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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Attention: To All Private Schools

Topic: Annual School Registration of Private Schools

The Liberia Revenue Authority (LRA) in collaboration with the Ministry of Education informs all private schools operating in Liberia that the deadline for their annual registration and/or renewal of their School Operating Permits is extended to September 30, 2017.

This final extension is to allow voluntary registration by all schools which will be followed by further enforcement actions.


Owners of all categories of private schools including Childhood Education/Kindergarten, Elementary, Junior and Senior High schools as well as vocational schools are advised to begin the process at the office of the District Education Officer. When the Payment Voucher is approved by the County Education Officer, the operator then pays at the closest Revenue Office. The Official Revenue Receipt should be taken to the County Education Office to obtain the School Operational Permit.

Payments are made into Government Revenue Account only. Anyone paying otherwise will be doing so at his /her own risk.

The Liberia Revenue Authority and the Ministry of Education will begin a joint rigorous school inspection exercise effective October 2, 2017. Schools found without current Operational Permits will be penalized in consonance with the regulation on Illegal Operation of school.

The Ministry of Education and the Liberia Revenue Authority anticipate the full cooperation of all school operators as we strive to operate in compliance with all regulations and standards in Liberia.

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