

## SUSTAINABLE GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT POLICY of Non-profit joint-stock company Zhetysu University named after Ilyas Zhansugurov for 2023-2029

The Sustainable Government Procurement Policy at the University, according to the Law of the Republic of Kazakhstan «On Government Procurement», involves adhering to the principles of transparency, efficiency, competitiveness, and the introduction of environmental, social, and economic criteria in procurement processes. At the University, government procurements must comply with the legal requirements regulating procurement society. procedures, well protect the interests of the state and as Government procurement is based on the following principles:

- Optimal and efficient spending of funds allocated for government procurement, including ensuring the price-quality ratio of the purchased goods, works, and services;
- Providing equal opportunities for potential suppliers to participate in government procurement, provided for in the legislation of the Republic of Kazakhstan;
  - Fair competition among potential suppliers;
  - Openness and transparency in the government procurement process;
- Supporting domestic manufacturers of goods, as well as domestic suppliers of works and services, to the extent that this does not contradict international agreements ratified by the Republic of Kazakhstan;
  - Accountability of the government procurement entities;
  - Prevention of corruption offenses and conflicts of interest;
  - Development of sustainable government procurement.

According to amendments in the legislation of the Republic of Kazakhstan, increasing attention is being paid to the selection of environmentally friendly and energy-efficient goods and services in government procurement. The University, when conducting procurement, must consider environmental aspects, select products that comply with international environmental standards or use energy-saving technologies.

Stages of Sustainable Government Procurement at the University Planning: The University develops and approves an annual procurement plan, which must include ecological, social, and economic criteria for the purchased goods, works, and services.

Conducting Procurement: Depending on the type of goods, services, or works being procured, an appropriate procurement method is selected. Procurement processes must ensure competitiveness and transparency. It is important to consider environmental and social aspects when setting supplier requirements.

Contract Execution: After signing the contract with the winning bidder, the University monitors the fulfillment of all contractual conditions in compliance with the legislation of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

Control and Reporting: The University must comply with reporting requirements for the procurement processes conducted.