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MID-WEST REGION

ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE

BENIN CITY

Your Ref:

30 September, 1963.

Our Ref: 6/15

I am sorry

I must really apologise that I have not been able to write you since I came here. But it has been one hectic day after another, and I have not had a moment to myself.

2. In this letter I am raising the matter of providing accommodation for His Excellency the Administrator for Midwestern Nigeria for the period 16th November to 19th when His Excellency will be attending the ceremonies connected with the installation of Alhaji the Rt. Hon. Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa, K.B.E., M.P., LL.D., Prime Minister of the Federation of Nigeria, as the Chancellor of the University of Ibadan. I have written to the Registrar of the University letting him know that I am requesting you to provide accommodation but suggesting that in the event of your not being able to do so, he will have to help us with alternative accommodation somewhere. I have in mind an alternative arrangement whereby Professor Dike, the Principal of the University, may arrange to put up His Excellency.

3. While on this, may I bother you with accommodation for myself and other members of His Excellency's entourage. His Excellency's entourage will in addition to myself include the Aid-de-camp, His Excellency's Personal Assistant and one other.

4. Perhaps I ought expressly to mention that His Excellency will, of course, be accompanied by Mrs. Veronica Osadebay.

5. Give my kindest regards to your wife and children. I hope to hear from you soon. May I ask you to contact the Registrar - is Ademoleku now in post? Do give him my regards.

Yours sincerely
Andrew

(A. I. Wilson),
Secretary to the Administrator
and Administrative Council.

Chief T. O. Ejiwunmi, I.S.O.,
Secretary to the Premier and
Executive Council,
IBADAN.

Chief + Mrs
Osadebay

S.155/15/2.

7th Oct. 1963.

A.I. Wilson, Esq.,
The Secretary to the Administrator
and Administrative Council,
Mid-West Region,
Administrator's Office,
BENIN CITY

With reference to your letter No. 6/15
of the 30th September, 1963, suitable accommodation
is being reserved for His Excellency the Administrator,
and his personal staff. If you so desire, efforts
will be made to secure hotel accommodation for other
officials. His Excellency and his personal staff
will, of course, be treated as guests of Western Nigeria
Government.

(T.O. Ejiwunmi)
Secretary to the Premier and
Executive Council

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See note pp. 1 & 2.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

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K. Onwuka Dike, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. LL.D., Litt.D., D.Sc.



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Cables and Telegrams: University Ibadan

IBADAN, NIGERIA

P/G.9/1

18th October, 1963

Mr. T.O. Ejiwunmi,
Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

My dear Ejiwunmi,

We have been trying to find out if there is anyone in the Western Region Government who could be appointed a part-time lecturer in Public Administration and we sounded Mr. Adebayo of the Ministry of Local Government to find out if he would be interested. He has since written saying that I should contact you direct because you are the most appropriate person to communicate with on this type of matter. Do you think that Mr. Adebayo could be allowed to undertake part-time duties in this University, provided, of course, that it does not interfere with his work as a Civil Servant?

Perhaps you could get in touch with me by telephone and indicate what the possibilities are. I enclose the relevant correspondence herewith.

Kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

K. Onwuka Dike
(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

cc: Professor J.B. Black
Deputy Registrar

P/G.9/1

7th October, 1963.

Mr. A.C. Adebayo,
Acting Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Local Government,
Western Region,
Ibadan.

My dear Adebayo

I have just heard from Professor Black that he is needing somebody to lecture in the Department of Government and that a Nigerian who has had some administrative experience is preferred. It may be that this could be part-time lecturing and I was thinking of approaching the Western Region Government as to whether they could find a suitable individual to help us in this matter.

I also think that you are likely to be a suitable candidate and, while keeping your Government appointment, experiment by giving lectures here along the lines of Professor Black's letter. Before applying formally to Government on your behalf would you please let me know who is the most suitable person to write to on this matter and secondly, whether you are interested in this proposal.

I enclose a copy of Professor Black's letter herewith.

Yours sincerely,

(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

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THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, IBADAN
INTERNAL MEMORANDUM



FROM: Prof. J. E. Black,
Dept. of Government.,
Faculty of Economics & Social
Studies.

TO: The Principal,

REF: DATE: 23/9/63

P/G-9/1

9/10/63

Dear Dr. Dike,

You will recall that we discussed the vacancy in Public Administration in the Department of Government. It is going to be difficult to find someone of the quality of Mr. Orewa to fill this position.

