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August 3, 2016

Hon. J. Augustine Kwalah
Salayea Community Forest
Salayea District
Lofa County, Liberia

Dear Hon. Kwalah,


We are pleased to present our compliments and inform you that, after carefully reviewing and screening your resubmitted application for Authorized Community Forest Status, the Forestry Development Authority (FDA) is pleased to notify you that your application has met the basic requirements and is approved to proceed to the next step which is the posting of notice in for the conduct of a Socio Economic and Resource Reconnaissance Survey (SERRS).

In according with the Forestry Development Authority (FDA) Regulations to the Community Rights Law (CRL) with respect to Forest Land Chapter 2; Section 7; the FDA is informing you that at the soonest possible time a team will arrive and a thirty days' notice shall be given to your community and adjacent communities for the conduct of a Socio Economic and Resource Reconnaissance Survey (SERRS). This notice shall be provided with clear guidance on how transparency will be promoted with in the process.

Thanks for your usual cooperation and looking forward to working with you.

Best Regards

Sincerely Yours,


Harrison S. Karnwea
Managing Director

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