

News

FG Sends Relief Materials to Kano Clash Victims

THE Federal Government, Wednesday in Kano, sent relief materials worth eight million naira to victims of the recent clash in Kano which pitched the Hausa against the Yoruba.

The materials were delivered to the Kano State Governor, Dr. Rabiu Musa Kwankwaso, by a two-man delegation led by the Deputy Director of the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA), Alhaji Salisu Shuaibu Makari.

The materials were made up of 500 bundles of roofing

From Bassey Inyang, Kano

sheets; 600 units of blankets; 200 units of nylon mats; 300 buckets; 600 bath towels; 100 bags of 50 kg of rice, 50 bags of 100kg of beans; and 100 bags of 50kg of maize.

Makari, while presenting the materials at government house Kano, said the Rapid Response of the Federal Government was informed by the concern it has for the victims of the incident, which it described as unfortunate.

He prayed that such a development should never repeat itself.



Mr. Ifeanyi Atueyi, a publisher (left) with Mr. S. T. Odunlami, assistant controller-general, Nigeria Customs Service zonal co-ordinator, zone F, Ibadan, at the 2nd Annual National Conference of the Nigerian Association of Industrial Pharmacists, held at Gateway Hotel, Ota, Ogun State, last week

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Radio Programme

Friday

Time	Programme
0400 hrs 0500 hrs	Day break Africa (VOA)
0500 hrs 1000 hrs	Ultimate Morning Show
1000 hrs 1010 hrs	Ray Power World News
1010 hrs 1200 hrs	Thank God It's Friday
1200 hrs 1230 hrs	Filin Badalinku (Hausa)
1230 hrs 1300 hrs	Modiu
1300 hrs 1310 hrs	Africa News Desk
1310 hrs 1500 hrs	Ray Power Express Muscial Sweep
1500 hrs 1600 hrs	Music (Power Cuts)
1605 hrs 1630 hrs	Focus on Africa (BBC)
1630 hrs 1730 hrs	Miliki Express
1730 hrs 1800 hrs	Music (Power Cuts Continues)
1800 hrs 1830 hrs	Cowbell Sports Stars Parade (Sponsored)
1830 hrs 2000 hrs	Music (Power Cuts)
2001 hrs 2030 hrs	Fast Track (BBC)
2030 hrs 2300 hrs	Friday Night Groove
2300 hrs 0000 hrs	Nightline Africa (VOA)
0000 hrs 0400 hrs	Grand Slam

Programme Schedule is Subject to Change

** Ultimate Morning Show (M-F)

** Press Today 0700 - 0715 hrs

* Sports Round up (BBC) 0715 - 0730 hrs

* Network Africa (BBC) 0730 - 0800 hrs

* Milo World of Sports 0800 - 0815 hrs

* Fact File 0830 - 0900 hrs

* One Thing at a Time 0900 - 0915 hrs

PTF Advised to Probe N110b Project Allocation

THE Interim Management Committee (IMC) of the Petroleum (Special) Trust Fund (PTF) headed by Dr. Haroun Adamu, has been advised to set up a committee to probe allocation of N110 billion earmarked for the execution of all projects embarked upon by the Fund.

the PTF, is not inimical to current efforts to instill transparency and accountability.

Still assessing the PTF, Babalobi argued that

By Sola Ogundipe, Staff Reporter

allocation of 0.64 per cent and 8.40 per cent of total accruals of the Fund to the Federal Capital Territory

(FCT), and the Armed Forces and Police PTF, should be stopped forthwith.

"These accruals should henceforth be paid into federation account, while a

high-powered judicial committee of inquiry should be constituted to investigate the disbursement of N31 billion accruing to the two agencies since inception.

Commandant Asked to Curb Crime Wave in Warri

From Godwin Adindu, Asaba

AS crime wave seizes the city of Warri, the Deputy Governor of Delta State Chief Benjamin Elue, has enjoined the new Commandant of the Zone 5 Police Command, Mr. Dauda Galo, an assistant Inspector-General of Police, to curb the trend by strengthening his men in the area of marine police and if possible increase the police manpower in the affected areas of Warri.

House at Asaba over the escalation of crime in Warri, adding that naturally, the aftermath of any armed conflict is an upsurge of all manners of crime. He said this situation has been compounded with the new crime phenomenon in which criminals from the neighbouring states are invading Delta State to cause

mayhem.

