



# SKYFOX LIMITED

## THE COMPANY

### *Incorporation*

SkyFox was incorporated in 2006 under Ghana's Companies Code, 1963 (Act 179) with subsidiaries in Burkina Faso, Guinea, Sierra Leone and in Liberia.

### *Vision*

SkyFox envisions to be a credible development leader providing innovative and sustainable solutions for prosperous Africa.

### *Our Mission*

SkyFox's mission is to improve lives through people-centered business innovations in Food, Energy, Water, Sanitation and Shelter (FEWS).

### *Our Value System*

- We pursue responsible, transparent and ethical transactions
- We uphold the tenets of integrity and accountability

- We comply with laws, regulations and internal policies
- We commit to investing in people and communities
- We promote a healthy and sustainable environment
- We invest in Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)
- We are driven by innovative and competitive business and development practices.

### *Strategic Objectives*

- To attain global standards and quality in home grown agricultural value chains
- To provide superior and scalable market-led approaches in water, sanitation and hygiene
- To promote and adapt affordable, renewable energy solutions for industry and households
- To improve access to affordable housing products and services to the public

- To deploy state-of-the-art systems and technologies in our core portfolios
- To cultivate an effective and competent organization driven by highly motivated staff

## CURRENT CORE INTERVENTIONS

### *Innovations in drinking water*

SkyFox invests in innovative technologies and approaches to enhance access to improved drinking water. These include direct provision of facilities, hydrogeological assessments, digitization of demand and supply of pump parts, digitization of monitoring of water systems, self-billing for water utilities among other innovative interventions.



### *Innovations in sanitation*

SkyFox is currently the sole provider of the ECOSAFE Toilet in Ghana, Burkina Faso, Guinea and Sierra Leone. The toilet saves the beneficiary household and institution from the hassle and costs in dealing with faecal sludge, while it remains very affordable.



### *Innovations in agriculture*

SkyFox is currently implementing a multi-country aquaculture and crop production project in West Africa. The innovation facilitates poor and traditionally peasant farmers to participate in modern agriculture with access to modern farming technologies and practices.



## PARTNERSHIPS

SkyFox leverages on its strategic partnerships to create value for mutual benefits, corporate growth and development. Reputable institutions that SkyFox has partnered with to deliver its mandate include more than 70 Local Government Institutions, more than 2,000 rural and peri-urban communities, VULPEC Company Ltd., African Centre for Enterprise Development, Hubtel Ghana, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, National Health Insurance Authority, IRC, Community Water and Sanitation Agency, Adom Farms Ltd., and Afram Plains Development Organisation. Our funding partners include USAID, VIAWater, and the Dutch Government.

## GOVERNANCE & MANAGEMENT

SkyFox is governed by a five-member Board of Directors who provide strategic direction and approve all major decisions by the company. Each Country Office also has between three and five-member Advisory Board that plays a similar role. The operationalization of the company's strategic decisions and day-to-day operations by the company is supervised by a Chief Executive Officer, four Deputy Chief Executives and five other senior management staff.





***Patrick Apoya - Chief Executive Officer***

Patrick Apoya holds an MBA in Health Care Planning and Management from the Paris School of Graduate Studies and M.Sc. in Environmental Science. He also has B.Sc. in Biology from the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi, Ghana. Patrick has been a development worker with over 21 years' experience in the management and coordination of development work. He has international work experience in countries including Ethiopia, South Sudan, Uganda, Kenya and Sierra Leone. He is the Founder of SkyFox Ltd.

***Oliver Ujah – Dep. CEO, Partnerships & Resource Mobilisation***

Oliver holds a PhD in Agricultural Economics, with specialization in Resource and Environmental Economics from the University of Nigeria. His 14-year professional experience spans academic research/consultancies, rural/community development and social entrepreneurship. His international work experience has taken him to a number of West African countries including Nigeria, Ghana, Burkina Faso, Sierra Leone, Guinea, Liberia.

***Ayodeji Fagoroye - Dep. CEO, Operations & IT***

Ayodeji holds a Master's degree in computer Science from the University of Hertfordshire (United Kingdom). Prior to joining SkyFox in 2015, Ayodeji was the Chief Information Officer (CIO) for Water and Sanitation for Africa and an Information Technology Officer with WaterAid, Nigeria. Ayodeji has more than 15 years' experience in designing and management of information and communication

technology infrastructure and software development at the highest level. Ayodeji has international work experience in countries including Niger, Guinea, Sierra Leone, Ghana, Liberia, Mali and Burkina Faso.

***Nana Hamidou - Dep. CEO, Finance & Administration***

Nana holds a Master's degree in Accounting - Control and Audit and a Bachelor's degree in Management Science, Accounting and Financial Techniques. Nana has 18 years' experience in Audit, Financial Controls and Accounting and previously worked with CICA-FI-B an audit firm in Burkina Faso, Water & Sanitation Engineering Firm then Water and Sanitation for Africa, prior joining SkyFox in 2015.

***Albert Ekufu (C.A) – Dep. CEO, Corporate Strategy & Investment.***

Albert holds an MSc. Degree in International Accounting and Finance from Bucks New University, UK. He has Bsc Degree in Banking & Finance awarded by the University of Cape Coast. Albert is an experienced professional in finance, accounting, business research and management consultancy and has worked as Financial and Management expert of EU, DFID, CIDA, & UNICEF funded projects with the Ministry of Trade & Industry and the Ministry of Water Resources, Works and Housing.

***Louisa Wosey-Kumah - Human Resource Manager***

Louisa holds a Post Graduate Diploma in Management Information Systems as well as Post Graduate Diploma in Business Administration from GIMPA. She also possesses Post Graduate Certificates (Human Resource Management, Procurement, Logistics, Presentation Skills, Project Management). She has more than 15 years' experience in administration and HR.

***Mumuni Samyuri - Country Managing Director (Ghana)***

Mumuni Samyuri has a Bachelor of Science Education in Agricultural Technology from the University for Development Studies. He has a Master's of Science Degree in Development Management from the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology with specialization in poverty reduction. He has been coordinating a couple of projects for SkyFox including the SMARTer WASH, VIAWater and the integrated aquaculture and crop production project funded by the USAID.

***Ali Dissa - Country Managing Director (Burkina Faso)***

Dissa holds a Master's degree in International Management with specialization in International Affairs (Law, Economy and Management), University of Jean Moulin Lyon 3, Masters of Engineering degree in Rural Development Polytechnic University of Bobo-Dioulasso (Burkina Faso).

***Patrick James - Country Managing Director (Sierra Leone)***

Patrick holds a Higher National Diploma in Building and Civil Engineering with different certificates in Project Management Monitoring and Evaluation and social marketing. Patrick has working experience and local knowledge across Guinea, Ivory Coast, Liberia and Sierra Leone. Prior to joining SkyFox Patrick was working on consultancy with Development workers/consultants, Civil Engineers and GIS.

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