



World Food Programme



# Informal Consultation WFP Executive Board

*Local Food Procurement Policy*

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# Development of the Policy

- Consultative process with the Executive Board.
- Cross-divisional undertaking.
- Developing new criteria to assist WFP in reaching the SDGs.



# Rationale for a Local Food Procurement Policy

- The policy is the result of a journey from P4P to today.
- Increasing share of local food procurement.
- Fostering development objectives:
  - Stimulating the local economy.
  - Strengthening livelihoods and food systems.



# What does this mean for Programmes?

- Enhanced coherence:
  - Between Programme and Procurement.
  - Across Programme activities.
- Partnerships.



# Operational Considerations

- Current levels of local food procurement.
- The volumes and quality required.
- Buying above Import Parity Price (IPP).
- Adequate systems in place.



# Implementation of Policy

- November Executive Board.
- Two-phase implementation:
  - 1) Methods, systems and tools.
  - 2) Application at scale.





**Questions?**