

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Tuesday, October 3, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf on Monday, October 2, returned home from the 72nd Session of the United Nations General Assembly in New York, with a grateful heart. "I will bless the Lord at all times. His praises will always be in my mouth," the President said as she mounted the pulpit to address a huge congregation during a thanksgiving service in honor of her safe return home, held at the Philadelphia Central Church, in Monrovia.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Thursday, October 5, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf urged Liberians not to lose track of all safety measures in the conduct of their lives. She called on Liberians to observe the right safety measures at all times and celebrate the construction of the building. The President made the statement on Thursday, October 5, during an official program making the groundbreaking ceremony for the construction of the National Public Health Institute of Liberia, National Reference and Regional Reference Laboratory Building located in Congo Town.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Friday, October 6, 2017

- Ivorian Ago Giant Industry Corporation, SIFCA is on the verge of entering into a joint venture with GVL to build what it terms will be one of the biggest oil palm factory in the world with a production capacity of 80 metric ton per hour. This was disclosed by the Chairman of the Board of SIFCA, Mr. Alassane Doumbia, on Friday, October 6, when he met with President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, at her Foreign Ministry office, in Monrovia.
- Also on Friday, the President received the Letters of Credence from the Ambassadors of the African Union and European Union to the Republic of Liberia, H.E. Ibrahim Mbaba Kamara and Mrs. Helene Cave, Head of Delegation of the European Union, respectively.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Sunday, October 8, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf urged Liberians to continue to pray for God's guidance to enable them elect a new leader who will move the country forward. She thanked God for the peace enjoyed because God has been able to work through them to keep the peace. She said the Presidential and Representatives elections are critical and defining to Liberia. The President made the statement on Sunday, October 8, at the Triumphant Life International Ministries, located on Robert Street, in Buchanan City, Grand Bassa County, during a Thanksgiving and Intercessory Service for peaceful campaign, elections and transition of power.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Monday, October 9, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf has congratulated the Judiciary for the cooperation and coordination experienced between the two branches over the years with a call to make Liberia proud as the country goes through the period of transition since 1944. "Please make our country proud as we go to these elections," the President stressed. According to an Executive Mansion release, she spoke on Monday, October 9, at ceremony marking the formal opening of the October Term of the Honorable Supreme Court of the Republic of Liberia

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Tuesday, October 12, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf on Tuesday, October 10, in fulfillment of her constitutional rights, cast her vote in Fefeh, Bomi County. The President, early on Tuesday, October 10, joined the queue at precisely 8:20a.m., to cast her vote.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Monday, October 16, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf issued Executive Order No. 89 – instituting policy measures to stimulate economic growth by reducing administrative, business process requirements on concessionaires, small, medium-sized businesses and manufacturers. "Whereas, the Liberian economy, having experienced a protracted downturn in activities and slow growth driven by the continuous and persistent declines in the prices of and demand for Liberia's primary exports of rubber, iron ore and timber; and whereas, this combination of events has contributed to the low level of business activities currently experienced in the economic outputs of the industrial, commercial and retail sectors."

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Thursday, October 19, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, with barely a week after the end of first round of elections, has decried electoral violence as counter-productive to the peace and stability of the nation. The government's attention was been drawn to displays on social media of extremely inimical posts to the survival of Liberia's peace and democracy. The Liberian leader condemned in the strongest possible term the abuse and misuse of social media through the use of invectives, hate speeches and outright vulgarities, which seek to denigrate adversaries with whom others supposedly might hold disagreement.
- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, on late Thursday, visited the home of the former Minister of Finance, Dr. S. Byron Tarr, to identify with and console the bereaved family as well as relatives over the death of their father and husband. The President upon arrival was received by family members of the late Dr. Tarr.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Tuesday, October 24, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf has told Education George Werner that his recent statement on the social media is unbecoming and inconsistent with his position as a senior official of government. The President made the statement on Monday during a conversation with the Education Minister. The Liberian leader indicated further that the minister's social media statement is also a contradiction to and undermines her recent special statement on vulgarity, abuse and spread of hate messages by some Liberians during the electoral process.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Wednesday, October 25, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf received in audience Sheikh Khalid Yasim, an American Islamic Scholar, who visited the country and commended him for his decision to come to Liberia. "Let me give you a big welcome for making the decision to come to Liberia" President Sirleaf noted. The President made the commendation on Wednesday, October 25, in the Cabinet Room, of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, when Yasim paid a courtesy call on her.
- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf commended Education Minister, George Werner for the apology he made in response to his recent social media post for which he was reprimanded. Unfortunately, the reprimand was transmitted before his apology, which is an adequate rebuke for the act committed. The President, stands firmly with the Minister of Education and his team in their effort to transform the Liberia's challenged Educational Sector.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Thursday, October 26, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf lauded the Associations of Liberian Women who produced quilts for national and international use - urging them to work together and be strong in lifting Liberia. "Let me commend you for what you have been doing and encouraged them to stay together and be strong in promoting Liberia," President Sirleaf noted. She made the statement on Thursday, October 26, at her Foreign Ministry office, when she received in audience over 23 female quilters from different communities in Monrovia and parts adjacent including the Robertsfield Highway, Somalia Drive, Stephen Tolbert Estate, Caldwell, Barnesville, among others.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Sunday, October 29, 2017

- President Ellen Sirleaf Johnson Sirleaf praised the Almighty God for being her shepherd throughout her stay on earth. Madam Sirleaf quoted Psalms 23: "The LORD is my shepherd;

I shall not want. He makes me to lie down in green pastures... Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.” She spoke on Sunday, October 29, during Thanksgiving and Intercessory Service held in recognition of her 79th birth anniversary organized by the First United Methodist Church, on Ashmun Street.

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf says she is grateful to the Almighty God for strength and good health at 79 years. The Liberia leader turned 79 on Sunday October 29. Ahead of her birthday, she distributed sets of school uniforms and assorted food items to several Liberians kids at six public schools in appreciation to God for what He has done.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT’S DAILY ACTIVITIES – Monday, October 30, 2017

- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf formally launched the National Biometric Identification System (NBIS); describing the launch as a significant accomplishment of the Government of Liberia. “This occasion marks a significant accomplishment of the Government of the Republic of Liberia,” the Liberian leader said. The Liberian leader made the statement on Monday, October 30, in Congo Town, when she formally launched and performed ribbon-cutting ceremony at the NBIS Office.