

YOBE STATE BUSINESS ENABLING REFORM ACTION PLAN 2024

PROGRESS REPORT

s	Business Enabling Reform Areas	Reform Objectives	Action Steps	Description and Key Targets	Responsible MDA	Contributing MDAs	List of Private Sector Contributors	Budget	Planned Start Date	Planned End Date	Status	Description of status	Next Steps
	Improved transparency in Land Administration and Land-based Investment Process	(i) Enhance land administration and transparency of registration of property	Digitize CoFOs registered from 1 January 2012 to December 31, 2024	Achieve the digitization and archiving of at least 71% of CoFOs in Yobe	Yobe GIS	Ministry of Lands		N1,200,000,000.00	01-Jan-24	31-Dec-24	Done.	YOGIS have digitized and archive at least 71% of CoFO registered between 1January to December 31, 2024.	Is to efficiently close the 29% gap while ensuring reliability and scalability of the archive for long-term use.
			Develop Framework for Responsible and Inclusive Land Intensive Agriculture (FRILIA) toolkits	(i) Establish a Steering Committee on FRILIA (ii) Create an interministerial consultative platform to address FRILIA challenges	Ministry of Agriculture and Natural Development	Ministry of Lands, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Housing and Urban Development, Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Trade, Yobe State Internal Revenue Service (YIRS)		N100,000,000	01-Jan-24	30-Jun-24	Done.	Develop FRILIA, established Steering committee also an interministerial consultative platforms to adress FRILIA challenges was created.	Transform FRILIA governance structures from conceptual frameworks into actionable, results-Continuous engaging the general public making enquiry on the various platforms.
2	Improved regulatory framework for private investment in fiber optic infrastructure	Minimize high cost of infrastructure services as incentive for providing efficient broadband service in Yobe State	Publish on state website procedures, approved ROW related requests	Enhance transparency in approval process	Ministry of Lands, Ministry of Housing and Urban Development	YIRS		Not Applicable	01-Jan-24	31-12-24	Done.	Ministry of Housing and Urban Development has published on the State website procedures and process of getting ROW.	
	Develop an effective framework for Public Private Partnerships	Establish effective Public Private Partnership (PPP) framework for the State	Develop a web-based PPP disclosure portal of the pipeline projects	YIPA to create a PPP disclosure portal on her website and state official website for enhance transparency in PPP projects.	YIPA	Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Trade		N50,000,000	01-Jan-24	30-Jun-24	Done	YAPPPP have created a PPP disclosure portal https://ppp.yobeinvest.ng/ and this enhanced transparency in PPP projects.	Transform the PPP Disclosure Portal into a dynamic, user-centric tool that drives
			Publish the PPP Fiscal Commitment and Contingent Liability Management Framework; PPP legal and institutional framework and the PPP	YIPA to create guidelines and framework for PPP projects in the State and publish same on the IPA website	YIPA	Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Trade		N15,000,000	01-Jan-24	30-Apr-24	Executed	YAPPPP has created guidelines and framework for PPP projects in the State and publish same on the website.	Maintenance of webpage for continuous interaction.
			Establish a State Project Facilitation Fund with a minimum funding of 3% of the total pipeline estimated capital investment	Catalyze public private investments with facilitation fund and ensure that feasibility study on at least one PPP project is completed	Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Budget and Planning	Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Trade, YIPA		N15,000,000	01-Jan-24	30-06-24	Done.	Feasibility study have been completed on the 100MW solar energy project. Yobe state have 3% of the total pipeline estimated capital investment as facilitation fund.	Monitoring the pipeline project progress.
5	Simplification of State and Local Business Tax Regimes	This reform is aimed at making it easy to understand and make payment for tax in Yobe State	Subsume all business-related local government charges/fees/taxes into a consolidated demand notice	Create harmonized Demand Notice for all taxes, fees and levies in the State.	YIRS	Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Local Government and Chieftancy Affairs, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Budget and Planning		N125,000,000	01-Jan-24	30-May-24	Executed.	Consolidated demand notice has been achieved through law amendment .	A streamlined, transparent, and legally robust consolidated demand notice system that reduces administrative burden, minimizes disputes, and enhances public trust in governance
			Develop an electronic platform for collection of taxes,levies and fees from businesses and generate automated e-receipt for State and Local Governments	Electronic platform will automate consolidated payment for relevant fees and increase adoption of e-payment of taxes	Yobe State Internal Revenue Service, Ministry of Local Government and Chieftancy Affairs,	Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Budget and Planning		N1,200,000,000	01-Jan-24	31-Dec-24	Achieved	Electronic platform for the collection of taxes. Levies and fees has also been achieved. We are yet to sign MOU with LG councils on the issue of consolidated demand notice	Following up on state to getting the MOU signed.
	Quick determination of commercial disputes	This reform area will improve the State Judiciary and strengthen access to an efficient commercial justice	Develop and publish monthly performance reports for all small claims court in Yobe State	The Judiciary will provide monthly performance reports on the activities of the small claims court on a monthly basis	Yobe State Judiciary	Ministry of Justice		N50,000,000	01-Jan-24	31-12-24	Created	A monthly performance report of the small claim courts activities was developed and published.	Subsiquent publication of reports.
			The state judiciary's small claims court performance report will include the time to disposition indicator showing that cases are disposed of within 60 days	The small claims court magistrates are to ensure at least 60% performance achievement	Yobe State Judiciary	Ministry of Justice		Not Applicable	01-Jan-24	31-12-24	Achieved	Yobe state small claim courts ensure that at least 60% of its performance was achieved also the time of disposition was captured.	Continuous capturing of disposition.