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# Professor Bogoro Commissions Renewable Resource Center at University of Ibadan

The Executive Secretary of Tertiary Education Trust Fund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, has commissioned the Renewable Resources Centre at the University of Ibadan.

Speaking at the commissioning exercise, Prof. Bogoro commended the University Management and the team of researchers at the centre for their efforts and described the project as a recognition of the central role of innovation in defining research.

According to him, "This event is beyond the commissioning of an infrastructure. In my honest opinion, it is a recognition of the central role of innovation in defining research; the very ultimate for all of us in the University System."



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (3<sup>rd</sup> left) being shown round facilities at the Renewable Resource Centre of University of Ibadan during its commissioning. He is flanked by the Vice-Chancellor of the University, Prof. Abel Idowu Olayinka (left) and the Lead Researcher at the Centre, Prof. M. K. C. Sridhar (right).

The Executive Secretary commended the lead researchers at the Centre for involving younger researchers in the project stating that it showed intention for mentoring.

In his remarks, the Vice-Chancellor of University of Ibadan, Prof. Abel Idowu Olayinka, thanked the Fund for its intervention efforts and expressed the readiness of the University to scale up activities at the Centre.

Also speaking at the event, one of the lead researchers, Prof. M. K. C. Sridhar, recalled that the concept of a Renewable Resource Centre began in 1980s when his researches were centered on Environment, Pollution, Wastes, Community Health and Wellbeing.

The event coincided with the University's Capacity Building Workshop for Early Career and Post-Graduate Researchers in Science and Technology, where the Executive Secretary delivered a

keynote address.

The Centre, a TETFund 2011-2014 (Merged) Normal Intervention Project is a Waste-to-Wealth

initiative of the University that has executed projects such as alternative electricity generation, mushroom cultivation, smokeless charcoal production among others.

## Research Vital to Solving Africa's Problem - Prof. Yemi Osinbajo

In line with the passion and vision of the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, in making research a veritable instrument for national development, the Vice President, Federal Republic of Nigeria, Prof. Yemi Osinbajo GCON, has attested that research and innovation are necessary ingredients to solve the developmental challenges confronting African countries.

He subsequently tasked leaders, civil society and private organizations to fund and find solutions through research to the numerous problems in the region. Osinbajo stated this at the Convocation Lecture of the Lagos State University (LASU) where he spoke on "African Centres of Excellence (ACE) in African Universities: A Veritable Catalyst for Nation Building and Development.'

The Vice President, who identified education as the most powerful force for socio-economic change in the world, said the Nation's institutions as centres of excellence must be at the apex of the educational system and must attract the financial resources that confer them with operational autonomy and for the conduct of Stellar research.

Furthermore, he said President Muhammadu Buhari's administration has designed a three-fold plan to improve education outcomes by training this generation of students on how to function in a knowledge-driven economy.

Speaking in the same vein, the former President of Ghana, John Dramani Mahama, urged African universities to move away from the colonial system of education and focus on science and technology, and warned political institutions against interfering with the running of academic institutions.



He said African universities must be adequately funded to become centres of excellence. The former Ghanaian President urged greater collaboration among African Universities, saying they could have multiple campuses for different specializations in different countries to bridge the gap by focusing on science, technology and innovation, which could be the catalyst for the development of the region.

Also present at the event were the Vice Chancellor, Lagos State University, Prof. Olanrewaju Fagbohun, the Governor of Lagos State, Mr Akinwunmi Ambode, the Executive Secretary TETFund, who was represented by Mr Gbenga Arolasafe (Department of Public Affairs, TETFund) among other dignitaries.

# Executive Secretary of TETFund Urges Academics To Focus on Problem-Solving Researches

As part of efforts towards solving the Country's multifaceted challenges, the Executive Secretary of the Fund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, has called on Nigerian Academics to focus on problem-solving researches.

many countries in the world are investing heavily in, and advancing towards conducting problem-solving researches that are impactful to their economies and national well-being, some Nigerian academics are still largely confined to conducting basic research for



The Vice-Chancellor University of Ibadan, Prof. Abel Idowu Olayinka (right) presenting a plaque to the Executive Secretary TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, on behalf of the University of Ibadan Collaborative Academic Resuscitation and Transformation Initiative (UI – CART).

