

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

BOND TENDER NO. 01/2018/BA

Tenor	2 Years	7 Years	15 Years
Coupon rate	9%	12%	14%
Competitive Tender Amounts	K135.0 Million	K180.0 Million	K180.0 Million
Non- Competitive Tender	K 15.0 Million	K 20.0 Million	K 20.0 Million
Total Tender Amount	K150.0 Million	K200.0 Million	K200.0 Million
ISIN	ZM1000003807	ZM1000003831	ZM1000003849

Benchmark Bonds

Tenor	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	
Coupon	10%	11%	13%	
Competitive Tender Amounts	K270.0 Million	K450.0 Million	K270.0 Million	
Non- Competitive Tender	K 30.0 Million	K 50.0 Million	K 30.0 Million	
Total Tender Amount	K300.0 Million	K500.0 Million	K300.0 Million	
ISIN	ZM1000003815	ZM1000003823	ZM1000003351	
Description	New-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 ZM1000003815** of issue number **01/2018/BA** will be a new issue.
- 2. The 5- year benchmark bond ISIN ZM1000003823 of issue number 01/2018/BA will be a new issue.
- 3. The 10- year benchmark bond **ISIN ZM1000003351** of issue number **06/2017/BA** will be reopened.
- 4. Amount of bonds on tender is K1,650,000,000.00 (One Billion Six Hundred and Fifty Thousand 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 **K1,000.00** (**One Thousand Kwacha**) for Off Tender and **K30, 000.00** (**Thirty Thousand Kwacha**) for Competitive bids.
- 7. All tenders must be in multiples of **K1,000.00** (One Thousand Kwacha) for Non Competitive bids and **K5,000.00** (Five Thousand Kwacha) for Competitive bids.
- 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 23rd February 2018 at 11.30 hours. Settlement will be on Monday 26th February 2018.
- 10. The Bank of Zambia will determine allotment of issue and the results will be announced on **Friday 23rd February 2018**. 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	26 February 2020	26 February 2021	26 February 2023	26 February 2025	18 December 2027	26 February 2033

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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