I would like to see this position filled by a Nigerian, and one with some administrative experience, if someone who is first-rate can be secured. Undoubtedly a number of young men who take degrees with us will go into the public service. It would be very worthwhile for them to take their work in public administration from a Nigerian who has been successful in this field. If the public official were a man of unusual ability and integrity he would also serve as a standard for future public servants.

For the coming year the person who fills this vacancy would have the following assignments:

- (a) Teach the third year course in "Administrative Science"
- (b) Give some lectures on local government to the second year students.
- (c) Participate with other departmental members in the first year Tutorial Program.

As a matter of priority I hope our program in public administration can be strengthened and that we can be of service to the government in the years ahead. But for the present it would be most helpful if we could get a top rate man from the public service to help us out this year.

Sincerely yours,

J.E. Black
Professor of Government.

cc to Adetunji

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S.155/15/6.

22nd Oct. 1963.

The Secretary for Establishments and
Organisation,
The Treasury,
I B A D A N

Mr. A.O. Adebayo - Lecturer
Public Administration.

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I forward herewith copies of the letter I have received from the Principal and Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan, concerning an inquiry about releasing Mr. A.O. Adebayo, for part-time duties in the University as a Lecturer in Public Administration.

2. As the matter in question is an Establishment one, I am referring the papers to you for necessary action, and I would be grateful if you would let me have a copy of your reply thereto in order that I might send an appropriate reply to Dr. Dike who has approached me.

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(T.O. Ejiwunmi)
Secretary to the Premier and
Executive Council

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IBADAN, NIGERIA

29th October, 1963

Chief T.O. Ejiwunmi,
Secretary to the Premier of Western Nigeria,
Premier's Office,
IBADAN.

My dear Ejiwunmi,

Please forgive me for not writing to you before now but I have been trying to sift the names of V.I.P.s to whom you might be able to provide accommodation, from the very long list that we have. I have pleasure in enclosing this list herewith and shall look forward to hearing further from you on the matter at your earliest convenience. Naturally, those to whom you are not able to offer accommodation will be offered hospitality by us. As soon as I hear from you I can go ahead and make the necessary arrangements for the accommodation of guests within the University.

Yours sincerely,

K. Onwuka Dike

(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Distinguished guests to the Installation Ceremony
(from outside Ibadan)

- 17th 1. Sir Kashim Ibrahim, Governor of the Northern Region;
17th-19th 2. Sir Francis Ibiam & Lady Ibiam, Governor of the Eastern Region;
3. Sir Ahmadu Bello, Premier of the Northern Region;
4. Dr. & Mrs. M.I. Okpara, Premier of the Eastern Region;
5. Chief & Mrs. Dennis Osadebay, Administrator of the Midwest Region;
6. His Highness The Sultan of Sokoto;
7. Sir Adetokunbo & Lady Ademola;
8. Alhaji Inua Wada;
9. Chief H. Omo-Osagie;
10. Dr. the Hon. S.E. Imoke & Mrs. Imoke;
11. The Emir of Bida;
12. Alhaji the Hon. Ahman Pategi, Minister of Agriculture, Northern Region;
13. Alhaji the Hon. Mustafa Ismail, Minister of Establishment, Northern Region;
14. Sir Samuel Manuwa, Public Service Commission, Lagos;
15. Chief the Hon. & Mrs. J.H.E. Nwuke, Minister of Works, Eastern Region;
16. Alhaji the Hon. Makaman Bida, Minister of Finance, Northern Region;
17. Alhaji Muhammadu Bashir, Minister of Economic Planning, Northern Region;
18. Hon. Audu Buba, Minister of Trade and Industry, Northern Region;
19. Hon. & Mrs. E. Emole, Minister of Finance, Eastern Region;
20. The Emir of Ilorin;
21. Hon. & Mrs. T.O.S. Benson;
22. Chief the Hon. & Mrs. Festus Okotie-Eboh;
23. Alhaji the Hon. Muhammadu Ribadu.

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P/C.46

IBADAN, NIGERIA

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

5th November, 1963

Chief S.L. Akintola,
Hon. Premier of Western Region,
Premier's Lodge,
IBADAN,
Western Nigeria.

My dear Premier,

As you know, Alhaji Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa, will be arriving in Ibadan on the 16th November to prepare for his Installation as Chancellor of this University on the morning of the 18th.

I heard from Sir Abubakar today and he and I would be delighted if you and Mrs. Akintola would be able to meet him at my house on the evening of Saturday the 16th November at 7.45 for 8 p.m.

