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***Government of St Vincent and the Grenadines' 91-day Treasury bill Issue  
Raises \$24.61 Million***

The Government of St Vincent and the Grenadines' 91-day Treasury bill issue, auctioned on the Regional Government Securities Market using the primary market platform of the Eastern Caribbean Securities Exchange (ECSE), raised \$24.61 million.

Six licensed intermediaries placed a total of 15 bids, ranging between \$10,000 and \$7.0 million, with an aggregate value of \$24.61 million. A competitive uniform price auction methodology was used and the resulting discount rate was 5.50 per cent.

The Bank of St Vincent & the Grenadines, The Bank of Nevis Limited, ECFH Global Investment Solutions, First Citizens Investment Services Limited, Financial Investment and Consultancy Services Limited and National Mortgage Finance Company of Dominica Ltd were the brokers participating in this auction.