

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES

Thursday, April 23, 2015

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf received in audience the World Health Organization (WHO) Regional Director for Africa, Dr. Matshidiso Moeti, when she paid her a courtesy call at the Foreign Ministry office.

Dr. Moeti, who is from Botswana, was on a three-day visit to Liberia to assess the impact of WHO's contribution to the fight against Ebola that had taken a toll on countries in the Mano River basin. This is her first visit here since her appointment for a five-year term on February 1, 2015, succeeding Dr. Luis Gomes Sambo.

President Sirleaf thanked Dr. Moeti for the visit and congratulated her on her preferment as the first female WHO Regional Director for Africa. She indicated that the WHO Regional Office has been a good partner to Liberia over the years, most especially during the period of Ebola and looked forward to WHO active participation in the sub-region's post-Ebola recovery plan which has a lot to do with being able to create and strengthen the country's healthcare delivery system. The Liberian leader thanked WHO for assisting Liberia in training health sector personnel, which is now an essential element of the post-Ebola recovery plan to ensure that the country has a resilient healthcare system.