

Highlights of the President's Activities

Wednesday, October 29, 2014

- Today is President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf's 76th birth anniversary. As a result of the deadly Ebola virus disease which has had a serious impact on the country and its people, she decided to commemorate her birth anniversary in a low-key fashion without the pomp and pageantry befitting the day.

However, working as usual from her Foreign Ministry office, the Liberian leader intermittently received in audience several government officials, government institutions and parastatals, individuals, among others who had come to extend birthday greetings and at the same time support government's efforts in the fight against the Ebola virus disease.

Among the numerous guests who came to wish the President well were the Senate, Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, Cabinet, staff of the Ministry of State, Central Bank of Liberia (CBL), Land Commission, Booker Washington Institute (BWI) Alumni Association, Guaranty Trust (GT) Bank, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. and the Sirleaf Market Women's Fund.

At separate interactions, the well-wishers wished President Sirleaf a happy birthday and thanked her for remaining focused in the Ebola fight; terming her leadership as "exemplary". They admonished her to continue to demonstrate this leadership as Liberia has slowly begun to see progress in the fight against Ebola that have claimed thousands of lives.