He said the Zone 5 Command with Headquarters in Benin City should compliment government's effort in ending the Warri Crisis and bringing peace in the area by ensuring that the new spate of crime that has overtaken the area is drastically controlled.

Chief Elue who was speaking yesterday on the occasion of the tour of Delta State by the new Commandant, said full cooperation and cordiality that

the government and people of Delta State have been enjoying from the police in the State should be maintained by the new Commandant, saying "we want to continue with the happy working relationship with your men here."

He noted that much as the successive governments have "badly treated the state," resulting in the communal fracas and other uprisings, the new administration does not believe that crime and war are the solution to the problem.

House of Reps Summons NDLEA Boss

THE House committee on ethics and privileges, headed by Alhaji Farouk Lawan has summoned the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) Chairman, Ogbonna Onovo, an assistant inspector general of police, to appear before it over drug allegation against some members of the House

of Representatives. This is coming on the heels of a report submitted by the Chairman of the House Committee on Drugs and Narcotics, Mr. Tony Esu, that there were allegations that some members of the House of Representatives are involved in drug and financial crimes.

Lawan said the invitation of the NDLEA boss became imperative in order to get extensive brief on those involved in the criminal case. He stressed that "We are committed to ensuring that we keep the integrity of this house."

He reiterated the committee's decision to investigate every allegations against its members

thoroughly to ensure justice. However, *The Post Express* gathered, that already a sub-committee in the Drug and Narcotics committee saddled with the responsibility of investigating the alleged drug barons in the House of Representatives is already in possession of names of those involved in the crime.

...Tasks FG on Aguleri/Umuleri Feud

In a desperate bid to stop blood letting and loss of properties in the Aguleri/Umuleri communal feud, the House of Representatives on Wednesday passed a resolution calling on the Federal Government to ensure that lasting peace returns to the communities.

The House however, chided the governor of Anambra State, Dr. Chinwoke Mbadinuju for being "insensitive to the matter."

Sequel to the motion moved by Mr. Emma Obi Anosike, representing Anambra East/Anambra West Federal Constituency of Anambra State, the House also urged

government to 'provide relief materials to the victims. The motion which was seconded by Nze Chidi Duro representing Aguata Federal Constituency of Anambra State, also referred the matter to the House Committee on Peace and Reconciliation and Police Affairs for appropriate action.

Anosike said that over 300 lives have been lost in the clashes, which according to him, had forced the displaced indigenes living as refugees all over neighbouring towns.

Ritual Killers Linked with Kano Riot

FRESH allegations emerging from the recent Kano riot indicates that some of the people who died may have been killed for ritual purposes.

These are contrary to the popularly held view that the perpetrators of the carnage which expended so many lives were carrying out a reprisal against the Yorubas in Kano

State, also referred the matter to the House Committee on Peace and Reconciliation and Police Affairs for appropriate action.

Speaking on the motion, Mr. From Bassey Inyang, Kano following the Sagamu clash between the Hausas and the Yorubas.

Although the immediate cause of the Kano uprising was said to have stemmed from the tales of returnees from Sagamu, some of those who were killed had their genitals, breasts, heads and other vital organs of the body removed. Inside source within the police who participated the initial evacuation and subsequent mass burial of the victims told *The Post Express* that some of the bodies evacuated from Bachirawa, Kuma-Asabe, Riyya Lemo and other areas where most of the killings took place were dismembered.

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Television Programme

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Time	Programme
06:00-06:10	KAAKAKI
10:00-10:30	DOCUMENTARY
11:00-11:30	SPORTS
12:00-12:15	LENSVIEW AFRICA
12:15-12:30	MUSIC
12:30-13:00	LUNCHBREAK
14:00-14:15	NEWS HEADLINES
14:15-14:30	MUSIC
14:30-15:00	DEUTSCHE WELLE
16:00-16:30	CHANNEL O
17:00-17:30	TELECLASS @
18:00-18:30	INFOTECH
18:30-19:00	AGRIC ON TV
19:00-19:05	THE NATION TODAY
19:15-19:30	MARITIME REVIEW
20:00-20:30	EGOLI
20:30-21:00	SHOOTING-LARRY
21:00-22:00	NEWS HOUR
22:00-22:30	AIT JAMZ
23:30-00:00	NIGHT CAP
01:30-02:00	MUSIC
02:00-02:30	NIGHT CAP
04:00-04:30	CAMPUS CIRCUIT @
05:00-05:30	E.T.O.U
05:30-05:45	MUSIC