The Prime Minister is naturally anxious to meet those in authority in the Western Region and this dinner party is being limited to yourself, His Excellency the Governor, the Deputy Premier, Sir Samuel Quashi-Idun and the Olubadan of Ibadan. It will be a private and intimate dinner party and will give the Prime Minister the opportunity of meeting you all informally.

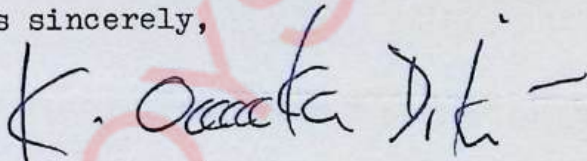
I should be grateful if you would kindly let me know as soon as possible whether you and Mrs. Akintola are able

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to accept this invitation as I must confirm this engagement with the Prime Minister's office in the near future.

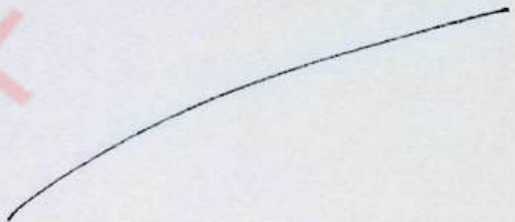
With warmest personal regards,

Yours sincerely,

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(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

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S.155/15/11.

7th Nov. 1963.

Dr. K.O. Dike,
Principal & Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
NIGERIA.

Dr

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The Honourable Premier has asked me to refer to a telephone conversation which you had with him and to acknowledge on his behalf, your letter No. P/C.46 of the 5th November, 1963, inviting him and Chief (Mrs.) Akintola to dinner to meet the Honourable Prime Minister of the Federal Republic of Nigeria on Saturday November 16th, 1963. I am to inform you that your kind invitation is accepted with pleasure.

May I take this opportunity to refer to your letter about providing accommodation for some of the distinguished Visitors to Ibadan in connection with the ceremony of Installation of Alhaji Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa as Chancellor of the University of Ibadan. I have been in touch with Mr. G.O. Ijewere and Mr. Adamolekun, on the subject, and put at their disposal all the V.I.P. Rest-Houses available. I believe we have the matter well in hand between us and I do not propose to bother you with the details of the arrangements unless you prefer to be personally informed about it.

Yours sincerely,

(T.O. Ejiwunmi)

Secretary to the Premier and
Executive Council

PA. Wv S/11

Sent
8/11/63

THE UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR

K. ONWUKA DIKE, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. LL.D., Litt.D.

TELEPHONE: IBADAN 22841 Extn. 167

CABLES & TELEGRAMS: 'UNIVERSITY IBADAN'

C.46/D.

8th November, 1963.

The Secretary to the Premier
& Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

Dear Sir,

Accommodations for V.I.Ps.

Further to our discussion on Tuesday (Ejiwunmi/Ijewere) I wish to confirm, on behalf of the University, that accommodations be provided for the V.I.Ps. who will be with us for the Installation and Inauguration Ceremonies as follows:

Sir Kashim Ibrahim - to stay with the Governor;

Sir Francis & Lady Ibiam - to stay with the Governor;

X Sir Ahmadu Bello - to stay in the Premier's Guest House;

Dr the Hon & Mrs M.I. Okpara - to stay in the Deputy
Governor's Old House;

Chief & Mrs Dennis Osadebay - Quarter 452, Ahmadu Bello
Close, Agodi;

The Hon & Mrs T.O.S. Benson - to stay with the Deputy
Premier, Chief the Hon
R.A. Fani-Kayode.

Yours faithfully,

G.O. Ijewere
(G.O. Ijewere)
Assistant Registrar

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by phone
I've confirmed that the other Res House No 17 in New Reservation is what we wanted. W 8/11
Sultan of Sokoto will be staying at 17, New Reservation.



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Note

Mr Ijewere has undertaken to inform the people overseas about their accommodation at Ibadan

[Signature]
9/11



**GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
IBADAN · WESTERN NIGERIA**

Our Ref. No.....
All communications should be
addressed to the Senior Assistant
Secretary quoting 400/2/20
Our Ref. No.....

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Date 13 November, 1963

The Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

Supply of Transport.

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that Their excellencies Sir Francis Ibiam the Governor of Eastern Nigeria and Kashim Ibrahim, the Governor of Northern Nigeria, are due to arrive in Ibadan on the 17th November, 1963, for the Installation Ceremonies of the Chancellor of the University of Ibadan.

2. The Government House has accepted the responsibility of providing them with Transport throughout the duration of their stay in the City.

