



**Circular N° 0132 /LC/MINFOF/CAB of 21 JUL 2023 To intensify the monitoring and control of wildlife activities.**

## The Minister

To

### Regional Delegates of Forestry and Wildlife

- Adamawa;
- Centre;
- East;
- North;
- and South.

It has come to my notice that the monitoring of wildlife activities in **Hunting Zones (ZICs), Community-Managed Hunting Zones (ZICGCs) and Co-Managed Hunting Zones (ZICCGs)** has not been effective since 2021, when some tax payments on sport hunting were transferred to the central service in Yaounde, thereby yielding the following consequences:

- poor management of hunting activities;
- failure by leaseholders to comply with specification clauses;
- poor monitoring of wildlife potential in hunting zones.

In this regard, I urge you to issue a **Notification to launch Hunting Activities** in each hunting zone within your jurisdiction, at the beginning of each hunting season, upon presentation of the following documents:

- authorisation for wildlife exploitation as a hunting guide;
- valid hunting guide permit;
- valid hunting guide licences;
- authorisation to keep a weapon, where applicable;
- special authorisation from MINFOF to hunt fully protected species (lion, elephant, sassaby, etc.) in accordance with the shooting plan for the current year;
- wildlife inventory report validated by MINFOF;
- proof of payment of all required taxes (leasing tax, killing tax, etc.);
- sub-contracting contracts, where applicable;
- insurance certificate.

I equally request that you forward a notification on the suspension of hunting activities in each zone at the end of each hunting season.

May you consider the instructions contained in this Circular seriously



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- BNC;
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- All leaseholders;
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