

## CIRCULAR 16 / 2023

**FROM : CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**  
**TO : EXECUTIVE MAYORS / MAYORS**  
**: SPEAKERS**  
**: MUNICIPAL MANAGERS**  
**CC : TECHNICAL DIRECTORS**  
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**DATE : 22 MARCH 2023**

### REQUEST FOR INPUTS ON THE DRAFT CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY RECOVERY PLAN (CIRP)

#### 1. PURPOSE OF THE CIRCULAR:

The purpose of this circular is to request municipalities to consider the attached draft CIRP and submit inputs which will inform the local government position on the draft Plan.

#### 2. BACKGROUND:

The Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB) is a Schedule 3A Public Entity reporting to the Department of Public Works and Infrastructure (DPWI). The department has proposed critical interventions to revive the construction sector. The CIRP will enable a focus on the entire infrastructure delivery and maintenance value chain, with the emphasis on the tangible interventions that government and the private sector can commit to. The CIDB is supporting DPWI in the development of the CIRP.

The CIRP is developed in support of the Economic Reconstruction and Recovery Plan and in alignment with the National Infrastructure Plan, 2050. The CIRP has a shorter focus in periods of three to five years.

The purpose of the CIRP is to:

- Implement a robust and capable infrastructure project pipeline;
- Industry capacity and transformation;
- Industry growth and performance improvement;
- Participating in the green economy; and
- Public sector capacity.

### 3. DISCUSSION

Local government is critical in the recovery of the construction industry. The CIDB is currently in the process of finalizing consultations and inputs on the CIRP for adoption, with local government inputs being key. Attached please find the draft Construction Industry Recovery Plan for your inputs.

To this end all municipalities are requested to submit inputs to SALGA for the purpose of formulating a local government position on the draft CIRP. All inputs are to be submitted on or before **7 April 2023** to SALGA National Office for attention of **Sithembele Gonyela at [sgonyela@salga.org.za](mailto:sgonyela@salga.org.za)**.

For any enquiries on the CIRP please do not hesitate to contact **Dumisani Mahole at [dmahole@salga.org.za](mailto:dmahole@salga.org.za)**.

Yours Sincerely,



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