



**ECOWAS COMMISSION
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Dear Colleagues,

As we draw the curtain on 2024, it is fitting to reflect on a year that has tested the resilience of our community. It has been a challenging period, marked by threats to our unity as well as to peace and stability in our region.

Yet amidst these challenges, our commitment to unity, peace, and progress remains strong.

We should therefore welcome 2025 as a year of hope, renewal, and transformation for ECOWAS. It is a year that carries immense significance because it will be the 50th year of our cherished community, a community that has strived for peace, prosperity, and unity among our people.

As we stand on the threshold of this new chapter, I extend my deepest gratitude to the Management and staff of all ECOWAS institutions. Your dedication and efforts have upheld the banner and image of ECOWAS and have contributed to the welfare and aspirations of the people of our Member States. I wish each of you a New Year filled with success, health, and joy for yourselves and your families.

To the Leaders of ECOWAS Member States, we convey our deepest gratitude and appreciation for their unflinching commitment to the unity and prosperity of our community and for the confidence they continue to repose in us

To our valued partners, I express heartfelt appreciation for your continued support. Together we have embarked on transformative projects, and I look forward to deepening our collaboration in 2025.

As we enter this momentous year, let us draw strength from our unity. Together, we will build an ECOWAS of peace, development, and shared prosperity that truly belongs to our people.

Happy New Year 2025 to you all!

Long Live ECOWAS!

Long live ECOWAS of the People!