3. It will be appreciated if you will make one available CADILLAC car with driver for the purpose during the period of 17th to 19th November, 1963.

P. A. Adedunjo
Aide-de-Camp

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**GOVERNOR'S OFFICE
IBADAN · WESTERN NIGERIA**

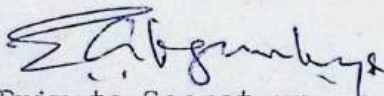
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addressed to the Senior Assistant
Secretary quoting 55/180.
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Date 13th November, 1963.

The Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

Arrival of His Excellency, Sir
Francis Ibiam, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., Governor
of Eastern Nigeria.

Further to my endorsement No. 55/179 of 12th
November, 1963, you may wish to know, Sir, that I
have received a telephone message from ^{the} Secretary
to the Governor of Eastern Nigeria that Sir
Francis Ibiam and Lady Ibiam will arrive by air
on Sunday, 17th November, 1963, at about 5.15 p.m.
and depart on Tuesday, 19th November, at 4.00 p.m.


Private Secretary.

Premier's Office,
Western Nigeria,
Ibadan.

15th November, 1963.

TO ALL MINISTERS.

Installation of Alhaji Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa,
Prime Minister of the Federal Republic of Nigeria
as Chancellor of the University of Nigeria, Ibadan

I am directed to inform you that the under-mentioned V.V.I.Ps will arrive in Ibadan for the above-mentioned ceremony on the dates and times shown against their names:-

	<u>Date & Time of Arrival</u>	<u>Made of Travel- ling</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
His Excellency Sir Kashim Ibrahim, Governor of Northern Nigeria	9 a.m. on Sunday 17th November '63	By Train	Guest of H.E. the Governor (West)
His Excellency Sir Francis Ibiam, Governor of Eastern Nigeria and Lady Ibiam	5.15 p.m. on Sunday 17th November, '63	By Air	-do-
Dr. the Honourable M. I. Okpara, Premier of Eastern Nigeria and Mrs. Okpara	-do-	-do-	To occupy the old Deputy Governor's House. Tel. 22115
Chief Dennis Osadebay, Administrator of the Midwest Region and Mrs. Osadebay	-do-	-do-	To occupy WNDC Qr. 31 Olagbegi Crescent, New Reservation. Tel. 23052
Sir Ahmadu Bello, Premier of Northern Nigeria	Monday, 18th November, '63	-do-	-

2. I am to say that the Honourable Premier has requested that all Ministers should be present at the Airport/Railway Station to receive these august visitors on their arrival.

J. A. O. WILLIAMS
for Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council.

21 November,

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It gives me very great pleasure to congratulate you once again on your appointment as the First Chancellor of the University of Ibadan, and through you the University and others whose creditable performances made it possible for us all to enjoy the great spectacle and the great honour accorded the people of Nigeria on the occasion of your installation. One should be truly proud of the phenomenal achievements of the University which are the combined products of the co-operation, sacrifices, physical and mental exertions on the part of various people in and outside our country.

Unfortunately, whereas the celebration should have afforded us the unique opportunity of demonstrating to the world that much talked of unity among ourselves, and particularly among the Rulers of our great country, it was marred by certain arrangements which savoured of discrimination against us in this Region and about which all the Obas, Chiefs and people of the Region feel most strongly. I hesitate to bring this matter up so early in your regime which we all pray will be peaceful, successful, and marked with greater achievements than we have been privileged to witness so far. But it is only by referring to them now that they can have real significance.

When the list of people on whom the University proposed to confer honorary degrees was announced, I directed my Secretary to Premier and Executive Council to make representations to the University Authorities for the singular omission of the name of the Governor of Western Nigeria from the list. To my surprise, I learnt that the award was a mark of recognition only for some personal contribution to the development of the University on the part of the people concerned. To me, this is only an excuse. To begin with, not all those who have contributed to the development of the University have had an honorary degree conferred on them. The succession of Ministers who served on the University Council were not preferred, therefore, the general impression must be correct that only the Governors have been honoured. Secondly, it is of general practice for Universities to confer honorary degrees on the Nationals of other countries who have not been associated with their Universities in any way. Thirdly, the Recitals of the Public Orator during the ceremony did not refer to the part played by the honorary graduands towards the development of

the University alone, but in the main to their services in the public life of Nigeria. Fourthly, the University is situated in Western Nigeria, and for the material contribution, at least, made by the Government and people of the Region, the Governor of the West deserves to be honoured.

