SIERRA LEONE NATIONAL FLAGSHIP LEGAL CONFERENCE OFFICIAL NOTICE OF FURTHER RESCHEDULING

The Organising Committee wishes to inform the public, members of the legal profession, registered participants, invited speakers, moderators, partners and other stakeholders that the Sierra Leone National Flagship Legal Conference, previously rescheduled to **23–24 November 2026**, will now take place on **Monday, 30 November and Tuesday, 1 December 2026**, at the Freetown International Conference Centre, Aberdeen, Freetown.

REASON FOR THE RESCHEDULING

This further adjustment has become necessary in light of the ongoing proceedings before the Supreme Court of Sierra Leone concerning the consolidated constitutional amendment matters.

By notice dated 17 November 2026, the Judiciary announced that the proceedings, which were initially scheduled to commence on 18 November, had been adjourned and rescheduled for hearing from **Monday, 23 November to Friday, 27 November 2026**.

The Honourable Chief Justice and the Honourable Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, under whose joint authority the Conference is convened, are both involved in the constitutional proceedings and have important roles to play at the Conference. In addition, several members of the legal profession who are scheduled to speak, moderate panels and contribute to the Conference are also engaged in the proceedings.

The Organising Committee considers it important to allow the Supreme Court proceedings to continue without avoidable competing demands on the time and participation of the principal officeholders and legal practitioners involved. At the same time, the Committee is keen to ensure that the Conference achieves its intended purpose through the full and meaningful participation of its convening authorities, speakers, moderators, partners and the wider legal community.

The decision to reschedule is therefore guided by the need to respect the importance of the constitutional proceedings before the Supreme Court while preserving the opportunity for the legal profession and other stakeholders to participate fully in this important national initiative.

NEW CONFERENCE DATES

The Conference will now be held as follows:

Dates: Monday, 30 November – Tuesday, 1 December 2026
Venue: Freetown International Conference Centre, Aberdeen, Freetown.

All existing registrations and invitations remain valid for the new dates. Registered participants and invited guests are therefore not required to re-register or submit new applications.

The Conference theme, objectives and programme remain unchanged. Any further information concerning programme arrangements and other logistical matters will be communicated through the Conference Secretariat and the official Conference website.

The Organising Committee sincerely regrets any inconvenience this further adjustment may cause and appreciates the understanding, patience and continued support of all participants, invited guests, partners and stakeholders.

We remain committed to delivering a meaningful national platform for reflection and dialogue on the future of the legal profession and look forward to welcoming you on **30 November and 1 December 2026**.

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