



**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN
MEDIA AUTHORITY**

**Lifting of Suspension Order on Radio Miraya
August 03, 2023**

This is to inform the general public, Government Institutions, Media Houses, NGOs and UN Agencies that Media Authority has lifted the suspension order and restrictions enforced on Radio Miraya FM, effective from Thursday August 03, 2023.

Radio Miraya was suspended by the Media Authority on March 09, 2018, for persistent non-compliance and refusal to be regulated under the Media Laws in the Republic of South Sudan as stipulated in Section 6 (13)/(k) read together with Section 34 (1) of the Media Authority Act, 2013.

Media Authority acknowledged the concerted and consistent efforts taken by the Ministry of ICT and Postal Services together with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation and Ministry of Cabinet Affairs in order to reach political and diplomatic solution to the issue of the Radio Miraya FM in accordance with Chapter IV, Section 11 of the Status of Forces Agreement (SOFA).

Media Authority remain committed to promote the freedom of expression and media development as a fundamental human right in compliance with the South Sudan's media laws as protected under Article 24 of the Transitional Constitution of the Republic of South Sudan, 2011, as amended.

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