Again at the ceremony, the Governors had their seats in the front row except the Governor of the West. As a rule honouring has nothing to do with sitting arrangements. If this was an oversight, it was a lamentable oversight, and we must guard against its recurrence.

One would not wish to hold a brief for the Administrator of the Midwest, but by virtue of his combined offices of Premier and Governor, it is obvious that proper protocol had not been observed on this occasion when the Administrator was given a back seat as well, on the stage.

I am, of course, not holding you, Mr. Chancellor, personally responsible for the sitting arrangements in the Hall, nor for the decision about the conferment of degrees, the whole arrangement has been most unfortunate. With us, our reaction to these things is not simply a reflection of the state of our minds. The general impression they have created on the Public at large is far from being favourable.

I repeat that it is a matter of great pride for us that our University has attained the position of international eminence which it holds. Not only do we not grudge those who have been honoured on this occasion, but we have in our own way as Government and leaders of our own people made our own humble contribution, voluntarily and with real pleasure, to the success of the celebrations. The University is so much in the limelight, and because of the good it can do in fostering unity among ourselves and in projecting an image of the country beyond our borders, it has to be extra cautious how it sets about discharging its functions.

* A copy of this letter is being sent to the Premier of the North, Premier of the East, the Administrator of the Midwest, and to Professor K.O. Dike, Vice Chancellor of the University of Ibadan.

(S.L. Akintola)
Premier.

Alhaji the Rt. Hon. Sir Abubaka
Tafawa Balewa, K.B.E., M.P.,
The Prime Minister of Federal Republic
of Nigeria,
Lagos.

Note - Copies of letters sent as a

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S.122/86

21st Nov.1963.

Professor K.O. Dike,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN

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17-78 I am directed to forward the attached copy of the letter from the Honourable Premier which he addressed to the Right Honourable Prime Minister of the Federation and Chancellor of the University. He would be grateful if you would find time to discuss the points raised in the letter with him on his return from his visit to the North.

W
(T.O. Ejiwunmi)
Secretary to the Premier and
Executive Council

b.u. 25/11/63

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

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IBADAN, NIGERIA

Your ref: S.122/86

27th November, 1963.

Mr. T.O. Ejiwunmi,
Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

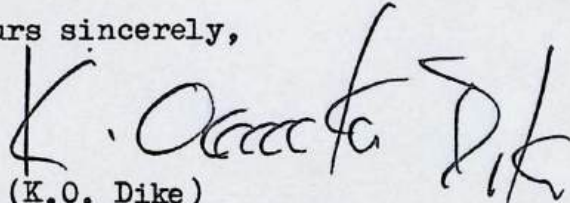
Dear Mr. Ejiwunmi,

19 Thank you for your letter of the 21st November, 1963.
I am happy to hear that the Premier would like to see me
on the subject of the letter he addressed to Sir Abubakar
Tafawa Balewa, Prime Minister of the Federation.

I am at the Premier's disposal and will be available
here until the 3rd of December when I go to Lagos. I
return to Ibadan on the 6th. Personally, I think the
sooner I see the Premier, the better.

Looking forward to hearing from you as soon as
possible.

Yours sincerely,


(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

6th

~~12-30/63~~

S.155/15/21.

3rd Dec. 1963.

Professor K.O. Dike,
Principal & Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN

Dear Professor Dike,

20 Thank you for your letter of 27th November, 1963, I am writing to confirm the appointment I made through your Secretary that the Honourable Premier will be pleased to receive you in his office on Friday, the 6th instant, at 1.30 p.m.

Yours sincerely,

for (T.O. Ejiwunmi)
Secretary to the Premier and
Executive Council

ADMINISTRATION

ED:1/48/504

28 November, 1963.

The Principal & Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan,
Western Nigeria.

I am directed to refer to your letter No.P/G.9/1 of 18th October, 1963 to Chief T.O. Ejiwunmi, Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council and to convey permission to enable you to appoint Mr. A.O. Adebayo, Acting Secretary for Finance, as part-time lecturer in Public Administration on the understanding that the assignment will not interfere with his official duties. The permission is of an initial period of the current academic session. Approval is also given for Mr. Adebayo to retain the whole of the fees payable to him in respect of his services as part time lecturer.

2. A copy of this letter is addressed to Mr. Adebayo for his information.



a. a. o.
for Ag: Secretary for Establishments
and Organisation.

Copy to:-
Mr. A.O. Adebayo,
Ag: Secretary for Finance,
The Treasury,
Ibadan.

Ref: ED.1/48/504A.
Ibadan: 28 November, 1963.