Prof. Bogoro made the call recently while delivering a keynote address at a Capacity Building Workshop for Early Career and Post-Graduate Researchers in Science and Technology organized by the University of Ibadan Collaborative Academic Resuscitation and Transformation Initiative (UI – CART).

The Executive Secretary stated that although basic research would continue to flourish in Nigerian tertiary educational institutions, it is pertinent to set national and institutional research agenda that will be problem-solving.

Such agenda, he said, is that which will vigorously work towards enhancing Nigeria's economic, scientific, technological and social development.

Prof. Bogoro expressed concern that while

publication in journals with the principal purpose of getting promoted on the job.

The TETFund Boss, who noted that universities and research institutions in Nigeria have the greatest potentials of institutionalizing knowledge for development, expressed the need for Nigerian academics to make serious efforts at developing and strengthening the country's research base.

Speaking at the workshop, the Vice-Chancellor of University of Ibadan, Prof. Abel Idowu Olayinka, described the UI – CART Project as one of the ways the University is using to empower Post Graduate and Early Career Researchers to become initiators of ideas and innovation.

He stated that if the University must continue to maintain its enviable standard, the products of its research from the Faculty of Science and Technology must be competitive among the best in the world and relevant to solving national problems.

While noting that the largest companies in the world today are those with technological products, Prof. Olayinka stated that it is important that the University refocuses its attention appropriately.

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Director, Human Resource & General Administration, TETFund, Dr. Aminu Anas, representing the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, giving the Goodwill Message to the Vice Chancellor, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria, Prof. Ibrahim Garba, during the 41st Convocation Ceremony at ABU, Zaria

**T**he President of Dangote Group, Alhaji Aliko Dangote has called for expanded funding for tertiary education in Nigeria. He lamented that public universities in Nigeria have continued to grapple with the challenge of underfunding, and have observed that the Federal Government “alone cannot shoulder the entire burden of funding tertiary education due to competing needs of other sectors that also demand priority attention.”

Aliko Dangote made this known during the 41<sup>st</sup> Convocation Ceremony of the Ahmadu

Bello University (ABU), Zaria, where he was conferred with award of Honorary Doctorate Degree of Science. In his acceptance speech, Dangote said he was humbled by the honour, adding that ABU has lived to its billing as a melting point for ideologies by honouring renowned socialist and champion of employees' rights, Sunmonu and himself for being a leading capitalist and investor in employment generating enterprises.

He noted that the student population has recorded significant increase without

corresponding growth in terms of infrastructure caused by underfunding challenges bedeviling Nigeria Universities.

The business mogule called on the Federal Government to consider allocating special funds to Universities to enable them improve on research and upgrade infrastructure.

Dangote also clamored for Public Private Partnership (PPP), in order to confront the challenges of funding tertiary education in Nigeria. He noted one of the major challenges of public tertiary institutions is insufficient funding, stating that there is need for collaboration to bridge the gap of underfunding.

Furthermore, Dangote, suggested that the private sector should go beyond the payment of two percent (2%) education tax and be ready to join hands with the State and Federal

Governments in funding tertiary education in Nigeria.

Also in his address, President Muhammadu Buhari, who was represented by the Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Prof. Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, expressed worries over the incessant strike embarked upon by university lecturers at the detriment of students and the nation's quest for education development.

Present at the event were dignitaries from all over the country, including the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, represented by the Director, Human Resource & General Administration (TETFund), Dr Aminu Anas, the Executive Governor of Kaduna State, His Excellency, Malam Nasri Ahmad El-Rufai, OFR, Oil mogul Femi Otedola, amongst others.



The President of Dangote Group, Alhaji Aliko Dangote (second right) with other dignitaries during the Convocation Ceremonies of Ahmadu Bello University Zaria

# Courtesy Visit to the ES by the Nigerian Mathematical Society



A group photograph with Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, (5th left), National President, Nigerian Mathematical Society (NMS), Prof. N. I. Akinwande (5th right), Director, Public Affairs TETFund, Dr. Jacob Alada (2nd right) and some members of NMS during a courtesy visit to the Fund.

