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Russian Orthodox Church receives official status in Cameroon



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The Patriarchal Exarchate of Africa has legally established its presence in Cameroon.

As the Exarchate's website **reports**, on 23rd January 2026, a decree of the President of the Republic of Cameroon was published, permitting the Russian Orthodox Church to carry out its activities in the country.

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