Annex 15: table on Assessment of State of Renewable Energy Regulation and Gap Analysis in ECOWAS Member States level

| **S/N** | **Country** | **RE Policy** | **RE Laws & Regulations** | **Licensing/Registration/**  **Permit for RE (providing for different RE sources** | **Incentives for**  **Promotion /Procurement of RE** | **Specific Tariff Rules for RE** | **Specific Technical Rules for Grid connected RE** | **Provisions for Net Metering** | **Balancing the System** | **Template PPAs** |
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| **1.** | Benin Republic | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No | No | No | No |
| **2.** | Burkina Faso | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | Yes- for AP | No | No | Yes – for AP |
| **3.** | Cabo Verde | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| **4.** | Cote d’Ivoire | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No | No | Yes |
| **5.** | The Gambia | No | Yes | Yes – only permitting process | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | No | No |
| **6.** | Ghana | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes- this was amended | Yes | Yes | No | No |
| **7.** | Guinea | No | No | No | No | No | No | No | No | No |
| **8.** | Guinea Bissau | Yes | No | Yes | No | No | No | No | No | No |
| **9.** | Liberia | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes- mainly for RUE | No | No | No | Yes | No |
| **10.** | Mali | No | Yes | Yes | Yes- for a period of 5 years on imported equipment | No | No | No | No | No |
| **11.** | Niger | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No | Yes | Yes | No |
| **12.** | Nigeria | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes |
| **13.** | Senegal | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | Contained in the connection contract | No | Yes | No |
| **14.** | Sierra Leone | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No | No | No | No | No |
| **15.** | Togo | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | Yes – approved by order of the minister responsible for renewable energies on the proposal of the body responsible for promoting renewable energies after consulting ARSE | No | No | No |

**AP**- means Auto Producers

**RUE**- means Rural Electrification