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## **PUBLIC NOTICE!**

CONTNUATION FOR THE CONDUCT OF ELECTION INTO THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE REGULATION OF FREIGHT FORWARDING IN NIGERIA (CRFFN)

Sequel to the expiration of the two years tenure of the Governing Board of Council for the Regulation of Freight Forwarding in Nigeria (CRFFN), the Honourable Minister of Transportation in the exercise of the power conferred on him by Section 2 (1) (f) of CRFFN Act 2007, has constituted an Electoral Committee to conduct election into the Governing Board of the Council. The Act provides that an elected or appointed member of the Governing Council shall hold office for a period of two (2) years beginning from the date of election or appointment as applicable.

- 2. You may wish to note that Section 2(1) (g) of the enabling Act states that "five persons to be elected from amongst registered freight forwarders operating in each of the following zones:
  - Western Ports 5 persons
  - Eastern Ports 5 persons
  - Cargo Airports/Land Borders 5 persons
- 3. Consequently, all eligible registered Freight Forwarders are hereby informed that the Electoral Committee will commence the election process as contained in the Time Table as follows:
  - SCREENING AND ACCREDITATION: 7<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 in Lagos, Port Harcourt, Abuja respectively.
    - Screening of candidates from Western Ports at Command Guest House,
       Child Avenue, Apapa, Lagos: 7th 8th March, 2022 from 10am 4pm daily.

- Screening of candidates from Eastern Ports at Presidential Hotel, Port Harcourt, Rivers State: 7th – 8th March, 2022 from 10am – 4pm daily.
- Screening of candidates from Cargo Airports/Land Borders for those in the Northern region at Shehu Musa Yar' Adua Centre, Central Business District, Abuja: 7th – 8th March, 2022 from 10am – 4pm daily.
- ii. <u>ELECTION Wednesday, 9th March, 2022 in Lagos, Port Harcourt, Abuja respectively.</u>
  - a. Election of candidates from Western Ports, Airport/Land Borders to be held in Lagos: Command Guest House, Child Avenue, Apapa, Lagos.
  - b. Election of candidates from Eastern Ports, Airport/Land Borders to be held in Port Harcourt: **Presidential Hotel, Port Harcourt, Rivers State.**
  - c. Election of candidates from Northern Zone for Airport/Land Borders to be held in Abuja: Shehu Musa Yar' Adua Centre, Central Business District, Abuja.
- iii. The election shall start at 10am prompt.
- iv. RECEIPT OF COMPLAINTS AND DECISION ON SAME

  Receipt of complaints from 10<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2022

  Decision and recommendations on all complaints: 15<sup>th</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2022.
- 4. In view of the above, all registered Freight Forwarders should adhere to the election time table. Also guidelines for the conduct of the election shall be given at the screening venue.

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Chairman of the Electoral Committee