

Annex 10-B

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

Section A: Central Government Entities

Thresholds:

All Goods	Threshold: SDR 130,000
All Services	Threshold: SDR 130,000
All Construction Services 5,000,000	Threshold: SDR

List of Entities:

1. Ministry of Finance
2. Ministry of Climate Change and Environment
3. Ministry of Energy and Infrastructure
4. Ministry of Youth
5. Ministry of Economy
6. Ministry of Human Resources and Emiratization
7. Ministry of Justice
8. Ministry of Industry and Advanced Technology
9. Ministry of Community Development
10. Ministry of Health and Prevention
11. UAE Space Agency
12. Ministry of Education
13. Ministry of Tolerance and Coexistence
14. Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs
15. National Counselling Center
16. Federal Geographic Information Center

17. Executive office of the Anti-Money Laundering and Counterterrorism Financing
18. Vice President's Office for Political Affairs
19. Emirates Schools Establishment
20. Emirates News Agency
21. General Authority of Sports
22. General Authority of Islamic Affairs and Endowments
23. Federal Authority for Government Human Resources
24. Federal Tax Authority
25. Federal Authority for Identity, Citizenship, Customs & Port Security
26. Strategic Committee for Anti-money Laundering and Combating Terrorism Financing
27. Ministry of Interior

Section B: Sub-central government entities

Not applicable for the United Arab Emirates.

Section C: Other Entities

Not applicable for the United Arab Emirates.

Section D: Goods

This Chapter applies to all goods excluding those specified under Section G.

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Section E: Services

This Chapter applies to all services listed in the United Arab Emirates' schedule of specific commitments provided for under Chapter Eight (Trade in Services).

Notes to Section E:

The procurement for services, including construction services, is subject to the limitations and conditions specified in the United Arab Emirates' schedule of specific commitments provided for under Chapter Eight (Trade in Services).

Section G: General Notes

1. This Chapter shall not cover the following procurement:
 - (a) state security services pursuant to *UAE Cabinet Decision No.1 of 2022* concerning the digital procurement policy for the Federal government, and any subsequent laws and regulations amending such decision;
 - (b) construction projects and contracts;
 - (c) all purchases of military character carried out by the Ministry of the Interior or any Federal Entity with a security or a military character, such as:
 - (i) weapons;
 - (ii) fire control equipment;
 - (iii) guided missiles;
 - (iv) aircraft;
 - (v) ships;
 - (vi) engines, turbines; and
 - (vii) communications, detection, and coherent radiation;
 - (d) all drug purchases;
 - (e) all partnership contracts with the private sector that are classified as a “partnership project,” pursuant to *UAE Cabinet Resolution No (4/8) of 2019*, *UAE Cabinet Resolution No (1/1) of 2017*, and any subsequent laws or regulations amending such resolutions; and
 - (f) procurements related to UAE Space Agency according to decisions taken by the UAE Cabinet.
2. There are some privileges that are binding by law for certain categories such as:
 - (a) SMEs

Based on Federal Law No (2) of 2014 on Small and Medium Projects and Enterprises, and Cabinet Resolution No (35) of 2016 on the Executive Regulations of Federal Law No (2) of 2014 on Small and Medium Projects and Enterprises, and Cabinet Resolution No (1) of 2022 on the digital procurement policy, an additional bonus of 10% in scoring will be added to the end-score of SMEs.

(b) In-Country Value (ICV) certification holders

Based on Cabinet Resolution No. (72) of 2021 regarding the National Value-Added Program, and The digital procurement procedures manual, Suppliers with the National Added Value (ICV) certificate are given an additional 25% bonus when evaluating bids, in accordance with the National Added Value (ICV) guidelines.

(c) All entities covered by this Chapter may apply a 10 percent price preference for domestic green suppliers and green goods of domestic origin. For purposes of this Note:

- (i) green suppliers means suppliers that take into account green applications to meet environmental sustainability standards according to international best practices to achieve a balance in development between community safety, economic growth, and environmental conservation; and
- (ii) green goods means goods that have green applications to meet environmental sustainability standards according to international best practices to achieve a balance in development between community safety, economic growth, and environmental conservation.

Section H: Publication of Information

1. Laws and regulations:
2. - <https://mof.gov.ae/general-revenue-and-expenditure/>
3. Digital Procurement Platform:
4. - <https://mof.gov.ae/government-procurement-operations/>
5. Supplier Registration:
6. - <https://mof.gov.ae/supplier-registration-in-federal-supplier-register/>
 - Foreign supplier registration requirements:

Documents	Foreign Supplier	Length of validity (days)	Alert before expiration (days)
Tax registration certificate	Yes	365	30
Passport copy of beneficial owner	Yes	365	30
Contract Establishment (in case of partnership)	If applicable	365	30