The letter above is the reply to a request from the Principal and Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan that you should be allowed to be appointed part-time lecturer in Public Administration.

a. a. o.
for Ag: Secretary for Establishments
and Organisation.



Copy to:-
The Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

Ref: ED.1/48/504B.
Ibadan: 28 November, 1963.

For information with reference to your letter No.S.155/15/6 of 22nd October.

a. a. Olopa
for Ag: Secretary for Establishments
and Organisation.

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Att'd is a copy of the Univ. of Ibadan's programme for the P.M.'s visit which I ^{have} just collected from Prof. Dike.

2. Prof Dike has suggested that an appropriate occasion when the Hon. the Prem & his Col can meet the P.M. is at Orita-Ijesa (Idi Ilesha) x/Pl of the attachment; no further meetings are suggested except where individual invitations have gone out, eg. the Hon. the Prem is to be at Dinner on Sat night as Prof. Dike's guest.
3. Prof Dike will want a confirmation of §2; his 'phone at home is 21165.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

THE PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT TO IBADAN - UNOFFICIAL PROGRAMME

Saturday, 16th November, 1963

The Prime Minister reaches Orita-Ijebu, (Lagos Road), Ibadan, at approximately 10.30 a.m. | X

To be greeted by: The Vice-Chancellor, Dr. K.O. Dike
The Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Prof. C.W.L. Bevan
The Registrar, Mr. N.K. Adamolekun
The Deans of the Faculties of Arts, Science,
Medicine, Agriculture, and
Economics and Social Studies
The Members of the Executive Committee
of the Students' Union
A Party of 100 students.

Proceed to the University of Ibadan, arriving at approximately 12 noon.

To be greeted in front of the Administration Block by:

The Librarian
The Bursar
The Academic Secretary
The Deputy Registrar
The Chief Engineer
All Heads and Acting Heads of Departments
All Full Professors
All Associate Professors

At approximately 12.30 p.m. the Chancellor will proceed to the Vice-Chancellor's Lodge and thence to the Chancellor's Lodge to be greeted by Mrs. O.P. Dike and presented with kola nuts by lady members of Queen Elizabeth Hall.

1.15 p.m. The Vice-Chancellor will escort the Chancellor from his Lodge to the Vice-Chancellor's Lodge for luncheon with officers of the University of Ibadan at 1.30 p.m.

4.45 p.m. Student Football Match kick-off.

5 - 6 p.m. The Vice-Chancellor will escort the Chancellor on a conducted tour of the University site, including a visit to the following Halls of Residence:

Sultan Bello Hall
Independence Hall
Queen Elizabeth Hall

6.15-7.15 p.m. Cocktail Party - (Vice-Chancellor's Lodge).

7.45 for 8 p.m. Dinner with the Vice-Chancellor and Mrs. O.P. Dike and high-ranking members of the Ibadan Community.

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Sunday, 17th November, 1963

- 12.30 p.m. Installation Ceremony Rehearsal
- 1.15 p.m. Luncheon with the Vice-Chancellor and Mrs. Dike together with eleven University students to include three members of the Executive Committee of the Students' Union.
- 5.30 - 6 p.m. The Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor will visit the Students' Union.
- 7.30 p.m. The Chancellor will meet the Honorary Graduands in the Chancellor's Lodge.
- 8.30 p.m. Dinner Party for the Honorary Graduands - Vice-Chancellor's Lodge.

Monday, 18th November, 1963

As per printed programme

Tuesday, 19th November, 1963

- Graduation Day Ceremony
- Following the ceremony the Chancellor will make a conducted tour of Abadina Village
- 1.30 p.m. Graduation Day Luncheon Party with overseas guests at the Vice-Chancellor's Lodge
- 4.30 p.m. Opening of the University Mosque by the Chancellor
- 6 p.m. The Chancellor leaves by air for Lagos.

13th November, 1963

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Vice-Chancellor:

K. Onwuka Dike, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. LL.D., Litt.D., D.Sc.



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Cables and Telegrams: University Ibadan

IBADAN, NIGERIA

30th November, 1963

Chief the Hon. S.L. Akintola,
Premier, Western Region,
Premier's Office,
IBADAN,
Western Nigeria.

My dear Premier,

Thank you very much for sending me a copy of your letter of the 21st November, 1963 addressed to Alhaji the Rt. Hon. Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa, K.B.E., M.P., The Prime Minister of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, and Chancellor of this University.

