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Mr. Nghidinua Daniel,
Executive Director,
Ministry of Urban and Rural Development,
WINDHOEK.

Dear Mr. Daniel,

REQUEST TO INVITE THE YOUTH TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 7th NATIONAL ICT SUMMIT

The Ministry of Information and Communication Technology will host the 7th National ICT Summit from 09 to 11 October 2023 in Windhoek, under the theme: **"Re-thinking cybersecurity investment to secure the digital economy and its opportunities"**.

The purpose of the Summit is to bring together industry stakeholders and create a platform for networking, and discussing possible solutions to the challenges facing the industry in the country. A key component of the Summit is the Youth Day on the last day of the Summit which will host young innovators between the ages of **14 and 35**, who will showcase their ICT related projects.

We hereby request your Ministry to facilitate the request and submission of application forms by the youth constituency offices for the youth to exhibit and present at the National ICT Summit. Please find attached the application and consent forms to be completed by the applicants.

For more information, kindly contact Ms. Hendrina Filippus, at Mobile +264 811459849 or email: Hendrina.Filippus@mict.gov.na.

Sincerely,



All official correspondence must be addressed to the Executive Director.





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APPLICATION FORM FOR ICT SUMMIT YOUTH DAY 2023

How would you like to participate in the ICT Youth Day (select only one)	
Exhibition	
Presentation	
Both (Exhibition & Presentation)	

Full Details of Participant	
Name and Surname	
Physical address	
Postal address	
Contact details	

1. Product/Service Description
<p><i>Provide clear description of the business idea. Does the description present the initiator's motivation to pursue the idea?</i></p>

2. Innovativeness

Explain the level of creativity involved in the idea - is the idea unique or existing one offering new solution? What is the value proposition of idea to end users?

3. Commercial Viability

*Does idea have commercial potential, widespread usage of solutions or specific target market?
Is solution scalable and translatable across industries, countries, etc?
What is the cost of development and deploying solution to target audience?
Is it serving new market or existing?
Are there competitive products or substitute for proposed product?*

4. Developmental Impact

Idea potent to create jobs. Is the idea increase local procurement/local supply? Is the idea addressing pressing issues of the country e.g. renewable energy, housing, water and drought?

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5. Any Special Request

Please indicate what facilities or equipment e.g. projector, electric cables, sound equipment, etc. you will need during your exhibition or presentation.

Signature

Date
