NOTAP — Nigeria's Mandatory Technology-Transfer Registrar

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Quality score: 57/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

Nigeria's statutory regulator vets foreign tech-licensing, franchise and know-how deals before banks can remit payment abroad. Its DG says reviews blocked ~N265bn in outflows in 2012-2019 — a self-reported figure NOTAP has stated inconsistently over time.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	1/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	2/3
Sustainability / continuity	3/3
Innovation	1/3
Inclusiveness / equity	1/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

C-NAPSE web research — accessed 2026-08-09

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