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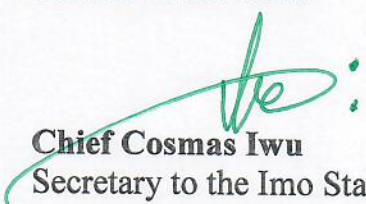
**IMPLEMENTATION OF IMO STATE AUDIT LAW 2021 (LAW  
NO. 5) GRANTING OPERATIONAL AND FINANCIAL  
AUTONOMY TO THE OFFICE OF AUDITORS - GENERAL  
FOR STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IMO STATE**

To promote accountability, transparency and International best practice in the financial operations of the public service of Imo State and in line with the transparency thrusts of the Shared Prosperity Agenda: His Excellency, The Governor of Imo State, Senator Hope Uzodimma, has directed for the full implementation of the Imo State Audit law 2021 (Law No.5), which grants Operational and Financial Autonomy to the Office of Auditors General For State and Local Governments, Imo State.

(2) The Imo State Audit law has provided for Financial and Operational Autonomy, availability of appropriate human, material and monetary resources to the Office of Auditors General for State and Local Governments, to enhance the performance of their statutory responsibilities.

(3) The Implementation of the Imo State Audit law 2021, is geared towards strengthening the two Audit Office for enhanced performance, entrench best practice and instil optimal service delivery in their Audit mandate.

(4) To this end, all Public Officers and Heads Of Ministries, Departments and Agencies are enjoined to acquaint themselves with the provisions of the Imo State Audit law 2021 (Law No.5 ), for effective and efficient performance in the Public Service of the State.

  
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