

STATE ACTION ON BUSINESS ENABLING REFORMS (SABER)

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S/N	Business Enabling Reform Areas	Reform Objectives	Action Steps	Description and Key Targets	Responsible MDA	Contributing MDAs	Budget	Planned Start Date	Planned End Date	Status	Description of Status	Next Steps
1	Improved Land Administration and Land Investment Process	1. Enhance the transparency and efficiency of registering and administering land titles. Improve land administration and increase land investments in agriculture.	1. Streamline the processes for obtaining CofOs and Building Permits and publish processes, timelines and fees on the Ministry of Lands and Surveys & URPB websites 2. Drive online payment of fees and submission of forms 3. Creation of a data-centric digital archive of CofOs and building permits with a searchable index 1. Understudy experience of implementation in Kaduna and Ogun States. 2. Develop a Framework For Responsible And Inclusive Land-Intensive Agriculture (FRILIA)	1. Streamline the processes for obtaining CofOs and Building Executive Order to establish a transparent foundation for the procedures, processes, and organizational arrangements to govern large-scale and inclusive agribusiness investments in Sokoto State	Ministry of Lands and Housing, Urban and Regional Planning Min of justice, Min of Commerce and Ministry of Agric. , Min. of environment	SOIRS	Yet to Get Actual	30/1/2023	28/4/2023	Project Ongoing	Achieved	Achieved
2	Increased fiber optic network deployment and access to broadband	Improve the chances of receiving investments by making the process of obtaining Right of Way (ROW) transparent, affordable and accountable.	1. Compile and publish on the state official website: the process for obtaining ROW including all relevant MDAs, timeframes, and costs.	Transparency and accountability in the process of ROW with official information online on process for obtaining ROW to guide potential investors	MCIT, Ministry of Works, Ministry of Science, Technology & Innovations, IRS	SSURPB	1. Forms For Application N50,000. 2. Approval Forms N250,000. 3. Computer Accessories N100,000. 4. Plane Sheets A4 N20,000. 5. File Jackets N50,000. 6. Hp Laptop 4 Pieces. 7. Other Office ;Accessories N500,000 8, Color Printer N 200,000	1/30/2023	28/7/2023	Achieved	Achieved	Achieved
3	Increased Sustainable Large-Scale Investments	Stimulate sustainable large-scale investments through public-private partnerships and robust investment promotion framework. .	1. Strengthen technical Public-Private Partnership Policy (PPP) coordination to facilitate investments particularly with the green economic zone. 2. Strengthen and expand investment promotion services 3. Amend the IPA law to further strengthen investment promotion coordination.	A published pipeline of large-scale public-private collaborations in Sokoto State. Issue an executive order to mandate the investment co. to coordinate investment promotion.	State House of Assembly, Ministry of Justice, Chamber of Commerce, Ministry of Finance State House of Assembly, Ministry of Justice, Chamber of Commerce	SBPP Sokoto Investment Company Limited	N1,870,000.00	30/1/2023	29/9/2023	Achieved	Achieved	Achieved

4	Enabling Firm Operations and Regulatory Regorms	<p>Increase transparency, accountability, and efficiency in service delivery of five BEE state MDAs while promoting openness.</p> <p>Developing guidelines to enhance trade and promote exports from the state</p>	<p>1. State Government to mandate Five BEEs: BPP, SOWB, URPB, IRS & MCIT to publish their processes, fees, and service level agreements (SLAs).</p> <p>2. The Five BEEs to institute and adopt Grievance Redress Mechanism that will ensure fulfilment of obligations.</p> <p>1. Develop the state export strategy and guidelines</p>	<p>The government will issue an executive order to mandate the five BEEs to ensure they fulfil their obligations to the private sector in line with established service level agreements and continually communicate to ease the experience of businesses and investors.</p> <p>A purposeful, clear and focused path towards boosting trade activities and proceeds for the state.</p>	<p>Ministry of Justice</p> <p>Ministry of Commerce, Industry and trade</p>	<p>SBPP, SOWB, URPB, IRS & MCIT, Ministry of Agriculture</p> <p>Ministry of Agriculture, Internal Revenue Service, SCEP</p>	<p>(1) Gazetting of five (5) Executive Orders 300 copies of each Executive Orders at the rate of #1,000 per copy. Each Executive Order is = #1,000 x 300 copies = #300,000. Five (5) Executive orders = #300,000 x 5 = #1,500,000 (2) 2HP Laptops = #1,000,000 (3) Stationeries = #100,000 (4) Miscellaneous = #100,000 TOTAL #2,700,000</p>	<p>6/2/2023</p> <p>2/4/2023</p>	<p>30/6/2023</p> <p>31/7/2023</p>	<p>Achieved</p> <p>The Processes are on going</p>	<p>Achieved</p> <p>Inability of both parties to fulfill their obligations i.e SOSG, NJCC and NEPC</p>	<p>Achieved</p> <p>To Revisit by intimating the supporting MDAs for the readiness of the State Government in reviving the</p>
5	Quick determination of commercial disputes	Establish and operationalize small claims commercial courts to improve access to commercial courts and offer alternative, prompt dispute resolution.	1. To set up the judicial committee and establish small claims courts.	The establishment and operationalisation of a minimum of two small claims courts.	State High Court	Ministry of Justice. IRS.	N100,000,000.00	11/1/2023	30/6/2023	Achieved	Achieved	Completed