

## National Information and Communications Technology Authority PUBLIC CONSULTATION NOTICE

## GUIDELINE FOR INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDERS (ISPs)

In accordance with section 219 and 229 of the National Information and Communications Technology Act, 2009 ("the Act"), NICTA hereby gives this notice to conduct a public consultation on the draft "Guideline for Internet Service Providers (ISPs)".

The draft Guideline seeks to provide comprehensive guidance to ISPs on a range of regulatory administration and other matters affecting their operation, including more recent issues associated with cybersecurity.

The public consultation will be conducted over a period of four (4) weeks commencing on 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2023. The document can be obtained from NICTA Head Office located at Section 34, Lot 19 & 20, Frangipani Street, Hohola, Port Moresby or downloaded from the NICTA Public Register at <a href="https://www.nicta.gov.pg">www.nicta.gov.pg</a>. Additionally, copies of the documents can also be requested from Mr. Benny Baiyupe by email: <a href="mailto:bbaiyupe@nicta.gov.pg">bbaiyupe@nicta.gov.pg</a>.

NICTA invites stakeholders and interested parties to consider and comment on the consultation document. All written submissions should be emailed to: consultation.ictsp@nicta.gov.pg or hand delivered to NICTA Head Office.

The closing date for written comments is Tuesday 21st February, 2023.

Copies of all submissions received will be published on NICTA's Public Register consistent with the requirements of NICTA as prescribed under subsection 229 (3) of the Act.

Additional procedural information on submissions to NICTA is set out in the 'guidelines on the submission of written comments to public consultations and public inquiries', which are also available at NICTA's Public Register at <a href="https://www.nicta.gov.pg">www.nicta.gov.pg</a>

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