A team of Council Members from the Nigerian Mathematical Society (NMS) paid a courtesy visit to the Executive Secretary, on the 7<sup>th</sup> of May, 2019.

Members of the Team included Prof. N. I. Akinwande, Prof. Bashir Ali, Prof. Micah O. Osilike, Prof. D. G. Yakubu, Prof. Adagba O. Henry, Prof. Stephen E. Onah, Dr. (Mrs) Roseline Toyin Abah, Dr. Timothy Terfa Ashezua and S. O. Aduloju.

The team led by The President of the NMS, Prof. N. I. Akinwande congratulated the Executive Secretary on his reinstatement and thanked him for the audience granted the NMS. He used the opportunity to appeal to the Executive Secretary to help address some issues affecting the NMS. Prof Akinwande stated that Mathematics is a language of precision, accuracy and the driving force for

scientific/technological breakthroughs but unfortunately Mathematicians are endangered species in need of support to redress this challenge.

Speaking during the visit, the Executive Secretary expressed his pleasure with the visit, stating that the NMS was the apex of intellectualism and that it was a privilege to host them. Being a former member of the TETFund Technical Advisory Committee, he understood the issues relating to journal publication and the difficulties experienced by researchers.

He reiterated that the need to revive and promote journal publication, both professional and institutional based journals, cannot be over emphasized. He assured the NMS that the Fund is reviewing its processes and guidelines to ensure that accessibility of intervention funds is seamless.

The Executive Secretary

explained that he established the Department of Research and Development to address most of the challenges identified by the NMS. He opined that the institutionalization of Research and Development (R&D) would necessitate companies to support the promotion of R&D through funding. It would expose researchers to the lucrative aspect of research and they will be rated based on publications as practiced in other countries.

He concluded by thanking the NMS for the visit and declared that the meeting was beneficial to both parties.

The NMS was founded by University Teachers and Researchers in Mathematics 38 years ago at the University of Ibadan. It is essentially a research based platform which adheres to acceptable standards for publication and is affiliated to the International Mathematical Union.

# Bayelsa State Education Development Trust Fund Launched



The Former President of Nigeria, Dr Goodluck Jonathan and the Governor of Bayelsa Honourable Henry Seriake Dickson during the event

The Former President of Nigeria, Dr Goodluck Ebele Jonathan, has saluted the efforts of the Bayelsa State Governor, the Honourable Henry Seriake Dickson, in educational development saying he has surpassed expectations.

Dr. Jonathan who gave the commendation at the launch of the Bayelsa State Education Development Trust Fund in Yenagoa, noted that the governor's decision to deploy the tool of education to the development and emancipation of the society was the right way to go.

Dr. Jonathan said the efforts of the present administration was in line with his educational policy to wrest the Bayelsa Child from the claws of illiteracy when he was Governor in 2006. The former President noted that the Education Development Trust would drastically change the story of Bayelsa as State that was once listed among disadvantaged States.

Speaking, Governor Seriake Dickson said his administration viewed investment in the education sector not as a burden but as a responsibility because of its far reaching impact on society.

While recounting some of his achievements in the

sector, Governor Dickson called on the private sector and all people of goodwill to support the Education Trust Fund stressing that education must be seen as a collective responsibility of all.

The Governor who stressed that lack of education was at the root of instability, militancy and insurgency urged multinational oil companies to emulate the Nigerian Army by adopting secondary schools already built by the State Government.

He said that the State Government had committed N80 billion to the development of educational infrastructure in Bayelsa aside from salaries in pursuit of the vision to create access to education in the State.

According to him, the State has 13 functional model secondary schools with about 10,000 Young Bayelsans enjoying free education in quality boarding secondary schools. The Governor also called on the multinational oil firms and other stakeholders in the private sector to support the Bayelsa State Tertiary Education Loan Board designed to create access to indigent students to acquire tertiary education in the State.