I notice that the main point raised in your letter to Sir Abubakar is the fact that an Honorary Degree was not conferred upon the Governor of the Western Region during our Installation Ceremonies. As Vice-Chancellor of this University I am not responsible for the conferment of Honorary degrees. The decision as to whom Honorary Degrees should be conferred, on the occasion of this Installation, was the decision of the Chancellor, the Senate and the Council of the University of Ibadan. The matter was fully debated by the competent bodies and since your letter appears to be questioning the principles governing the awards, that is the principles which guided the Senate and Council in the decisions they took, I will place your letter before them and will write to you again on the results of their deliberations.

Perhaps the Chancellor himself will be writing to you in this regard but there are certain issues raised in your letter which affect me, the Registrar and other officers

of the University directly and I will briefly comment upon these aspects.

May I, with respect, state that the impressions conveyed in the following paragraph of your letter are misleading. In the third paragraph of your letter you comment as follows:

"When the list of people on whom the University proposed to confer honorary degrees was announced, I directed my Secretary to Premier and Executive Council to make representations to the University Authorities for the singular omission of the name of the Governor of Western Nigeria from the list. To my surprise, I learnt that the award was a mark of recognition only for some personal contribution to the development of the University on the part of the people concerned."

At no time did I receive a communication from the Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council as to the reasons why the Governor of the Western Region was not recommended for an Honorary Degree. If, as you state, an official representation had come to me from your Secretary, I would, of course, have referred such communication to the Chancellor, the Senate and the Council. No such representation ever came to me from your office.

Another impression which ought to be corrected concerns the seating arrangements referred to in your letter.

At Foundation Days and other academic ceremonies connected with the conferment of degrees, members of Congregation, Senate and Council process and sit on the platform. On this particular occasion, we recognised that since all the top V.I.Ps. in Nigeria would be attending the ceremony, we should make sure that all the Governors, all the Premiers, the Administrator of the Mid-West and other leading V.I.Ps. must sit on the platform.

This meant that the accommodation available on the platform was greatly strained and we found the utmost difficulty in accommodating on the platform the many

V.I.Ps. who attended the Installation. In fact, we have incurred the wrath of several Federal Ministers who felt that we gave more prominence to Regional Obas and Chiefs and kept them in the background in a ceremony connected with a Federal institution.

The front row was reserved, of course, for those officiating in the ceremony, viz. the Chancellor, the Pro-Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor, the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, the Registrar and the Public Orator and the Honorary Graduands. It was only with extreme difficulty that we were able to fit all these into the front row, since allowance had to be made for passages to the back seats and for a receptacle for messages from foreign universities. We therefore reserved the second row for the top V.I.Ps. not taking part in the ceremony. These V.I.Ps. included the Governor of the Western Region, the Premier of the North, yourself, the Administrator of the Mid-West, the Sultan of Sokoto, the Oni of Ife, the Olubadan of Ibadan, Oba Adele of Lagos, the Emir of Kano and others.

I want to assure you, Sir, if there had been a place available for the Governor of the Western Region and the Administrator of the Mid-West on the front row, we would have seated them there. The Chancellor himself, the day before the ceremony remarked, while he was in Trenchard Hall, that it was far too small a place for our present requirements and that we should think of designing a new Hall to keep pace with the growth of the University. Naturally there were more V.I.Ps. from the Western Region on the platform than from any other region. For example, apart from Sir Francis Ibiam, there was only Dr. Okpara from the Eastern Region, the Sardauna of Sokoto and the Sultan of Sokoto from the Northern Region, whereas from the Western Region there was the Governor, yourself, the Deputy Premier, the Olubadan of Ibadan and the Oni of Ife. We did, I think, recognise our duty to the Western Region in this respect.

May I stress that I have gone into detail to explain the position in order to show that we did not mean any disrespect whatsoever to the Governor of the Western Region or to the Administrator of the Mid-West. I have already written to the Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council accepting your invitation to meet and talk this matter over.

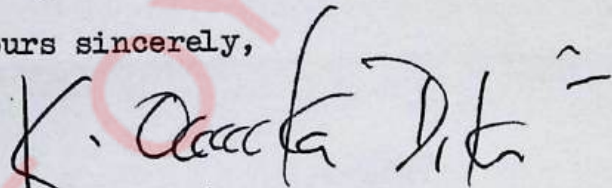
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I want to apologise most sincerely for any inconvenience or embarrassment that may have been caused over the seating arrangements at this ceremony and I want to assure you that we did everything humanly possible to meet a difficult situation.

