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**To: -Regulators and Ministries in Charge
of ICT in Africa
-PRIDA ITU FOCAL POINTS**

Subject: PRIDA capacity building workshops in January 2021: Spectrum Auctions (both in English and French).

Dear Sir/Madam,

The International Telecommunication Union (ITU) is pleased to invite staff from all Regulatory Authorities and concerned Ministries of Africa to our **on-line three day** capacity building workshop on Spectrum Auctions. The same programme will be conducted in English and French as follows:

- English: January 11-13, 2021
- French: January 18-20, 2021

Please note that at PRIDA we are encouraging gender parity at our events, hence every country is welcomed to propose three participants to each of these workshops, being at least one of them a female participant. Furthermore, we would like to recognise those countries who are able to present gender balanced participant lists, by allowing for an increased number of participants for these countries.

Ensuring spectrum pricing predictability and alignment with the best international practices are among the objectives of PRIDA project, an initiative by the African Union, the European Union and the ITU. PRIDA is also supported by RECs, ATU, Regional Regulatory Associations, National Regulators and other stakeholders.

The main target audience are spectrum management experts as well as other regulatory experts dealing with spectrum pricing and licensing issues from African Regulatory Authorities and concerned Ministries. Limited number of seats will be also available for participants from Academia.

All information on the registration, draft agenda and other documents related to the workshop will be soon available on the ITU website: <https://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Regional-Presence/Africa/Pages/default.aspx>. For any additional information, you may contact Mr. Sufian Mohamud, PRIDA Project Officer, ITU Arab Regional Office. Email: Sufian.mahmoud@itu.int, Tel : +20 23 53 71 777 | +41 22 73 06 448

We look forward to your respective participation in these events.

Yours faithfully,

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