According to him, the State under his leadership had committed Five percent of its IGR to fund the



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (middle); Vice-Chancellor, University of Ibadan, Prof. Abel Idowu Olayinka (2<sup>nd</sup> left) and some Principal Officers of the University during the unveiling of the plaque of the Renewable Resources Centre, University of Ibadan



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro speaking at the Capacity Building Workshop for Early Career and Post-Graduate Researchers in Science and Technology organized by the University of Ibadan.



L-R: Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro and National President, Nigerian Mathematical Society (NMS), Prof. N.I Akinwande, during a courtesy visit to the Fund



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (3<sup>rd</sup> left) the Chairman Committee of Deans of Engineering of Polytechnics in Nigeria, Engr. Greg Obiechefu (3<sup>rd</sup> right) and some members of COMPODET during a courtesy visit to the Fund.



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (left), having a chat with the Commandant NDA, Maj. Gen. Adeniyi Oyeboade during a courtesy visit by the latter to the Fund



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro exchanging pleasantries with the Head of Civil Service of the Federation, Mrs. Winifred Ekanem Oyo-Ita, during his official visit to the Office of the Head of Civil Service recently.



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, (left) exchanging pleasantries with Dr. Israel Kayode Kolawale and Prof. Hadiza Shehu Galadanci who were on the team of researchers collaborating on Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation Training and Data Capture Proposal, during a recent courtesy visit to the Fund.



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (left), exchanging pleasantries with the Chairman of the Presidential Advisory Committee Against Corruption (PACAC), Prof. Itse Sagay, during an official visit to the Fund, while Prof. Isah Sadiq Radda (center) looks on.



500 seater Classroom Furniture, College Of Education Ikwo, Ebonyi State



Cabling For Campus and ICT Centre, Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomosho



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900 Capacity Library Complex, Shehu Shagari College of Education, Sokoto State



Equipment for College Of Theatre Arts Hall, College of Education, Katsina - Ala, Benue State



16 Offices, Twins Auditorium and 8 Classroom Storey, Delta State Polytechnic, Ogwashi-uku Delta State



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Furnishing of Moot Court And Library Block For Faculty of Law, Bayero University Kano, Kano State



Furnishing of ICT Centre with various items, Alvan Ikoku College of Education, Owerri, Imo State



Fully Equipped Mobile Medical Facility, College of Education, Ilesha, Osun State



L-R: Prof. Mikhail O. Buhari; Dr. Arinola Adeyoola Sanusi; Prof. Nimi Briggs; Executive Secretary TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro; Dr. Israel Kayode Kolawale; Prof. Hadiza Shehu Galadanci; Dr. Olubusola Temitope Alagbe-Briggs and Dr. Lukman Olajide Abdul-Rahman during a courtesy visit to TETFund by the team of researchers collaborating on Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation Training and Data Capture Proposal.



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (middle), the Commandant NDA, Maj. Gen. Adeniyi Oyeade (left) and Brig. Gen. M.O Fakolade during a courtesy visit to the Fund.



L-R: Vice Chancellor, Lagos State University, Prof. Olanrewaju Fagbohun, exchanging pleasantries with the representative of the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Mr. Gbenga Arolasafe (Department of Public Affaris TETFund), during LASU 23rd Convocation ceremony.



L-R: Prof. Y.P Mancha; Prof. Aliyu Mohammed; Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro; Dean Faculty of Agric., Prof. A.S Fagam; Prof. M.H Sani; Prof. D.J Kalla and Prof. A.A Amba during a courtesy visit by the Dean and Heads of Departments of the Faculty of Agriculture, ATBU recently.

board.

Governor Dickson said that the administration was giving priority to educational development because that was the only way to equip the people to demand for their rights and fight oppression.

In the same vein, the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, who was represented by the Director of Public Affairs (TETFund), Dr Jacob Alada, in his address gave a History of the Fund's Mandate in the restoration, rehabilitation and consolidation of Tertiary Education in Nigeria.

He stated that TETFund intervenes in 81 Universities, 64 Polytechnics and 70



The representative of the Executive Secretary of TETFund, Director Public Affairs, Dr. Jacob Alada giving his opening remark

Colleges of Education making the total of 215 Beneficiary Institutions and highlighted the various intervention lines of the Fund.

