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ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

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COUNCIL FOR THE REGULATION OF FREIGHT FORWARDING IN NIGERIA ACT. CAP. C16 LFN, 2007

ISSUANCE AND RENEWAL OF CUSTOMS LICENCE AND GATE PASS REGULATIONS, 2019

[18th Day of February, 2019]

Commencement.

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 25 and 29 (1) of the Council for the Regulation of Freight Forwarding in Nigeria Act, Cap C 16, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2007 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Council, with the approval of the Honourable Minister of Transportation, makes the following Regulations—

1.—(1) The Nigerian Customs Service shall, in accordance with the provisions of section 19 (1) and (2) of the Council for the Regulation of Freight Forwarding in Nigeria (CRFFN) Act Cap C. 16 LFN, 2007, issue or renew Customs License of an applicant who has submitted a copy of—

Issuance and renewal of Customs License.

- (a) certificate of registration; and
- (b) receipt of payment for-
 - (i) registration,
 - (ii) annual subscription, and
 - (iii) practitioner's operating fee.

issued by the Council.

2. A Freight Forwarder shall possess the CRFFN Certificate of Registration or Identity card as a pre-requisite for gate pass to operate at the seaports, cargo airports and land border stations.

Issuance of Gate pass.

3. The Council may, from time to time, amend or revoke the provisions of these Regulations.

Power to amend or revoke these Regulations.

4. These Regulations may be cited as the Council for the Regulation of Freight Forwarding in Nigeria (Issuance and Renewal of Customs Licence and Gate Pass) Regulations, 2019.

Citation.

MADE at Abuja this 18th day of February, 2019.

ABUBAKAR A. TSANNI
Chairman
Council for the Regulation of Freight
Forwarding in Nigeria

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

(This note does not form part of the above Regulations but is intended to explain its purport)

These Regulations seek to provide a legal framework for the issuance and renewal of Customs Licence and gate pass in Nigeria.