

PROSPECTUS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NEW GOVERNMENT BONDS AND THE RE-OPENING OF THE 3- AND 10-YEAR BENCHMARK BONDS

BOND TENDER NO. 01/2017/BA

Tenor	2 Years	7 Years	15 Years
Coupon rate	9%	12%	14%
Competitive Tender Amounts	K72.0 Million	K72.0 Million	K36.0 Million
Non- Competitive Tender	K 8.0 Million	K 8.0 Million	K 4.0 Million
Total Tender Amount	K80.0 Million	K80.0 Million	K40.0 Million
ISIN	ZM1000003138	ZM1000003161	ZM1000003187

Benchmark Bonds

Tenor	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years
Coupon	10%	11%	13%
Competitive Tender Amounts	K225.0 Million	K360.0.0 Million	K135.0 Million
Non- Competitive Tender	K 25.0 Million	K 40.0 Million	K 15.0 Million
Total Tender Amount	K250.0 Million	K400.0 Million	K150.0 Million
ISIN	ZM1000003088	ZM1000003153	ZM1000002999
Description	Re-opened Issue	New Issue	Re-opened Issue

[Loans and Guarantees (Authorisation) Act, Cap 366 of the Laws of Zambia]

The Bank of Zambia invites applications for issue of bonds on behalf of the Government of the Republic of Zambia.

A. <u>TENDER CONDITIONS:</u>

- 1. The 3- year benchmark bond **ISIN ZM1000003088** of issue number **05/2016/BA** has been reopened.
- 2. The 5- year benchmark bond **ISIN ZM1000003153**, is a new issue.
- 3. The 10- year benchmark bond **ISIN ZM1000002999** of issue number **03/2016/BA** has been reopened.

- 4. Amount of bonds on tender is **K1,000,000,000.00** (One Billion Kwacha) at cost.
- 5. The off tender (non-competitive) window will have 10% of the total amount on offer.
- 6. The minimum value of each application will be **K30**, **000.00** (**Thirty Thousand Kwacha**).
- 7. All tenders must be in multiples of **K5**, **000.00** (**Five Thousand Kwacha**).
- 8. All tender bids should be submitted to the Bank of Zambia electronically through the Central Securities Depository (CSD)
- 9. Closing date will be Friday 24th February 2017 at 11.30 hours. Settlement will be on Monday 27th February 2017.
- 10. The Bank of Zambia will determine allotment of issue and the results will be announced on **Friday 24th February 2017**. The Bank reserves the right to reject any bids not conforming to regulations as prescribed.
- 11. The Bank of Zambia reserves the right to accept bids up to 20 percent above the tender sizes.

B. **INTEREST PAYMENT:**

Coupon Interest shall be paid semi- annually based on Actual / 365 days from the date of settlement.

C. MATURITY DATES.

	2-YEAR BOND	3-YEAR BOND	5-YEAR BOND	7- YEAR BOND	10- YEAR BOND	15- YEAR BOND
MATURITY DATES	27 February 2019	05 December 2019	27 February 2022	27 February 2024	29 August 2026	27 February 2032

d. NON-COMPETITIVE:

12. Non-competitive bids on this auction will be issued as per current Central Securities Depository (CSD) Government Securities Operating guidelines.

e. GENERAL CONDITIONS OF ISSUE:

- 1. The Government of the Republic of Zambia reserves the right to redeem the 7, 10 and 15-year bond before maturity. This call option may be exercised after the bond has run 60 percent of its life.
- 2. Secondary Trading of this stock will be through the Lusaka Stock Exchange (LuSE).
- 3. The Bank of Zambia will not rediscount any bonds issued.
- 4. Coupon interest will be subject to withholding tax (currently at 15%).
- 5. Discount interest will not be subject to withholding tax.
- 6. All investors (individuals and corporate entities alike) are allowed to participate directly on this auction.
- 7. Coupon interest will be paid every six months from the date of settlement until maturity.

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