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To: H.E. Mr. Adelino Afonso Fernandes
Rosa Cardoso
Minister of Public Works, Infrastructure,
Natural Resources and Environment
Sao Tome, Sao Tome and Principe

Subject: **Invitation to the PRIDA Project Focal Point meeting**

Sir,

The International Telecommunication Union (ITU) is pleased to invite you to the opening ceremony of the ITU [PRIDA](#)ⁱ Project National Focal Points meeting to be held in Sao Tomé, Sao Tomé and Principe from 7 – 9 June 2023.

The PRIDA project is an initiative of the African Union Commission (AUC), the European Union (EU) and the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) and includes Regional Economic Communities (RECs), the African Telecommunications Union (ATU), regional regulatory associations, national regulators, and other stakeholders.

The PRIDA project implements 27 actions ranging from the creation of continental and regional guidelines, to capacity building, helping countries to transpose guidelines at national level, direct technical assistance, conferences, implementing HCM4A, etc. As part of these actions, PRIDA is organizing a meeting which will bring together PRIDA project focal points from African countries to examine the project implementation process.

We will be honored to have you or a representative from your office make the opening remarks at this meeting.

For any additional information please contact Mr. Jimmy Christel Ngoma, PRIDA Project Manager, ITU Regional Office for Africa using e-mail: jimmy-christel.ngoma@itu.int Tel: +251 976073861 / +41 22 7305367.

Accept Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Anne-Rachel Inné', is positioned above the typed name and title.

Anne-Rachel Inné
Regional Director for Africa and
Liaison to ECA and AU

ⁱ Policy and Regulation Initiative for Digital Africa