



# REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA

THE PRESIDENT

## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 130 EXEMPTING NTA FROM CUSTOMS DUTY ON FUEL AND LUBRICANTS

**WHEREAS**, the National Transit Authority (NTA) was enacted into law on March 31, 2009 for the purpose of alleviating severe transportation shortage. NTA is also established for the purpose of providing affordable, reliable, efficient, effective and convenient transportation for the movement of people and goods within the urban and rural areas of Liberia;

**WHEREAS**, NTA's current financial and economic constraints have created a challenge that impedes the objective of an affordable and reliable national transportation initiative in Liberia. Therefore, an exemption on customs duty payment on fuel, lubricants, and spare parts is paramount for the growth of the sector;

**WHEREAS**, the exemption of these items will enable NTA minimize the cost of transportation, reduce the hardship and adequately serve the general public;

**WHEREAS**, NTA seeks to remedy this situation and requests that an Executive Order be issued granting duty free privileges for the exemption from payment of custom duty on all fuel, lubricants, spare parts and all other parts necessary for the smooth operation of the National Transit Authority vehicles and other machineries;

**WHEREAS**, the Executive Power is vested in the President of the Republic by the Liberian Constitution, to issue executive orders in the public interests either to meet exigencies or address particular situations which cannot await the lengthy legislative processes; and

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Joseph Nyuma Boakai, Sr., President of the Republic of Liberia hereby order, in the interest of national reconstruction and development, the exemption from payment of customs duty on all fuel and lubricants, tyres, and other spare parts required for vehicles and other machineries that are needed for the smooth operations of the National Transit Authority.

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon publication.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA, THIS 19<sup>th</sup>  
DAY OF APRIL A.D. 2024.

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