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PRESS STATEMENT

COMPETITION AUTHORITY SUSPENDS HUKUNTSI TENDER

The Competition Authority has suspended the supply and delivery of building materials and small tools tender at the Hukuntsi Sub-District Council. The suspension comes in the wake of allegations of bid rigging on the tender.

After conducting preliminary inquiries, the Authority is of the view that there are evident contraventions of the Competition Act, in particular- bid rigging and other improprieties in the award of the tender.

The Competition Authority is joined by its MoU partner DCEC in unearthing relevant information, as the improprieties found fall within the DCEC mandate. As a consequence, the execution of the tender has since been suspended pending further steps to be advised by the Competition Authority on the matter.

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