Dr. Jacob Alada concluded that

irrespective of the challenges facing the Fund, TETFund has become a global brand which some other African countries have started copying, Countries like Ghana, Tanzania and Sierra Leone.

## Committee of Deans of Engineering of Polytechnics In Nigeria Pay A Courtesy Call On TETFund



The Chairman Committee of Deans of Engineering of Polytechnics in Nigeria, Engr. Greg Obiechefu (2nd right), presenting a plaque to the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, during a courtesy visit to the Fund.

The Committee of Deans of Engineering of Polytechnics in Nigeria (COMPODET) has paid a courtesy call on the Executive Secretary of TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro. The Chairman, COMPODET, Engr.

Greg Obiechefu, speaking on behalf of the delegation thanked the Executive Secretary, TETFund for the sustained intervention efforts by the Fund in Public Tertiary Education Institutions across Nigeria particularly the Academic Staff

Training and Development Intervention.

He solicited for more support from the Fund where revealing that COMPODET is pursuing the implementation of what he termed Outcome Based Engineering Curriculum Design for Nigerian Polytechnics.

Responding to the Chairman's remark, the Executive Secretary, TETFund thanked COMPODET for the visit and assured its leadership that TETFund has contributed significantly in terms of intervention and will certainly continue to carry out more intervention activities in Public Tertiary Education Institutions in Nigeria.

# Professor Bogoro Holds Meeting with Newly Confirmed and Promoted Staff



Some newly confirmed staff of TETFund showing appreciation to the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (center), during a meeting with them, recently.

The Executive Secretary of TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, recently held a joint meeting with newly confirmed and promoted staff of the Fund. He congratulated the staff and stated that their hard work and dedication culminated in the well deserved confirmation as well as promotion.

He urged the staff to continue to put in their best

in carrying out their duties stating that it is his desire to see them rise to the peak of their careers and that he was using every opportunity available to inspire the staff of TETFund.

In their responses, the beneficiaries thanked the Executive Secretary and prayed that God would continue to guide him in running the affairs of the Fund.



The Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (center), with some newly promoted staff of the Fund during a meeting he had with them, recently.

# Professor Bogoro for Honorary Fellowship Award



The Executive Secretary, TETFund Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (2nd left), receiving the invitation letter for the conferment of Honorary Fellowship from the National President of NAEAP, Prof. Hauwa Imam, recently.

The Nigerian Association for Educational Administration and Planning (NAEAP) has scheduled the conferment of Honorary Fellowship by the Executive Board of NAEAP on the Executive Secretary of Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFund), Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, during its 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference holding in Lagos.

This was made known by the National President of NAEAP, Prof. Hauwa Imam while presenting a letter notifying the Executive

Secretary of the conferment ceremony during a courtesy visit to TETFund by the leadership of the Association. Prof. Hauwa disclosed that Fellowship of NAEAP is the highest prestigious award of NAEAP conferred on persons who have distinguished themselves in educational administration, leadership and management.

She added that the decision was reached after a thorough consideration of the track record of Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro in promoting staff development, facilitating effective teaching and learning, advancing educational research and publication in tertiary education institutions in Nigeria, since his assumption of office as the Executive Secretary of TETFund.

## Level of R & D Infrastructure and Productivity in Nigeria Unacceptably Low – Professor Bogoro



The Co-Chair of the Ad-Hoc Committee to Deepen the Research and Development Mandate of the Fund, Prof. Placid Njoku (center), making his remarks during the inauguration of the Committee while the Executive Secretary, TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro (extreme right) and other members look on.

The Executive Secretary of the Fund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, has described as “unacceptably low”, the level of Research and Development (R & D) infrastructure and productivity

in Nigeria, which stands at 0.02 percent.

Prof. Bogoro stated this during the inauguration of an Ad-hoc Committee set up by the Fund to deepen its research and

development mandate.

