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TERMS OF REFERENCE

PROCUREMENT OF ONE SMARTPHONE

1.0 About Anti-Corruption Coalition Uganda:

Anti-Corruption Coalition Uganda (ACCU) was formed in January 1999 and formally registered as an NGO under the NGO Statute in 2004. ACCU brings together like-minded entities and individual actors whose pre-occupation is publicizing, exposing and advocating for curbing corruption in Uganda. At the national level, ACCU works with Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) engaged in the accountability sector. At the local level, ACCU works with and through Regional Anti-Corruption Coalitions (RACCs) that are spread out in the various parts of the country and of recent grass root member organizations. This approach ensures that the citizens' voices are reflected in the national agenda.

2.0 Project Background:

ACCU is implementing the Strengthening Citizen Engagement in Transparency, Accountability and Anti-Corruption in Uganda (SCETAAC) project, which promotes inclusive participation of women, youth, PWDs, and civil society in anti-corruption efforts. The project seeks to address barriers such as limited capacity, inaccessible engagement spaces, poor access to information, and low responsiveness from duty bearers through corruption risk assessments, integrity surveys, media campaigns and public awareness programs to improve institutional efficiency and accountability. The project is implemented in the districts of Moroto and Gulu. The project targets youth, government stakeholders, CSOs and citizens. This project focuses on tackling corruption in the justice sector which directly affect ordinary Ugandans.

3.0 Justification:

The nature of project implementation requires regular engagement, rapid information sharing, and real-time coordination, particularly when responding to emerging needs, scheduling activities, sharing updates, and managing field-related communications. A dedicated project smartphone will reduce communication delays, improve accessibility, and ensure continuity of project operations.

To effectively support the implementation and coordination of activities under this project, ACCU seeks to procure one smartphone to facilitate efficient communication, coordination, and timely delivery of project activities. The smartphone will serve as an essential communication and productivity tool, enabling project staff to maintain quick and reliable contact with partners,

stakeholders, beneficiaries, and team members through calls, emails, messaging platforms, and project-related applications.

The device will also support the use of digital tools and applications necessary for project management, documentation, reporting, and collaboration. Having a designated project phone will enhance accountability by ensuring that project communications and information such as activity photos and videos are managed through an official channel rather than personal devices.

Therefore, ACCU seeks to procure one smartphone from a qualified service provider to strengthen project communication, improve operational efficiency, and support the successful implementation of planned project activities.

4.0 Assignment Objective:

To general objective of this assignment is to procure one smart phone as per the specifications listed below;

- **Processor:** Snapdragon 8 Gen 1 or Exynos 2200 (depending on variant).
- **Memory/Storage:** 4GB-12GB RAM, 128GB/256GB/512GB storage.
- **MicroSD card Support:** Yes, supporting at least 128GB (if available)
- **Display Size:** 6.8-inch Dynamic AMOLED 2X, 1440 x 3088 pixels, 120Hz refresh rate.
- **Display Technology:** AMOLED or IPS LCD
- **Camera:** 108MP main sensor, 10MP telephoto (10x), 10MP telephoto (3x), 12MP ultra-wide, 40MP selfie and above
- **Features:** Integrated S Pen,
- **Durability:** IP68 water resistance preferably
- **Operating System:** Android 12 to 15 (upgradable to Android 16) with One UI
- **Network:** 5G Support
- **Battery:** 5000mAh with 25W fast charging.
- **Accessories:** Phone Cover and Screen Guard & Headphones
- **Charger:** Full Charger included with Power Adapter minimum 25W
- **Dual Sim:** Yes
- **Warranty:** 12 Months and above.

5.0 Timeframe:

No.	Task	Timeline	Responsible Party
1.	Publication of the terms of reference	October 08, 2026	ACCU
2.	Delivery of quotations	October 13, 2026	Suppliers
3.	Contractual processes	October 14, 2026	Supplier & ACCU
4.	Delivery of smartphone	October 16, 2026	Selected Supplier

6.0 Required Documentation:

Prospective suppliers are expected to provide their quotations including the following requirements;

- Certificate of registration.
- Valid trading license.

- Physical address and contact person.
- Prior experience providing similar products.

7.0 Submission of Quotations:

Suppliers who meet the above requirements should submit their quotations to the Executive Director, Anti-Corruption Coalition Uganda; on info@accu.or.ug with a copy amarlon@accu.or.ug not later than **October 13, 2026**.