

DECISION N° **0765** D/MINFOF/CAB of **13 NOV 2023**

To temporarily suspend, Wood Processing Units of the Boumba and Ngoko, East Region.

THE MINISTRY OF FORESTRY AND WILDLIFE,

Mindful of the Constitution;

Mindful of Law No.94/01 of 20 January 1994 to lay down Forestry, Wildlife and Fisheries Regulation;

Mindful of Decree No. 95/531/PM of 23 August 1995 to lay down the conditions for the enforcement of the Forest Regulation;

Mindful of Decree No. 2005/099 of 6 April 2005 to organise the Ministry of Forestry and Wildlife, as amended and supplemented by Decree No. 2005/495 of 31 December 2005;

Mindful of Decree No.2011/408 of 9 December 2011 to organise the Government, amended and supplemented by Decree No.2018/190 of 2 March 2018;

Mindful of Decree No.2018/191 of 2 March 2018 to reshuffle the Government;

Mindful of Order No.0878/MINFOF/MINCOMMERCE of 26 April 2010 on the organisation and functioning of the Domestic Timber Market "DTM" in Cameroon

Mindful of Report on the mission to monitor and control physical DTM sites in the Centre, East and South Regions, and to control a number of sites to house Wood Processing Units (WPU) in the East Region.

HEREBY DECIDES AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1: Pursuant to the combined provisions of Article 65 of Law No. 94/01 of 20 January 1994 to lay down Forestry, Wildlife and Fisheries Regulation and Articles 130,131, 132 and 133 of Decree No. 95/531 of 23rd August 1995 to lay down terms and conditions for the enforcement of Forest Regulations, and Articles 5 and 11 of Order No.0878/MINFOF/MINCOMMERCE of 26 April 2010 on the organisation and functioning of the Domestic Timber Market "DTM" in Cameroon, are hereby temporarily suspended for 3 (three) months from the date of signature of this Decision, for their illegal nature and the presence of illegal timber that have been observed, the following sites of the Domestic Timber Market, located in Boumba and Ngoko Division, East Region. These are:

- **Ets FADA ;**
- **Ets PREMIER SENATEUR ;**
- **Ets BARKAT ;**
- **Ets Five Stars ;**
- **Ets Senior Living.**

Article 2: This suspension entails:

- A stop to activities;
- A stop to the issuance of secured documents as well as a suspension of signature of these documents.

Article 3: This suspension shall only be lifted after the final settlement of the litigation pending against them.

Article 4: The Director of Forestry, the Director of Promotion and Processing of Forest Products, the Regional Delegate of Forestry and Wildlife for the East and the Divisional Delegate of Forestry and Wildlife for Boumba and Ngoko, shall, each in their respective spheres, be responsible for the enforcement of this Decision which shall be which shall be registered and published as and where necessary.

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