The Executive Secretary stated that with the accelerated growth of a new global economy and the urgent focus on socioeconomic issues, there



L-R: Co-Chair of the Ad Hoc Committee to Deepen the Research and Development Mandate of the Fund, Mr. Temitope Togun and Prof. Placid Njoku, Executive Secretary TETFund, Prof. Suleiman Elias Bogoro, Vice Chairman, Prof. Ibrahim Katampe, Director HR&GA, Dr. Aminu Anas and other members of the Committee during the inauguration of the Committee at TETFund office.

is need for national recalibration and re-sensitization of operations and policies targeting sustainable innovative research and development operations.

He asserted that in spite of the fact that research and development is central to a country's development, there is absence of a national platform for the regulation and strengthening of research and development in Nigeria. Prof. Bogoro, therefore, advocated the establishment by law, of a National R&D Foundation that will ensure a coordinated national framework for the sustenance and implementation of R&D.

Such a Foundation when established, he said, would promote an effective interface between universities, government and private sector, especially the industrial subsector of the economy.

Speaking on the need for the inauguration of the Ad-hoc Committee, the Executive Secretary stated that it was of critical importance for the Fund to set up mechanism and machinery that would facilitate systemic and scheduled

internalization of the R&D paradigm shift.

This, he said, would lead to the development of the institutions into veritable hubs for experimentation and incubation of scientific and technological innovations urgently needed for national development and competitiveness.

Some of the responsibilities of the committee include: providing strategic leadership internally to the process of implementing the Fund's R&D mandate amongst staff by creating awareness and sensitization of R&D and Innovation paradigm shift to all relevant staff in the Fund, developing administrative and technical capacity building framework for not only the Fund's R&D Department but the entire staff capabilities, development and design of intervention framework through mapping of national innovation ecosystems, development of strategic plans to align with TETFund's R&D paradigm shift and developing framework for capacity building workshop for tertiary education institutions amongst others.

The committee is Co-Chaired by Prof. Placid Njoku, an erudite scholar who is currently the

President of the Nigerian Institute of Animal Science and Mr. Temitope Toogun, Head of Human Capital Commission, Nigeria Economic Summit Group (NESG).

Prof. Ibrahim Katampe, a Professor of Chemistry and currently the Director for Innovation and Technology Incubation in the Centre of Excellence in Emerging Technologies (CEET), Central State University, USA will serve as the Vice-Chairman of the Committee.

Other members of the Committee are the Director, Human Resource Management and General Administration/Coordinating Director of the Committee, Dr. Aminu Anas; Director, Finance and Investments, Alhaji Idris Saidu; Director, Public Affairs, Dr. Jacob Alada, Director, Strategic Planning and Development, Barr. Ifioke Ukim and Director, R&D/Centres of Excellence, Mal. Umar Bukar.

Others are the Acting Director, Education Support Services, Dr. Salihu Girei; Head of Internal Audit, Mal. Kabir Arugungu and Head of ICT, Mr. Joseph Odo; all from TETFund.

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2nd May



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4th May



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5th May



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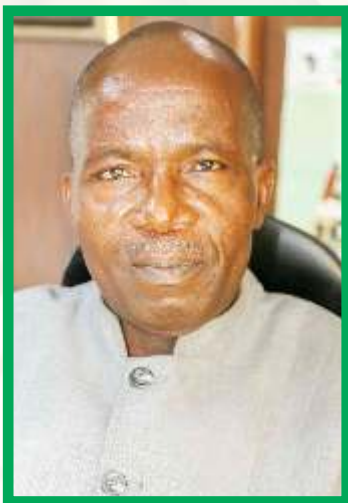


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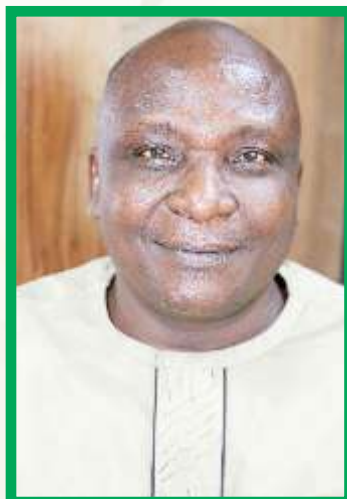
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