Ambassador Baba Gana Kingibe Secretary to the Government of the Federation.