

**TENDER NOTICE: INTENTION TO AWARD A CONTRACT**

Published in terms of Section 45 (3)(b) of the Public Procurement Act No. 7 of 2011 (the Act hereinafter).

<b>DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE</b>	15 December 2023
<b>TENDER NO</b>	ESCCOM/UAS/001/2023-2024
<b>NAME OF TENDER</b>	PROVISION OF BROADBAND WI-FI HOTSPOTS IN PUBLIC STRATEGIC AREAS
<b>APPROVAL AUTHORITY</b>	Eswatini Communications Commission
<b>PROCURING ENTITY</b>	Eswatini Communications Commission
<b>REQUESTING ENTITY</b>	Eswatini Communications Commission

As per the provisions of Section 45 of the Act, following a bidding process where two bids were received, notice is hereby given that a contract award in the above cited tender has been reached by the Tender Board as follows:

<b>DETAILS OF BEST EVALUATED RESPONSIVE TENDERER</b>	
<b>NAME</b>	Jenny Internet Eswatini
<b>NATIONALITY</b>	Swati
<b>PROPOSED CONTRACT PRICE</b>	E1,921,497.00
<b>TOTAL EVALUATION SCORE</b>	85%

It must be noted that the said award does not constitute a contract. Furthermore, in terms of Sections 45(4), 46 and 47, all tenderers who submitted bids are hereby notified that a period of ten (10) working days is hereby allowed for submission of any application for review from the above stated date of first publication of this notice.

<b>DETAILS OF ALL OTHER RESPONSIVE TENDERERS</b>			
<b>NAME OF TENDERER</b>	<b>NATIONALITY</b>	<b>TENDER AMOUNT</b>	<b>SCORE</b>
Touch IT	Swati	E1,847,664.75	77%
MTN Eswatini	Swati	Capital cost E1,028,120.76 with usage billed monthly	76%
EPTC	Swati	E2,970,396.00	73%
CommIT	Swati	Financial Proposal not evaluated, did not meet 70% qualifying score	n/a

Yours Sincerely,



Tanya DeSousa  
**Acting Chief Executive**

**Company Stamp**

Directors: Sibongile Ndlela-Simelane (Chairperson), Mvilawemphi Dlamini (Chief Executive), Bheki Ndzinisa, Bongiwe Dlamini. December M:  
Reverend Senzo Peter Hlatshwayo.  
Company Secretary: Ozzie Thakatha.