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Announcement of Auction on March 19th, 2024 **CPI-linked Treasury Notes (Series 31)**

As announced in the issuance calendar for January-June 2024, the Central Government will reopen the CPI-linked Treasury Notes (UI Notes) due 2029 on March 19th, with the following characteristics:

CPI-LINKED TREASURY NOTES (2029) - Series 31

Coupon: 3.25% annual

Interest Payment: Semiannual, July 18th and January 18th

Issuance date: January 18th, 2023 Maturity date: January 18th, 2029 Principal amortization: At maturity

Base amount to be auctioned: UI 200 million

The Treasury Notes will be issued through a Dutch auction method (single price). All accepted bids will be allocated to investors at the same price. The Ministry of Economy and Finance (MEF) reserves the right to accept up to <u>UI 400 million</u> (equivalent to 200% of the base amount to be auctioned). The MEF also reserves the option to accept part or all of the submitted bids, or reject all of them.

The minimum amount of each bid will be UI 100,000 and multiples of UI 10,000 thereof. Total bids per institution cannot exceed the maximum amount accepted (200% of the base amount to be auctioned)

Both resident and non-resident investors are allowed to submit bids in this auction through any local broker and/or financial institution authorized by the Central Bank of Uruguay, provided they have an open account at one of these institutions. In addition, Treasury Notes auctioned may also be available through Global Depositary Notes (Euroclear, Clearstream and DTCeligible). Neither residents nor non-residents are subject to income tax when investing in Uruguayan government securities.

To purchase the Notes, the following can be used as a means for settlement:

- 1) Uruguayan Pesos or US Dollars.
- 2) The following Treasury Notes:

Instrument	Currency	ISIN	Maturity
Series 27	UI	UYNAOO027UI7	06-09-2024
Series 13	UI	UYNAOOO13UI7	05-25-2025
Series 28	UI	UYNAOOO28UI5	01-20-2026
Series 1	UP	UYNAOOOO1UP7	07-25-2025
Series 9	UYU	UYNAOOO09UY2	O8-18-2O25

All outstanding Monetary Regulation Bills (MRBs) issued by the CBU will be accepted as an option for settlement (except for those maturing the same day as the settlement of the auctioned Treasury Note). Access the CBU's communication here with details on the terms and conditions for the settlement option for MRBs.

Eligible Treasury Notes and Monetary Regulation Bills will be repurchased according to the last price/rate available at the time of the auction (including the accrued interest until the

settlement date, the day following the auction) following the <u>Reference Prices</u> prepared in accordance with the procedures established by the CBU.

The auction will close at 14:30 Montevideo time (UTC/GMT - 3 hours). The price and the amount accepted will be announced around one hour after the bidding period closes in the DMU and CBU respective websites.

The current outstanding of the Series 31 is UI 2,271 million. Total authorized amount to be issued is up to <u>UI 3,800 million</u>.¹ This amount can be increased during this year, and subject to market conditions, through an Executive Decree and Ministerial Resolution that authorizes it.

For further information please go to <u>deuda.mef.gub.uy</u> or call +598-21712-2957.

¹ According to Decree No. 2/O23 of January 2nd, 2O23 and Resolution N°. 8.718 of January 13th, 2O23.