



23rd March 2022

Hon. Paran Umar Tarawally Clerk of Parliament House of Parliament Tower Hill Freetown

Dear Honourable,

Request for a copy of the resolution of Parliament for the acquisition of land for the construction of a fish harbour at Black Johnson Village

We write as a follow-up to our previous correspondence on the above subject. We have become aware of the attached public notice dated 11th March 2022 from the Ministry of Lands, Housing and Country Planning (MLHCP) that is circulating in the media and which lists coordinates of land purportedly at Black Johnson Village in the Western Area that is to be acquired by the Government of Sierra Leone for the construction of a proposed fish harbour. We are also aware that the MLHCP laid before Parliament a site survey plan for land at Black Johnson in December 2021.

We, therefore, write to request pursuant to section 2 of the Right to Access Information Act 2013 a copy of the resolution made by Parliament as required by Section 3 of the Public Lands Act, Chapter 116, declaring that the land contained in the said survey plan shall be acquired by the Government for the purpose of construction of a fish harbour at Black Johnson. We would also be grateful if you can attach any documents that were the subject of any such resolution by the House of Parliament, such as the survey plan.

The requested information may be sent to Namati, 17B Murray Town Road, Freetown, or by email to sierraleone@namati.org.

Thank you in anticipation of a speedy response.

Yours sincerely,

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