



24th November 2020

The Managing Director
Niger Delta Development Commission (NDDC)
NDDC Headquarters
167 Aba Road
Port Harcourt
Rivers State



Dear Sir,

**RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (FOI) ACT: TRACKING AND REPORTING OF
NDDC PROJECTS IN ESE ODO, ILAJE, IRELE AND OKITIPUPA LGAS IN ONDO
STATE**

I write on behalf of the Human and Environmental Development Agenda (HEDA Resource Centre) and Technocrat Media House. HEDA Resource Centre is a leading anticorruption organization in Nigeria with the mandate to protect and promote universally recognized human rights, accountability and environmental justice in Nigeria and Africa, in accordance with international standards. Technocrat Media House is an independent media organization amplifying new narratives inspiring great audience for social change.

We write as a follow up to the request written by Technocrat Media House requesting information on the above subject matter. In the letter of the 25th September 2020, Technocrat Media House stated in the letter that our organization, HEDA Resource Centre is a sponsor of the #Followtheprojects. The letter had been written by Technocrat Media House for over one month and same is yet to be responded to, hence the need for this follow up and reminder.

It is against this backdrop that we reiterate the following on behalf of Technocrat Media House and HEDA Resource Centre as follows;

1. Detailed breakdown of the projects identified across communities in the four local governments
 - a. Total amount of funds budgeted for the projects
 - b. Total amount that have been released to contractors to carry out the projects
 - c. The period when the projects were awarded
 - d. When the projects were supposed to be completed and commissioned
 - e. The period the contractors abandoned the projects
 - f. The names of companies and consultants involved in the projects
 - g. The exact approved location of the projects
 - h. Copies of the letters of the award of the contract should be made available
 - i. Evidence of any effort that has been made by NDDC to compel contractors to complete the projects

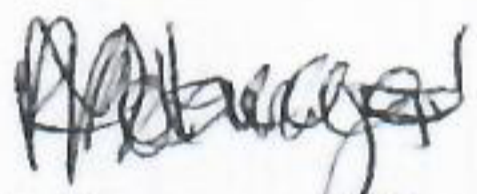
Section 20 of the Freedom of Information Act provides that any applicant who has been denied access to information or a part thereof, may apply to the court for a review of the matter within 30 days after which the public institution denies or is deemed to have denied the application, or within such further time as the court may either before or after the expiration of the 30 days fix or allow.

I look forward to receiving the information promptly via either of these email address: info@hedang.org or projects@technocratmediang.com, 08106292155; and in any event, within 7 days of the receipt of this application, as required by the FOI Act, 2011.

Should you require any clarification regarding this application, please do not hesitate to contact the above-mentioned email addresses

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Rebecca David
Legal Officer

