31st January, 2017

Dear Sir,

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (FOI) REQUEST FOR THE LIST OF ALL REGISTERED PRIVATE SECURITY GUARD COMPANIES IN NIGERIA

The Public and Private Development Centre (PPDC) is a citizen sector organisation that seeks to promote increased citizen’s participation in governance in a way that supports improved integrity in public sector governance systems through monitoring and reporting on public finance expenditure. On behalf of PPDC, we write pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 2011 to request for the list of all private guard companies in Nigeria registered by the NSCDC in accordance with the provisions of section 3(1) (b) & (d) of the NSCDC Act 2007 which requires the Corp to "supervise and monitor the activities of all private guard companies and keep a register for that purpose".

This request is in line with Section 2 (1) & (2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2011 which requires that "a public institution shall ensure the proper organization and maintenance of all information in its custody in a manner that facilitates public access to such information..."

We would appreciate it if the information is made available to us promptly but in any event, not later than 7 days from the date of receipt of this application, as required by the Freedom of Information Act. 2011.

Should you require any clarification regarding this application, do not hesitate to contact us at this phone number: 07066618896 or via email: ppdc@procurementmonitor.org

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Nkem Ilo,
Chief Operating Officer,
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