

## न्द्राः के राः स्वाया

## ROYAL GOVERNMENT-OF BHUTAN MINISTRY OF FINANCE TASHICHHO DZONG



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Notification: Last Hour Rush Spending

This is in continuation to the mid-year budget review notification issued vide letter no. DNB/Notification/2021-22/322, dated 10.12.2021 to deprioritize non-developmental activities such as workshops, seminars, training etc. With the FY 2021-22 coming to an end, it has been observed with deep concern that such activities continue to be planned and conducted outside of work stations. This act seriously undermines the quality of expenditure and raises qualms about the accountability of the public expenditure.

With the expenditure growth outpacing domestic revenue, it is imperative to take collective effort in ensuring proper management of scarce public resources and avoid wasteful expenditure.

Therefore, **urgent** attention of all the <u>heads of budgetary agencies</u> is invited to the need to closely monitor expenditure and exercise prudence on non-developmental activities including workshops, trainings, meetings, seminars, awareness, sensitizations and procurements during the last month of the Fiscal Year 2021-22.

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