



## BUREAU OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

### **E-Procurement, you cannot award contract Without full compliance—Director General, BPP.**

The Director-General, Bureau of Public Procurement, Mamman Ahmadu (*FNIQS*) has said when e- procurement is fully implemented, contractors shall be compelled to comply with all requirements needed to do business with Government.

The Director- General made this known when the management of Bureau of Public Procurement had a meeting on Fiscal Governance and Institutions Project with the World Bank Task Team, which was held in his office on Monday July 25, 2022.



**L-R: Director-General, Bureau of Public Procurement, Mamman Ahmadu, FNIQS and the World Bank representatives, Deborah Isser and Maya Gusarova during the meeting.**



**Director-General, Bureau of Public Procurement, (BPP) Mamman Ahmadu, FNIQS (M) listens as the Director, Regulations and Database/ICT, BPP, Aliyu E. Aliyu, FNIQS respond to the World Bank.**

Speaking on the review of the system, the Director-General said, the office is in discussions with the Corporate Affairs Commission (CAC), on the modalities of how beneficial ownership shall be included into the e-procurement system. The DG, added that filling of Annual Returns shall be one of the conditions for companies to participate in e- Procurement.

Mamman Ahmadu said, "The e-procurement system is going to give us the ability to solicit, evaluate and submit bids online". This will reduce human interface in the procurement process he said.

Earlier, one of the leaders of the World Bank Team, Debbie Isser, said, the main reason for the meeting was to review the measures and the implementation of the e-procurement to enable World Bank get progress report, stating that, the project is scheduled to end on 20 June 2023.

The meeting was done physical and through zoom.



**R -L: BPP Management Staff: Engr. Babatunde Kuye, Director, Energy Infrastructure, Engr. Ishaq Yahaya, FNSE, Director, Compliance, Certification and Monitoring and Mr. Aliyu Edogi Aliyu, FNIQS, Director, Regulations and Database/ICT with the later responding to questions from the World Bank team.**



**L-R: Lilian Okeke, Susan Elom, World Bank team and Mr. Mansur Mamman, Regulations and Database/ICT, BPP**