

JIGAWA STATE

MINISTRY OF LANDS, HOUSING, URBAN DEVELOPMENT, & REGIONAL PLANNING PROCEDURES FOR OBTAINING CERFICIATE OF OCCUPANCY (CofO) IN JIGAWA STATE

S/N	MDA	ITEM	FE	ES	PR	OCEDURE	DOCUMENTATION	TIMELINE
1	MINISTRY OF	OBTAINING	1.	APPLICATION FEES OF	1.	FILL IN THE APPROPRIATE FORMS	ALL APPLICATIONS ARE	1-2 WEEKS
	LAND,	'R' OF 'O'		N4000 FOR RESIDENTIAL		(RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL OR	TO BE ACCOMPANIED	
	HOUSING,	FOR DIRECT	2.	COMMERCIAL AND		INDUSTRIAL)	WITH THE FOLLOWING.	
	URBAN	ALLOCATION		N5000 INDUSTRIAL.	2.	MAKE PAYMENT THROUGH REMITA	1. FOR RESIDENTIAL	
	DEVELOPMENT		3.	BETTERMENT CHARGE	3.	SUBMIT COMPLETED FORMS WITH	A) NON	
	AND REGIONAL			DEPENDS ON SIZE AND		EVIDENCE OF PAYMENT	REFUNDABLE	
	PLANING			LOCATION	4.	COLLECTION OF LETTER OF GRANT IF	APPLICATION FEE	
						ALLOCATED	OF N4,000	
					5.	ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT BY SIGNING THE	B) THREE COPIES OF	
						ORIGINAL LETTER OF GRANT AND	MOST RECENT	
						RETURNING THREE DUPLICATE COPIES	PASSPORT	
						OF THE GRANT	PHOTOGRAPH	
					6.	PAYMENT OF PROCESSING DEPOSIT FEE	C) COPY OF BIRTH	
					7.	APPLICANT TO INDICATE PREFERENCE	CERTIFICATE	
						OF WHETHER A PRIVATE LICENSED	D) THREE YEARS	
						SURVEYOR OR SURVEYOR GENERAL	TAX CLEARANCE	
						SHOULD MAKE THE SURVEY PLAN	2. FOR	
					8.	COLLECTION OF C OF O AFTER PAYMENT	COMMERCIAL AND	
						OF OUTSTANDING C OF O BILL AND	INDUSTRIAL	
						SURRENDERING ORIGINAL LETTER OF	A) CERTICATE OF	
						GRANT	REGISTRATION	
							B) ARTICLES/	
							MEMORANDUM OF	
							ASSOCIATION	

			C)TUDEE(3) VEADS	
			C)THREE(3) YEARS	
			TAX CLEARANCE	
			D) PROPOSED	
			BUILDING PROGRAMME	
			E) COVERING	
			LETTER GIVING	
			DETAILED ACTIVITIES OF	
			THE COMPANPANY	
			UNDERTAKING OR TO	
			BE UNDERTAKEN.	
2		PROCESSING DEPOSIT FEE IS		
		N10,000 FOR RESIDENTIAL		
		N20,000 FOR COMMERCIAL		
		AND N45,000 FOR		
		COMMERCIAL PETROL		
		STATION		

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1	MINISTRY OF	OBTAINING 'R' OF 'O'	APPLICATION	1.	OBTAIN AND FILL RELEVANT FORMS	1.	EVIDENCE OF	1-2 WEEKS
	LAND, HOUSING,	FOR CONVERSION TO	FEES OF N4,000		FROM THE ACCOUNTS SECTION		OWNERSHIP;	
	URBAN	STATUTORY RIGHT OF	FOR RESIDENTIAL	2.	MAKE PAYMENT INTO THE STATE TSA	2.	THREE(3) PASSPORT	
	DEVELOPMENT	OCCUPANCY	AND		ACCOUNT WITH ZENITH BANK		PHOTOGRAPHS	
	AND REGIONAL		COMMERCIAL	3.	OBTAIN LETTER A OF CONFIRMATION		INCASE OF	
	PLANING		AND N5,000 FOR		FROM RELEVANT LOCAL GOVERNMENT		INDIVIDUALS	
			INDUSTRIAL LAND	4.	IN CASE OF PETROL FILLING STATION OR	3.	FIVE COPIES OF SITE	
					LPG PLANT, OBTAIN A REPORT FROM		PLAN.	
					THE STATE FIRE SERVICE, THE POLICE			
					AND STATE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE.			
					(IN CASE OF LPG PLANT, INCLUDING EIA			
					REPORT)			
				5.	COLLECTION OF LETTER OF GRANT IF			
					ALLOCATED			
				6.	ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT BY SIGNING THE			

		ORIGINAL LETTER OF GRANT AND RETURNING THREE OTHER COPIES OF THE GRANT 7. PAYMENT OF PROCESSING DEPOSIT FEE 8. APPLICANT TO INDICATE PREFERENCE OF WHETHER A PRIVATE LICENSED SURVEYOR OR SURVEYOR GENERAL SHOULD MAKE THE SURVEY PLAN	
2	PROCESSING DEPOSIT FEE IS N10,000 FOR RESIDENTIAL, N20,000 FOR COMMERCIAL AND N45,000 FOR COMMERCIAL PETROL STATION	 PAYMENT OF PROCESSING DEPOSIT FEE APPLICANT TO INDICATE WHETHER A LICENSED SURVEYOR OR SURVEYOR GENERAL FOR SURVEY PLAN FINAL BILLING AND PRINTING OF CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY FOR HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR'S SIGNATURE COLLECTION OF C OF O AFTER PAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING C OF O BILL AND SURRENDERING ORIGINAL LETTER OF GRANT 	