### Ease of Doing Business in Sierra Leone

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#### DB RANK & DB SCORE
- DB RANK: 163
- DB SCORE: 47.5

### Rankings on Doing Business topics - Sierra Leone

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**Topic Scores**

- **Starting a Business (rank):** 58
  - Score of starting a business (0-100): 91.3
  - Procedures (number): 5
  - Time (days): 8
  - Cost (number): 7.6
  - Paid-in min. capital (% of income per capita): 0.0

- **Dealing with Construction Permits (rank):** 181
  - Score of dealing with construction permits (0-100): 38.4
  - Procedures (number): 17
  - Time (days): 182
  - Cost (% of warehouse value): 21.5
  - Building quality control index (0-15): 7.0

- **Getting Electricity (rank):** 181
  - Score of getting electricity (0-100): 31.6
  - Procedures (number): 8
  - Time (days): 80
  - Cost (% of income per capita): 0.0572
  - Reliability of supply and transparency of tariff index (0-8): 0

- **Registering Property (rank):** 169
  - Score of registering property (0-100): 42.8
  - Procedures (number): 7
  - Time (days): 56
  - Cost (% of property value): 10.6
  - Quality of the land administration index (0-10): 5.5

- **Getting Credit (rank):** 165
  - Score of getting credit (0-100): 25.0
  - Strength of legal rights index (0-12): 5
  - Depth of credit information index (0-8): 0
  - Credit registry coverage (% of adults): 2.1
  - Credit bureau coverage (% of adults): 0.0

- **Protecting Minority Investors (rank):** 128
  - Score of protecting minority investors (0-100): 40.0
  - Extent of disclosure index (0-10): 6.0
  - Extent of director liability index (0-10): 8.0
  - Ease of shareholder suits index (0-10): 6.0
  - Extent of shareholder rights index (0-6): 0.0
  - Extent of ownership and control index (0-7): 0.0
  - Extent of corporate transparency index (0-7): 0.0

- **Paying Taxes (rank):** 93
  - Score of paying taxes (0-100): 73.0
  - Payments (number per year): 34
  - Time (hours per year): 343
  - Total tax and contribution rate (% of profit): 30.7

- **Trading across Borders (rank):** 165
  - Score of trading across borders (0-100): 51.9
  - Time to export: 72
  - Documentary compliance (hours): 227
  - Border compliance (USD): 552
  - Cost to export: 82
  - Documentary compliance (USD): 387
  - Border compliance (USD): 821

- **Enforcing Contracts (rank):** 108
  - Score of enforcing contracts (0-100): 55.9
  - Time (days): 515
  - Cost (% of claim value): 39.5
  - Quality of judicial processes index (0-18): 8.0

- **Resolving Insolvency (rank):** 162
  - Score of resolving insolvency (0-100): 24.7
  - Recovery rate (cents on the dollar): 11.1
  - Time (years): 2.3
  - Cost (% of estate): 42.0
  - Outcome (0 as piecemeal sale and 1 as going concern): 0
  - Strength of insolvency framework index (0-16): 6.0