



# ADAMAWA STATE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

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His Excellency,  
The Governor of Adamawa State,

Through:

The Secretary to the State Government,  
Office of the Secretary to the State Government,  
State Secretariat Complex,  
Yola.

Sir,

### FORWARDING OF HOUSE RESOLUTION

Sir, kindly refer to your letter No. GHA/S/528/S.1/225 dated 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024 '*Forwarding of a Draft Regulation for the Prohibition/Removal of Right of Way Fee of N100.00 per Linear Meter*'.

Your Excellency may wish to be informed that the Hon. House during plenary of Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2024 has considered and approved the **Adamawa State Regulation for the Prohibition/Removal of Right of Way (Row) Fee of N100.00 per Linear Meter as captured in the Adamawa State Revenue Administration Law, 2020.**

Your Excellency Sir, **attached herewith** is the approved **Adamawa State Regulation for the Prohibition/Removal of Right of Way Fee of N100.00 per Linear Meter for the purpose of Deploying Fiber Optic Cable** for execution.



After Your Excellency's execution, two (2) copies of the signed Regulation, should be retained in your office while the other two (2) are to be returned, for our further action, please.

Accept, as always, the assurances of the Hon. House at all times.



**Umar Usman Hamidu Laleh**

Clerk to the House



Regulation no:..... of 2024

## ADAMAWA STATE GOVERNMENT OF NIGERIA

**Adamawa State Regulation for the Prohibition/Removal of Right of Way (RoW) Fee of N100:00 Per Linear Meter as Captured in the Adamawa Revenue Administration Law, 2020.**

A Regulation made for the Prohibition/Removal of Right of Way fee of N100:00 per linear meter on behalf of Adamawa State as follows:

**1. Authority:**

SECTION 1: In execution of the powers conferred upon me by **section 128** of the Adamawa State Revenue Administration Law No. 12 of 2020 and all other powers enabling me in that behalf, **I, RT Hon Ahmadu Umaru Fintiri, CON, GSSRS, the Executive Governor of Adamawa State** hereby make the following regulations.

**2. Prohibition/Removal of Right of Way fee of N100:00 per linear meter:**

SECTION 2: From the date of commencement of this Regulation, the fee of N100:00 charged on Right of Way per linear meter for the purpose of deploying Fiber Optic Cable across Adamawa State is hereby prohibited/removed in order to attract significant support and intervention from the Nigeria Communications Commission and this will position Adamawa State as a leading State in Digital Transformation particularly in the Northeast Region.

**3. Taxes covered by this Regulation:**

SECTION 3: The fee contemplated under this Regulation is Right of Way fee of N100:00 per linear meter, an item under 47 (a) (Town Planning Charges) in the First Schedule for the Adamawa State Revenue Administration Law, 2020 for the purpose of deploying fiber optic cable across Adamawa State and any and other revenue Laws as may be passed by the State House of Assembly.

**4. Responsibility for Enforcement:**

The Adamawa State Urban Planning and Development Board shall be responsible for enforcing the new Regulation for all new applications for Right of Way for the purpose of deploying fiber optic cable across Adamawa State. Therefore, no fee shall be charged for that purpose.

5. **Review of the Regulations:**

SECTION 4: This Regulation is subject to review as the need may arise by the Executive Governor subject to the Resolution of the Adamawa State House of Assembly.

6. **Commencement:**

SECTION 5: This Regulation shall come into force on the date the Executive Governor assent to it after the Adamawa State House of Assembly have considered and passed its resolution on it.

7. **Interpretation**

SECTION 6: In this Law, unless the context otherwise requires interpretation: "Board" means the State Board of Urban Planning and Development Board.

"Executive Governor" means the Governor of Adamawa State.

"Right of Way (RoW)" means the legal right established by usage or grant, to pass along a specific route through grounds or property for the purpose of deploying fiber optic cable.

"Fiber Optic Cable" refers to the technology associated with the transmission of information as light impulses along a glass or plastic wire or fiber.

8. **Citation:**

SECTION 7: This Regulation may be cited as the Adamawa State Regulation for Prohibition/Removal of Right of Way fee of N100.00 Per Linear Meter for the Purpose of Deploying Fiber Optic Cable, No. .... of 2024, and shall come into force on ..... day of Oct, 2024.

*Umaru Fintiri*

RT. Hon. Ahmadu Umaru Fintiri CON, GSSRS  
Executive Governor  
Adamawa State of Nigeria.