

HIGHLIGHT OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES - Friday, April 10, 2015

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf today met a high-level German delegation headed by the Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development, Dr. Gerd Muller, the Federal Minister of Health, Mr. Hermann Groehe, and two members of the German Parliament, Mr. Helmut Heiderich and Mrs. Dagmar Woehrl.

The high-level German delegation is in Liberia to assess the impact of contributions made by Germany during the Ebola crisis as well as hold discussions on support for Liberia's post-Ebola National Recovery Plan.

In receiving the German delegation, President Sirleaf indicated that Germany has and continues to have strong historical relations with Liberia that is second to the United States of America. She recalls that Germany's strong private sector development role of the past reflected through the operations of companies such as the Bong Mining Company and others in the forestry sector.

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf joined member churches of the Liberia Council of Churches (LCC) to observe National Fast and Prayer Day at the Providence Baptist Church in Monrovia. The prayer service was organized by the LCC in observance of National Fast and Prayer Day, a national holiday passed by an Act of the Legislature in 1883, declaring the Second Friday in April of each year for the safety and welfare of the Nation and its people with penitent reverence to God.

In a Proclamation, President Sirleaf declared the Second Friday of April, 2015, as a National Holiday to be observed as a Day of Supplication, Prayer, Fasting and Meditation so that the country's efforts, as a people, may be crowned with great achievements to the common cause of the Nation, the State and common humanity.