It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in triplicate are invited for the supply of the following services:—

Tender Reference Subject Closing Date

AFCD/ITMD/202201 Tender for the Provision of Metro Ethernet Services for the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department 28.4.2022

Tenders must be clearly marked with the tender reference and the subject of the tender on the outside of the envelope (but should not bear any indication which may relate the tender to the tenderer), addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Opening Committee, Government Logistics Department and deposited in the Government Logistics Department Tender Box situated on Ground Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong before 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the closing date as stated above. Tenders must be deposited in the tender box as specified in this tender notice ('Specified Tender Box') before the tender closing time. Late tenders or tenders not deposited in the Specified Tender Box will not be accepted.

If a Black Rainstorm Warning Signal or Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 or above is in force at any time between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the closing date of the tender as stated above, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the first working day after the Black Rainstorm Warning Signal has ceased to be in effect or the Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 is lowered.

In case of blockage of the public access to the location of the Specified Tender Box at any time between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the tender closing date, the Government will announce extension of the tender closing time until further notice. Following removal of the blockage, the Government will announce the extended tender closing time as soon as practicable. The above announcements will be made *via* press releases on the website of Information Services Department (http://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm).

Tender forms and further particulars are obtainable from the Reception of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department at 5th Floor, Cheung Sha Wan Government Offices, 303 Cheung Sha Wan Road, Kowloon, Hong Kong. Alternatively, the tender forms and further particulars can also be downloaded from the website of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department (www.afcd.gov.hk).

For any enquiry relating to the tender, please contact Mr. Francis WAI, Systems Manager, Information Technology Management Division of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department (Tel.: (852) 2150 6639).

This tender is covered by the Agreement on Government Procurement of the World Trade Organization (WTOGPA) and will not involve electronic auction. This notice also serves as a summary notice required under WTOGPA.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender (or the highest combined score for a tender adoption a marking scheme) or any tender, and reserves the right to negotiate with any tenderer about the terms of the offer.

Details of the contract award will be published on the Internet.

4 March 2022 LEUNG Siu-fai Director of Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation