



THE PRESIDENT

# REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA

## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 127

### EXEMPTING THE LIBERIA WATER AND SEWER CORPORATION (LWSC) FROM CUSTOMS DUTIES ON SELECTED ITEMS

**WHEREAS**, the Liberia Water and Sewer Corporation (LWSC), is a government entity responsible for providing and ensuring the distribution of clean and safe drinking water, and maintaining effective sewerage services within Liberia;

**WHEREAS**, Executive Order #109 exempting the LWSC from customs duty has since expired even though the Government recognizes the need for the continuous process of providing and ensuring the distribution of clean and safe drinking water and maintaining an effective sewer system that will curtail potential disease outbreaks and other communicable diseases, and also maintaining the tariff at an affordable cost for the people of Liberia;

**WHEREAS**, Sanitation is an important component of the Government's ARREST Agenda, and the Government is committed to sustaining adequate water supply and exhaustively controlling the overflow of the sewerage in the streets of Monrovia and its environs;

**WHEREAS**, in the exercise of Executive power vested in the President by the Constitution, the President may issue Executive Orders in the public interest, either to meet emergencies or to correct particular situations which cannot await lengthy legislative processes;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Government of the Republic of Liberia in the interest of national reconstruction and development hereby issues this Executive Order #127 as follows:

That the below listed items are exempted from the payment of customs duties:

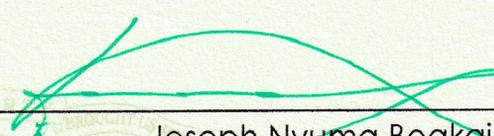
- a. Diesel Fuel for Operations and Production
- b. Rotable and consumable spares for Operation(s)
- c. Low lift and high lift pumps to be used at the Water Treatment Plant(s)
- d. Water Treatment Chemicals and Chlorinators
- e. Laboratory apparatus for water treatment facilities (White Plains and Outstations)



- f. Heavy duty equipment to include water and sewer trucks, asphalt cutter, jack hammer, leak detectors, valves (air relief, surge and line), pressure sewer cleaner and high pressure assorted pipes and fittings;
- g. Flow and water meters
- h. Heavy and light duty vehicles
- i. Generators

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE  
REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA, THIS 15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF  
MARCH, A.D. 2024.

  
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Joseph Nyuma Boakai, Sr.  
**PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA**

