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## **Regulation C/REG.13/12/01 on Roads that have assumed greater importance in supporting Intra-Community Trade and Cross-Border Movement**

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### **The Council of Ministers,**

**MINDFUL** of Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the treaty establishing the Council of Ministers and defining its composition and functions;

**MINDFUL** of Article 32 of the Treaty relating to cooperation in transport, communications and tourism;

**MINDFUL** of Decision A/DEC.20/5/80 of the Authority of Heads of State and Government dated 29th May 1980 relating to the Community Transport Programme;

**MINDFUL** of Decision C/DEC.8/12/88 of the Council of Ministers on the second phase of ECOWAS road projects relating to interconnecting roads for the opening up of the land-locked countries;

**CONSIDERING** Article 3 of Convention A/P2/5/82 regulating Inter-State Road Transportation between ECOWAS Member States which states that the list of inter-State road axes is provisional and may be modified by Council of Ministers upon the recommendation of the Transport Commission;

**ON THE RECOMMENDATION** of the Transport, Communications and Tourism Commission which met in Cotonou from 25 to 27 July 2001;

**ENACTS**

### **Article 1**

The following roads are hereby approved as part of the Community road axes:

#### **A) Interconnecting roads**

#### **In Benin**

1.	Doume-Tchetti-Savalou-Glazoue-Save-Okeowo	107.5 km
2.	Frontiere Togo-Aphahoue-Abomey-Ketou-Illara (Nigeria Border)	155 km
3.	Akpro-Misserete-Adjohoun-Bonou-Kpedekpo	98 km
4.	Porto Novo-Pobe-Ketou	109 km
5.	Burkina Faso border-keremou-Bankoara-Kandi-Segbana front Nigeria	222 km

### In Burkina Faso

1.	Bobo-Dedougou-Tougan-Ouahigouya	361 km
2.	Kantchari-Kodjari-Benin border	144 km
3.	Pa-Dano-Diebougou-Gaoua-Cote d'Ivoire border	231 km

### In Cote D'Ivoire

Bouna-Doropo Burkina border	90 km
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### In Ghana

Kumasi-Sunyani-Dormaa Ahenkro-Gonokrom Cote d'Ivoire border	209 km
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### In Guinea

1.	Labe-Mali-Kedougou (Senegal)	300 km
2.	Labe-Tougue-Dinguiraye-Siguiri	460 km
3.	Siguin-Kignekourou-Niagassola-Mali border	155 km

### In Mali

1.	Diema-Sandara-Kayes-Senegal border	350 km
2.	Nioro-Sansare	110 km
3.	Kayes-Sadiola-Kenieba	250 km
4.	Benena-Burkina border	46 km
5.	Yelimane-Nioro	120 km
6.	Bougouni-Manankoro-Cote d'Ivoire border	123 km
7.	Kita-Sirakorola-Guinea border	100 km

### In Niger

1.	Tsemaoua-Dabnou	30 km
2.	Zinder-Nagaria-Nigeria border	111 km
3.	Niamey-Bellayara	96 km
4.	Niamey-Farie	62 km
5.	Sabon gari-Gaya-Sabon gari	70 km
6.	Filingue-Tahoua	244 km
7.	Niamey-Quallan	100 km
8.	N'Guigmi-Tchad border	117 km
9.	Niamey-Namaro-Farie	65 km
10.	Diffa-Dutsi-Damsak	28 km
11.	Maine-Soroa-Geidam-Nigeria border	57 km
12.	Doulsou-Yatakala-Burkina border	29 km
13.	Ayerou-Inates-Mali border	30km

### In Nigeria

1.	Warri-Benin City-Lokoja- Abuja	521 km
2.	Abuja-Jos	300 km
3.	Jebba-Mokwa-Bida-Lapai- Suleja-Abuja	333 km
4.	Port Harcourt-Onitsha- Enugu-Makurdi-Jos-Bauchi- Maiduguri-Ngala (Lake Chad)	1200 km
5.	Calabar-Ogoja-Wukari- Jalingo-Numan-Maiduguri- Damsak	1350 km

### In Liberia

1.	Gbanga-Voinjama-Guinea Border	213 km
2.	Voinjama-Mendikorma-Sierra Leone border	68 km
3.	Tobli-Zwedru-Harper-Cote d'Ivoire border	320 km

### In Sierra Leone

1.	Kenema-Koinda-Liberia border	170 km
2.	Lunsar-Sefadu	222 km
3.	Bo-Yele-Matotoka	85 km

### In Togo

1.	Benin border-Hilla Condji-Keve-Zolo-Ghana border	80 km
2.	Ghana border-Natchamba-Bassar-Sokode-Tchamba-Kambole-Benin border	177 km
3.	Dapaong-Ponio	40 km
4.	Ghana border-Tinjasse Bassar	94 km

### B) Trans-Coastal roads

#### In Cote D'Ivoire

Ghana border-Noe Aboisso-Grand Bassam-Abidjan-Grand Lahou-Sassandra-San Pedro-Tabou-Liberia border	600 km
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#### In Gambia

1.	Senegal border-Amadalai-Barra	14 km
2.	Kerr Ayub-Farafenni-Soma-Nioroderie	
3.	Basse-Sabe-Willingara	
4.	Plandiraba-Seleti-Cassamance	
5.	Madinaba-Seleti	

### **In Ghana**

Akatsi-Dzodze-Togo border	31 km
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### **In Togo**

Ghana border-Noepe-Hilla Condji-Benin border	80 km
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The two road axes in Ghana and Togo are by-passes to the original road from Hilla Condji-Aneho-Aflao (Ghana border)

### **Article 2**

The ECOWAS Executive Secretariat shall monitor the application of these roads as Community road axes

### **Article 3**

This Regulation shall be published in the Official Journal of the Community within thirty (30) days of its signature by the Chairman of Council, it shall be published by each Member State in its National *Gazette* within the same time-frame.

Done at Dakar, this 17th day of December, 2001

M. Bacari Kone

Chairman for Council