



**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 77**

**EXEMPTING THE NATIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY AND  
THE LIBERIA BROADCASTING SYSTEM  
FROM CUSTOMS DUTIES ON FUEL AND LUBRICANTS**

**WHEREAS**, the need for customs duty exemption on fuel and lubricants to provide public transportation and to generate electricity to widely broadcast information is imperative at this time of rising costs and rapid development;

**WHEREAS**, Government seeks to minimize the cost of transportation provided by the National Transit Authority in serving the general public;

**WHEREAS**, the need also exists to ensure the dissemination of information to the general public through the state-owned Liberia Broadcasting System; and,

**WHEREAS**, in the absence of hydro or alternative power, fuel is the key ingredient in the generation of electricity in Liberia;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Government of the Republic of Liberia in the interest of national reconstruction and development hereby:

Exempts from the payment of customs duty all fuel and lubricants acquired for the use of the Liberia Broadcasting System (LBS), and the National Transit Authority (NTA) in carrying out their respective mandates.

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF  
THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA THIS 1<sup>st</sup> DAY  
OF AUGUST 2016.

A handwritten signature in green ink, reading "Ellen Johnson Sirleaf".

Ellen Johnson Sirleaf  
**PRESIDENT  
REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA**