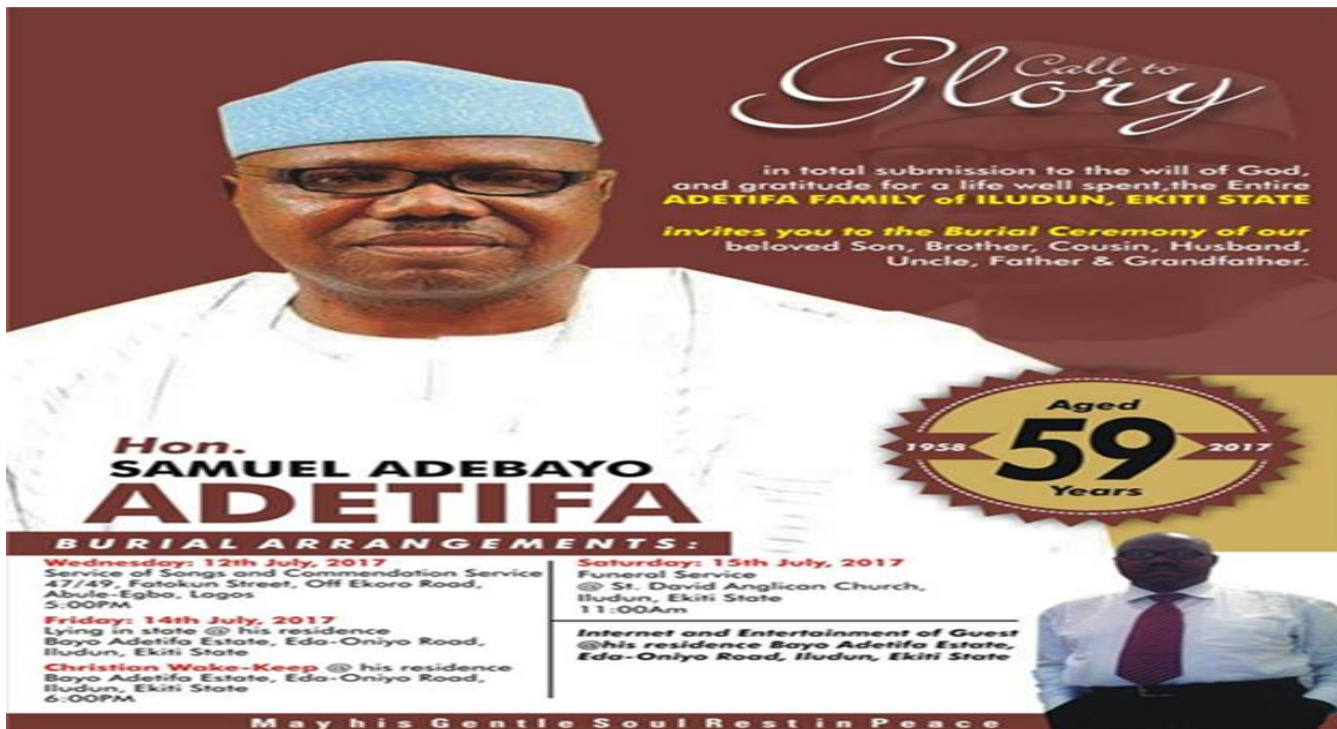


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in total submission to the will of God, and gratitude for a life well spent, the Entire **ADETIFA FAMILY of ILUDUN, EKITI STATE** invites you to the **Burial Ceremony** of our beloved Son, Brother, Cousin, Husband, Uncle, Father & Grandfather.

Hon. SAMUEL ADEBAYO ADETIFA

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Sovereign Trust Insurance grows Q1 profit by 102%

Sovereign Trust Insurance Plc has reported a growth in its profit before tax from N241m in 2016 Q1 to N488m in 2017 Q1, representing a growth rate of 102 per cent. The insurer's underwriting profit rose from N571m in 2016 to N746m in 2017 representing a 30 per cent growth rate, while investment income also grew by 12 per cent from N121m in 2016 to N135m in 2017 Q1, a statement showed. The company said, "The year 2017 started on a very shaky note shrouded in uncertainty and a very bleak business outlook for some insurance companies, riding on the premise that some of them fell short of their expectations and aspirations in year 2016 because of the negative effects of the recession that characterised the Nigerian economy during the year. However, for Sovereign Trust Insurance, things are looking up considering the company's first quarter performance in 2017. On a careful examination of the unaudited financial statements which was recently released by the organisation, one can only say that indeed, it has been a season of impressive performance. [Source:](#) Punch

Group decries N17.4b budget for fuel, generators in MDAs

The Environmental Rights Action/Friends of the Earth (ERA/FoEN) has condemned the resolve to spend N17,397,470,115 billion on purchase of fuel and generators for Ministries, Departments and Agencies (MDAs) during the 2017 fiscal year. It said that going by a recent study by the Development Association for Renewable Energies (DARE), such fund would have been utilised to generate 46 megawatts of solar power and 650 new jobs during construction and operation of the solar power equipment. ERA/FoEN's Executive Director, Dr. Godwin Uyi Ojo, stated this during the energy governance and transition training workshop on the prospects of just energy transition held in Abuja. The group noted that Nigeria's continuous dependence on fossil fuels and plants and generators contradicts her nationally-determined contribution pledge of 20 per cent unconditional emission reduction and 45 per cent conditional reduction based on green climate funding and other international fiscal instruments. [Source:](#) Guardian

Udoma Puts Nigeria's Debt Stock at N19tn

The Minister of Budget and National Planning, Udoma Udo Udoma, has revealed that the country's debt stock has risen to N19 trillion, accounting for 20 per cent of the Gross Domestic Product (GDP). Udoma who spoke in an interview with journalists at the national secretariat of the All Progressives Congress (APC), however, said the current debt was within a comfortable margin. Every country borrows, the level of borrowing in Nigeria is not excessive too. Currently, our debt is about N19trn which is less than 20 per cent of GDP which is quite moderate, so, we don't have a debt problem," he said. The minister said having a debt is not a problem if only the country is able to maintain high revenue generation. What we have is a revenue problem. That is why we are taking steps to increase our revenue. One of the things we are doing is to the amnesty programme to get people who have not been paying their taxes. Right now, our tax collection on GDP is very low. If we can achieve that, you will that the level of debts is low, he said. Speaking on the frequent controversies trailing the country's budget, especially the recent face-between the Minister of Power and Housing, Babatunde Fashola, and the House of Representatives, Udoma said his ministry had always tried to engage with the lawmakers on issues relating to budget planning and project implementation. [Source:](#) Thisday

BUSINESS NEWS

Airtel CEO lists conditions for telcos' listing

The Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer, Airtel Nigeria, Mr. Segun Ogunsanya, says telecommunications companies in Nigeria can successfully list on the Nigerian Stock Exchange and contribute significantly to the socio-economic development of the country, barring the challenges confronting operators in the sector. He said an enabling business environment, policies that promote ease of doing business and market forces in line with best practices, were key factors that could encourage telcos to list on the bourse. Ogunsanya said this while making a presentation entitled, "Creating an Enabling Environment for Public Listing of the Economy's Commanding Heights: The Case for Telecoms Sector" at the 2017 Chartered Institute of Stockbrokers annual national workshop held in Abuja. Ogunsanya noted that following the liberalisation of the telecoms sector in 2001, the nation had benefitted in terms of employment creation, attraction of foreign direct investments and social-economic development. The Airtel boss said, "The sector currently accounts for 10 per cent of the nation's Gross Domestic Product and therefore makes it a critical national infrastructure. In addition, connectivity among Nigerians has been enhanced with the 145,350,702 active lines as at May 2017, [Source: Punch](#)

'FG needs N3 trillion to bridge infrastructure gap'

The Federal Government needs N3 trillion annually to cover up the huge infrastructure deficit in the country. The President of Nigerian Institute of Quantity Surveyors (NIQS), Mercy Iyortyer, disclosed this at a two-day workshop on finance and development of capital projects in Lagos. She noted that while the demand for construction is high, and that the money to fund the demand is dwindling, infrastructure deficit will be recorded in Nigeria's history as one of its most urgent concerns and her ability to deal with this challenge will no doubt define her future economic trajectory. According to her, it is imperative to turn the attention of the Federal Government to project finance options to develop Nigeria's infrastructure projects. She said: "Traditionally, the Nigerian government at all levels have financed the construction of infrastructure projects such as roads, bridges, power plants, airports, railways, ports and the like from their fiscal budgets, with little or no support from the private sector.' She said this approach of project financing is unsustainable given the present economic pressures. She explained that there is the need for the private sector to become involved in the creation of financing solutions to develop Nigeria's frail infrastructure. Because Nigerian commercial banks are majorly short-term lenders and not suitable for long term investment projects, [Source: Guardian](#)

Nigeria to Achieve over 1.8m Metric Tonnes of Tomato Yield Annually

In its sustained efforts to ensure the availability of quality grade tomato fruits for processing by industries in the country, the Raw Materials Research and Development Council (RMRDC) is embarking on the distribution of improved tomato varieties to vegetable farmers in Nigeria. The objective of the exercise is to facilitate farmers' access to improved seeds to boost national output from the current estimate of about 1.8 million metric tonnes/annum. In a statement, yesterday after improved tomato seeds were distributed to vegetable farmers in Chanchaga Farm Minna in Niger State, the Director-General/Chief Executive of RMRDC, Dr Huassaini Ibrahim Doko, said the new variety of tomato seeds would replace the local varieties that are not high yielding. He said the local varieties can be systematically replaced and therefore, guarantee access to sustainable raw material supply by existing and emerging tomato processing plants. He said vegetable farmers in Niger State were selected to benefit from this project by RMRDC, because of the suitability of the state's ecology to produce tomatoes, all year round. Tomato is one of the most widely grown vegetables around the world. It has been in cultivation for a very long time and an important component of the daily diet, consumed both fresh and in paste form. It is a rich source of vitamins A and C," said Doko. He also disclosed that Nigeria is ranked the largest producer of tomato in sub-Saharan Africa and the 13th in Africa. [Source: Thisday](#)

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ANNOUNCEMENT

FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION

The Board of Fellows and Practice Licence of the chartered Institute of Bankers of Nigeria has scheduled a meeting for **Tuesday, July 25, 2017** to consider Fellowship applications. This is a great opportunity for all Associates who possess professional experience of ten years and above, post ACIB to be elevated to the prestigious category of fellowship. You are therefore encouraged to click [here](#) to download the Fellowship Application Form. The completed form should be sent to the Group Head, Membership Services while the **deadline for submission is Friday, July 21, 2017**

Mr Nelson Olagundoye is available on 08028289271 or nelsonolagundoye@cibng.org for further information and clarification of your enquiries.



The Chartered Institute of Bankers of Nigeria (CIBN) UK Branch

Notice of Quarterly Meeting CIBN UK Branch

This is to announce that the Quarterly Meeting of Chartered Institute of Bankers of Nigeria is scheduled to hold as follows

Date: Saturday, 1st July, 2017
Venue: Holiday Inn, Westfield, Stratford, London
Time: 12 noon to 4.00pm

For CPD points, there will first be a Guest Lecture titled,
Revisiting the Impact of BREXIT on UK Financial System and operation of Nigerian Banks in UK.

This lecture will be delivered by BC Achary (Chartered FCSI),
Interim CEO, FCMB Bank UK. Ltd.

The quarterly meeting now serves as avenue to bring together all Nigerian banks operating in UK and provides avenue for their networking and sharing ideas on best practices as well as facing the banking regulatory challenges in UK financial system.

You are cordially invited to this meeting

Signed

Innocent Okwuosa (PhD, FCA, ACIB)
Chairman, CIBN,
UK Branch

Uriel, Kenekueyero (FCIB)
Publicity Secretary, CIBN,
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OCTOBER, 2017 EXAMINATIONS

NIGERIA, THE GAMBIA & LIBERIA

All candidates MUST register for the examination and bring their online printed exam docket duly authenticated by any of the designated persons to the exam hall. Any candidate not duly registered for the examination will NOT be allowed to take examination.

Examination Registration
Commencement Date: June 1, 2017
Closing Date: Sept. 1, 2017

TIME TABLE (NIGERIA)

DATE	TUE. 10TH OCTOBER, 2017	WED. 11TH OCTOBER, 2017	THUR. 12TH OCTOBER, 2017
TIME	9.am - 12.pm 2.pm - 5.pm	9.am - 12.pm 2.pm - 5.pm	9.am - 12.pm 2.pm - 5.pm
CATEGORY	SUBJECTS / COURSES		
DIPLOMA LEVEL	Business Comm. Skills Basic Economics Information & Comm. Tech.	Acctg. & Bus. Finance Quantitative Techniques	Fundamentals of Marketing Elements of Banking Business Law
INTERMEDIATE PROFESSIONAL LEVEL	Financial Economics Mgt. of Fin. Institutions	Strategic Mgt. & Mgt. Acctg. Practice of Banking	INT Trade & Finance Corporate Financial Mgt.
CHARTERED BANKER LEVEL	Banking Law, Ethics & Corporate Gov.	Banking Regulation & Supervision	Prin & Practice of Risk Management Human Capital Management
CHARTERED BANKER ELECTIVES	—	—	—
MICROFINANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAMME	Fundamentals of Micro Finance Banks Managing Micro-Finance Banks	Fin. Analysis & Fin. Perf. Monitoring of MFIs	Product Dev. & Marketing Risk Mgt. By Microfinance Banks Internal Control & Mgt. Info. Systems
TREASURY MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATION (TMC) / FMDA	—	Introduction to Assets & Liabilities Mgt.	—
CERTIFIED RISK MANAGER (CRM) / RISKAN	STAGE 1: Module I - III STAGE 2: — STAGE 3: —	—	—
OTHER CERTIFICATION PROGRAMMES	Investment Banking Legal Issues in Hum. Cap. Mgt.	Property Law	Mortgage Finance

DETAILS OF OTHER CERTIFICATION PROGRAMMES

SUBJECTS	HUMAN CAPITAL MANAGEMENT	CORPORATE FINANCE & INVESTMENT BANKING	MORTGAGE FINANCE
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human Capital Management Legal Issues in Human Capital Mgt. Strategic Management & Leadership Banking Law, Ethics & Corp. Gov. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Corporate Financial Management Investment Banking Practice of Banking Banking Law, Ethics & Corp. Gov. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mortgage Finance Property Law Bank Lending & Credit Admin. Banking Law, Ethics & Corp. Gov.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

- To register for the examination, please log on to www.cibng.org.
- Exam registration forms can also be downloaded from the Institute's website.
- Candidates who wish to sit for the examinations MUST have registered as Student Members and Membership registration numbers obtained will serve as the Examination Numbers.
- Candidates MUST have processed their membership (if required) before sitting for the examinations.
- Registration for October 2017 Examinations will close at 5.00 p.m. on Friday, 1st September, 2017. Registration after this date will attract a penalty fee of ₦10,000.
- All manual application forms must be received at the National Secretariat on or before the closing date. Any application received after the closing date will not be processed.
- Application for change of Examination Centre must be received on or before Monday, 4th September, 2017.
- Any interested candidate can register for the Microfinance Certification Examinations and any of the new Certification Programmes.

- All candidates must print out their examination docket from our online examination portal and confirm that:
 - The information captured therein is correct
 - The Examination Dockets carry their passport photographs
- Candidate MUST ensure that his/her exam docket is duly authenticated by any of the persons specified below:
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 - Corporate Finance & Investment Banking: Corporate Finance & Investment Banking
 - Mortgage Finance: Mortgage Finance
- Official Stamp and Number must be provided on the docket.

EXAMINATION FEES

EXAM LEVEL	1 SUBJECT	2 SUBJECTS	3 SUBJECTS	4 SUBJECTS	5 SUBJECTS
DIPLOMA	₦6,000	₦11,000	₦15,000	₦20,000	₦24,000
INTERMEDIATE PROFESSIONAL	₦15,000	₦22,000	₦30,000	₦37,000	₦45,000
CHARTERED BANKER	₦20,000	₦30,000	₦40,000	₦50,000	₦60,000

EXAM LEVEL	REGISTRATION FEE	FEES PER SUBJECT
MICROFINANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAMME	₦2,500.00	₦2,500.00
	₦5,000.00	₦10,000.00

Candidates writing the Level 1 Microfinance Certification Programme will be expected to pay ₦1,000 for Study Material as part of the Examination registration process.

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Release of April, 2017 Examination Results

Following the approval by the President/Chairman of Council, **Prof. Segun Ajibola, FCIB**, the results of the **April 2017 Examinations of the Institute (ACIB & MCIB)** have been released

To this end, candidates can now access their results by visiting the Institute's website, www.cibng.org and follow the steps below:

1. Logon to CIBN Portal with Membership Number and Password.
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- ✓ Your Name in Capital Letters(Surname First)
- ✓ Membership Number
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- ✓ Company Name
- ✓ Current/Last Position

You can also send the information by text or Whatsapp to **08028289271/08028444550** or visit http://www.cibng.org/cb_memberup.asp to complete the update form and submit.

Thank you
Seye Awojobi, FCIB
Registrar/CE

Governing Council Approves New Group Life Insurance for Members

As a means of ensuring that the Group Life Insurance Policy covers all the professional members of the Institute, the Governing Council at its meeting of December 3, 2015, approved a review of the policy which was introduced in 2012.

To this end, all professional members who are up to date in the payment of their annual subscriptions will be covered under the new policy which has a sum assured of **N1,000,000 (One Million Naira)**. The new policy is expected to take off from January 2016.

With the new policy, most members can enjoy financial peace of mind, safe and secure in the knowledge that the immediate needs of their loved ones are taken care of in case of any eventuality.

For enquiries/comments, please contact Funmbi Akinluyi at: olufunmbiakinluyi@cibng.org/ 0816 873 0986 or Peter Ejeomo at: peterejeomo@cibng.org/ 0802 844 4550

HEALTH NEWS

Low carb meals, daily fruit smoothie raise chances of getting pregnant

Cutting down on carbohydrates can help couples increase the chance of starting a family, say fertility experts. Those trying for a baby are advised to eat only one portion of carbs a day. The British Fertility Society says the food group increasingly appears to play a role in conception and egg quality. It follows evidence that a low-carb diet can almost double women's chances of pregnancy, while too much stodgy food may stop them ovulating. The latest advice came from British experts at the European Society of Human Reproduction and Embryology in Geneva. Dr. Gillian Lockwood, of the Midland Fertility Clinic in Tamworth, Staffordshire, said couples are advised to follow a 'fertility diet' of one carbohydrate group a day, unlimited lean protein and leafy vegetables. She added: "I tell my patients that if they are going to have toast for breakfast, then that is their carbs for the day. They cannot then have a sandwich for lunch and pasta for dinner. Private clinic Leeds Fertility has also launched a pilot scheme to

Common disinfectant found in soap, toothpaste could be causing antibiotic resistance

A common ingredient of soap and toothpaste could be causing antibiotic resistance and fuelling the spread of superbugs, according to new research. Researchers found that triclosan, a chemical found in soap, toothpaste and cleaning products, could be making bacteria more immune to antibiotics. A new British study found that bacteria exposed to triclosan could become more resistant to a group of antibiotics known as quinolones. Quinolones are a common antibiotic used to treat urinary tract infections, sinusitis, bronchitis and pneumonia. The warning comes just a year after the use of triclosan in antibacterial soap was banned by the United States (US) Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Now researchers have found evidence that the chemical could be linked to an increase in antibiotic resistance

Menstruation: Poor Guidance Contributes to Teenage Mismanagement, Report Shows

Lack of adequate guidance has been identified as the major cause of mismanagement of menstrual periods by beginners. This is the report of findings of the National Research on Menstrual Hygiene Management, conducted in three geo-political zones of the country; Katsina State- North-west, Anambra State- South-east and Osun State- South-west. At a media engagement on menstrual hygiene management in basic schools in Nigeria held in Osun State, Dr. Femi Aluko who is part of the research team disclosed that lack of adequate guidance, facilities and materials for girls lead to mismanagement of their menstruation in school. According to Aluko, girls' capacity to manage their periods is affected by lack of access to affordable hygiene sanitary materials, disposal options for used materials,. [Source:](#) Thisday

teach couples about nutrition, including a cooking class with a major focus on carbohydrates. White bread and pasta are banned in favour of wholemeal versions, while muesli or porridge, [Source: Guardian](#)

among superbugs. Researchers studying the stomach bug Escherichia coli in the lab found that triclosan could cause antibiotic resistance via a phenomenon known as 'cross-resistance'. Cross-resistance is a term used to describe how exposure to one substance can cause bacteria to become immune to a similar substance that it hasn't encountered before. [Source: Guardian](#)

SPORT NEWS

Lukaku set for £75m United switch

Everton's Belgian international striker Romelu Lukaku is set to join Manchester United instead of champions Chelsea for a fee of £75m. Both the BBC and Press Association reported the deal was all but done for the 24-year-old Lukaku, who will be reunited with Jose Mourinho, who sold him to Everton in 2014 for £28m when the Portuguese coach was in his second spell as Chelsea manager. Everton had offered the former Anderlecht star the most lucrative contract in the club's history after he scored 25 Premier League goals last season but he turned it down, saying he wanted to move on to another level. This alerted several clubs to his availability with Chelsea initially the favourites but Mourinho – who enjoys excellent relations with his agent Mino Raiola – looks to have snatched him from under Antoni Conte's nose. If the deal goes through Lukaku's arrival at Old Trafford would suggest United cease their interest in signing Alvaro Morata from Real Madrid. Raiola has had a profitable time since Mourinho took over at United last year, [Source: Punch](#)

Emenike vows to resurrect career in Greece

Former Nigeria striker Emmanuel Emenike has vowed to resurrect his career in Greece after completing his move to Greek champions Olympiakos from Turkish club Fenerbahce on Wednesday. The South Africa 2013 Africa Cup of Nations winner signed a two-year deal and the fee is said to be about \$2.8m. After struggling with injuries and a lack of first-team football last season, Olympiakos provides him with a platform that includes the European Champions League next season. I know there are big expectations from the fans and club, but I am ready," the 30-year-old told BBC Sport. I've joined the most successful club in Greek football and I want to give my best for the team, Emenike, who retired from international football in 2015, made 93 appearances in all competitions during his time at Fenerbahce scoring 25 goals. He endured a turbulent period at Fenerbahce having initially transferred to the Turkish side from rivals

WBO to review Pacquiao-Horn scoring

The World Boxing Organization has said it will review the scoring of the Manny Pacquiao-Jeff Horn welterweight title bout after the Philippine world champion's shock loss, but the verdict will stand. The WBO announced the move on its website after Pacquiao, backed by the Philippine government's sports regulatory body, criticised the referee and the judges and demanded a review. The Filipino regulator, the Games and Amusements Board, has also called for potential sanctions on the referee and judges of the July 2 Brisbane bout if warranted. The purpose of this review is to be able to give the fans certainty of who was the winner of the bout," WBO president Francisco Valcarcel wrote to the Filipino regulator on Wednesday. The WBO is to appoint five "anonymous competent judges from different countries to watch the bout without sound distraction" then tabulate their round-by-round scoring. However, Valcarcel stressed the WBO did not have the power to reverse the decision of the fight

Karabukspor in 2011. A match-fixing scandal, for which he was later cleared, prompted the Istanbul club to sell him to Russian side Spartak Moscow less than two months later. [Source:](#) Punch

judges. The decision of an official should only be revoked when fraud or violations of the law occur. I assure you that the officials who participated in this fight are all professional, distinguished, honest and honorable human beings,” he added. He urged the Filipino body to give evidence of fraud or violation of the law, [Source:](#) Guardian

GENERAL NEWS

I Need a Better Budget to Work, Fashola Tells Senate

The Minister of Power, Works and Housing, Mr. Babatunde Fashola, has told the Senate that he needs a good budget to work as a minister of the federal government, adding that the questions about how he performs on his job should be left to members of the public to determine. Responding to comments made by the Senate Committee Chairman on Appropriation, Senator Danjuma Goje, who had criticised the minister for taking umbrage with the legislature for altering the budget of his ministry and other ministries, and hampering their ability to execute infrastructure projects, Fashola said the senator had trivialised the issues he raised about the unilateral slashing of the budgetary allocation to key national infrastructure by the National Assembly. Fashola stressed that a good budget was a necessary tool for the executive to do its work. He said when services are inadequate the Nigerian public would look to him and his colleagues in the executive to provide answers. I need a better budget as a tool to do my work and that is why I am speaking out, said Fashola in a statement he signed. He

Lagos Reforms Land Bureau, Insists on Prosecuting Land Grabbers

The Lagos State Government yesterday disclosed its resolve to prosecute any identified land grabber while assuring all investors of the safety of their landed property in the state. The state government also disclosed that 4,602 Certificates of Occupancy (C of Os); 6,118 governor’s consents and 314 deemed grant consents had been issued since he assumed office in the last two years. The state governor, Mr. Akinwunmi Ambode, disclosed this at the state’s Land Registry he unveiled in Alausa alongside his Special Adviser on Urban Development, Mrs. Yetunde Onabule and Permanent Secretary of Lagos Lands Bureau, Mr. Olabode, among others. Before unveiling the registry, Ambode said deliberate massive reforms “have been put in place in the sector to reposition land administration for efficiency and enhance the ease of doing business. When his administration came on board, one of the major challenges hampering the ease of doing business was the bottleneck in land administration. Immediate steps were taken to reform the sector, especially through the deployment of cutting-edge technology to drive efficiency in the land

Parents should invest in CCTV to monitor children –Soyombo

The Director-General, Lagos State Office of Quality Assurance, Mrs. Ronke Soyombo, has advised parents to cut down on frivolities and invest in Closed Circuit Television and other preventive measures to protect their children from abuse. She also urged women to shun negligent behaviours that could expose their children to physical and emotional harm. Soyombo said this on Thursday in an interview with our correspondent. Occasionally, it will not hurt for parents to cut down on aso-ebi (social dresses) and invest in CCTV. That can be linked to our phones so that even as career women, we can monitor our children and pay attention to what is going on in their lives. There is no reason why a five-year-old should walk to school by him or herself. There are parents who don’t know their children’s’ favourite food or when their daughters start menstruating. Special-need children are even more vulnerable to abuse, especially those that cannot talk. Parents should obtain reference for their drivers, nannies and other domestic staff,” she said. The educationist also said

said he was currently attending the 35th Annual General Meeting of Shelter Afrique in Zimbabwe. [Source:](#) Thisday

registry, administration and management system. He described the new land registry as another major step towards the ideal situation in land administration, which he said, would to unleash private enterprise as land is a very vital asset with which the people could access capital and thereby increase economic activities. [Source:](#) Thisday

that Governor Akinwunmi Ambode had directed her office to enforce the adoption of the Child Protection Policy of the state government, adding, We, are not saying that schools should adopt it the way it is. But it is mandatory for every school to adapt the policy to suit its local needs to protect our children from all kinds of abuse. There must be child protection officers in schools. [Source:](#) Punch

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