



FEDERATION CAMEROUNAISE DE FOOTBALL

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PRESS RELEASE

The Cameroon Football Federation has been informed of a note from the Paymaster of the Ministry of Sports and Physical Education submitted to the Minister of Finance on 28 June 2022, in which it is stated that **"the sum of 550 million CFA francs was partially paid to the FECAFOOT Accounting Officer between 18 and 27 April 2022"**, as part of the subsidies granted by the State of Cameroon to FECAFOOT.

She firmly denies this allegation and points out to the public that the State of Cameroon has graciously decided to assist her in the pursuance of her project to revive Cameroonian football.

Therefore, she was awarded two grants:

- The first was by means of letter No. **B70101-32/SG/PM of 13 April 2022**, in which the Secretary General of the Prime Minister's Office passed on to the Minister of Finance the instructions of the Head of Government, mandating the provision of the sum of **350 million CFA francs** to FECAFOOT as part of the State's subsidy for the MTN Elite One and Two Professional Championships for the 2021-2022 season.

The Minister of Finance immediately took the necessary steps and the Specialized Pay Office of the Ministry of Sports and Physical Education immediately made the money available to the Accounting Officer of the Cameroon Football Federation.

- The second was through letter N° **B2153/SG/PR of the 22nd March 2022**, in which the Minister of State, Secretary General of the Presidency of the Republic instructed the Minister of Sports and Physical Education to make available to FECAFOOT the sum of **560 million CFA francs** intended for Professional Clubs. Unfortunately, this high order has not been carried out until now, regardless of several reminders from FECAFOOT.

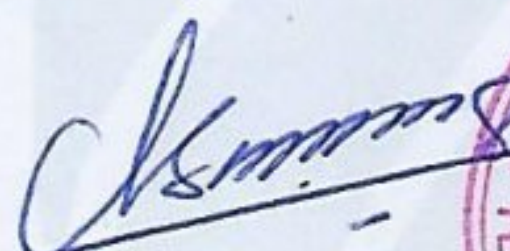
The Cameroon Football Federation therefore wishes to make the following clarifications:

Firstly, she is not aware of any instruction ordering the payment of a subsidy of 550 million CFA francs to her, as the note from the Specialized Paymaster implies. Besides, this amount is not mentioned in either of the two letters mentioned above.

Secondly, the subsidy mentioned in letter N° B2153/SG/PR of the 22nd March 2022, signed by the Minister of State, Secretary General of the Presidency of the Republic is 560 million CFA francs, which has never been made available to the Cameroon Football Federation.

The Cameroon Football Federation hopes that this reminder of the facts will help to better understand the situation and hopes that the situation will be sorted out within a timeframe that will allow her to pursue her activities and her Development Program in all serenity.

Done in Yaoundé, on the 30th of June 2022



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THE ACTING GENERAL SECRETARY

