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The Technical Heads Programme Working Groups (Distribution List Attached)

All Central and Local Government Accounting Officers

SURVEY OF THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE **NEEDS** PROGRAMME WORKING GROUPS (PWGs)/ MINISTRIES, AGENCIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS (MALGS)

- 1. Reference is made to the ongoing alignment of the Budget to the 18 NDPIII Programmes. In order to facilitate a smooth alignment process, the Ministry, working with National Planning Authority (NPA) is in the process of acquiring Technical Assistance (TA) from the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).
- 2. The TA will focus on capacity building in the areas of planning, budgeting, monitoring and evaluation, as well as finalization of the strategic plans for MALGs that are consistent with the Programme Implementation Action Plans (PIAPs).
- 3. However, before dispatching the Technical Assistants (TAs) into the field, it is important to assess where the PWGs/ MALGs need help. As such, we have drafted survey questions that will be disseminated through Survey Monkey to identify the technical requirements/needs.
- 4. The questionnaire targets the Technical Heads of the PWGs as well as the Accounting Officers and Planners of MALGs. The survey will be conducted electronically using the Survey Monkey, and you should submit your responses within 2 weeks from today. The Training Program will be finalised after the results of the survey have been obtained and consolidated.
 - 5. The purpose of this letter therefore, is to request you to complete the survey using this link; https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BTZQMP3, to assess the Technical assistance needs of the PWGs/ MALGs.

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NDP III programmes and corresponding lead agencies

| No. | Program | Lead Agency |
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| 1 | Agro-Industrialization | PS/MAAIF |
| 2 | Mineral Development | PS/MEMD |
| 3 | Sustainable Development of Petroleum Resources | PS/MEMD |
| 4 | Tourism Development | PS/MoTWA |
| 5 | Natural Resources, Environment, Climate Change, Land and Water Management Development | PS/MoWE |
| 6 | Private Sector Development | PS/MoFPED |
| 7 | Manufacturing | PS/MoTIC |
| 8 | Integrated Transport Infrastructure and Services | PS/MoWT |
| 9 | Sustainable Energy Development | PS/MEMD |
| 10 | Digital Transformation | PS/MoICT&NG |
| 11 | Sustainable Urbanization and Housing | PS/MoLHUD |
| 12 | Human Capital Development | PS/MoES |
| 13 | Innovation, Technology Development and Transfer | PS/MoSTI |
| 14 | Community Mobilization and Mindset Change | PS/MoGLSG |
| 15 | Governance and Security | SECRETARY/OP |
| 16 | Public Sector Transformation | PS/MoPS |
| 17 | Regional Development | PS/MoLG |
| 18 | Development Plan Implementation | PS/MoFPED |