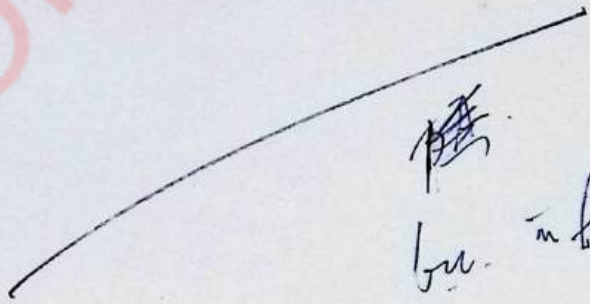
Since your letter has been copied to the Premier of the North, the Premier of the East and the Administrator of the Mid-West, I am likewise copying my reply to them and to the Chancellor of the University.

Yours sincerely,

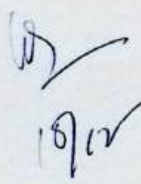


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Principal & Vice-Chancellor



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Installation of P.M.
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

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IBADAN, NIGERIA

16th October, 1963.

S. 155/11

Hon. Chief S.L. Akintola,
Premier, Western Nigeria,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

My dear Premier,

I have tried on a number of occasions to get in touch with you but I have been unsuccessful. I will therefore put into writing the main object of my wish to talk to you personally.

The Prime Minister of the Federation, Alhaji Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa will be installed Chancellor of this University on the 18th November. I have now received acceptances to the invitation to attend the Inauguration from almost all the important personalities invited. I feel, therefore, that it is my duty to inform you, as Premier of the Western Region about some of the leaders who are going to be with us for the ceremony.

They are:-

His Excellency The President of the Republic
Dr. Nnamdi Azikiwe

The Governor of the Eastern Region
Sir Francis Ibiam and Lady Ibiam

The Governor of the Northern Region
Sir Kashim Ibrahim

The Premier of the Eastern Region
Hon. Dr. M.I. Okpara and Mrs Okpara

The Premier of the Northern Region
Alhaji Sir Ahmadu Bello, the Sardauna of Sokoto

The Administrator of the Midwest Region
Chief D.C. Osadebay and Mrs. Osadebay

There are, of course, many other important personalities attending the ceremony and I thought you might like to discuss with me how these important personages should be housed while they are in Ibadan. I do not yet know whether all of them will be spending a night or two here but I thought that you and the Governor of the Region may want to offer accommodation to them and I am very anxious that correct protocol should be observed.

I am sending this letter by hand so that if possible I can meet you before the end of this week as I learn from your Secretary that you are usually away to Ogbomosho over the weekend.

The University will, of course, accommodate the Prime Minister who must stay within our campus for purposes of the Inauguration. We feel, however, that His Excellency, Sir Joseph Odeleye Fadahunsi and yourself may want to play some part in looking after the other important guests.

I shall look forward to hearing from you as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

K. O. Dike

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Principal & Vice-Chancellor

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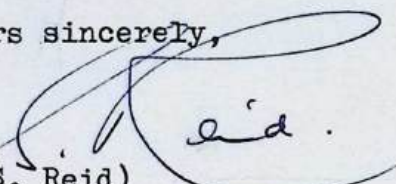
4th December, 1963

Chief T.O. Ejiwunmi,
Premier's Office,
IBADAN.

Dear Chief Ejiwunmi,

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Thank you for your letter of the 3rd December, 1963 addressed to Dr. Dike who is at present out of Ibadan. In his absence I write to confirm that Dr. Dike will see the Honourable Premier at his Office on Friday, 6th December at 1.30 p.m.

Yours sincerely,


(S. Reid)

Secretary to Dr. K.O. Dike

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
KADUNA,
NORTHERN REGION,
NIGERIA.

20th November, 1963

My dear Premier,

I am writing to say how very much I thank you, your Ministers and your people for the warm reception given to me when I came to Ibadan for the installation of the Chancellor of Ibadan University over the last week-end. I quite realised how busy you were with other important guests during that time and, I feel highly honoured for the very spontaneous welcome I myself had.

Please accept my sincere gratitude to you and your people for the great reception, hospitality and honour accorded to me at Ibadan. It is my prayer that God may strengthen evermore the ties that keep us together as one united people within the Federal Republic of Nigeria.

With all the best wishes to you and to your people,

Yours sincerely,

KASHIM IBRAHIM
GOVERNOR OF NORTHERN NIGERIA

Hon. Chief S. L. Akintola,
Premier of Western Nigeria,
Premier's Office,
IBADAN.

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S.155/15/63.

11th March, 1964.

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Education,
Students' Division,
IBADAN.

List of Students: University of Ibadan

I forward herewith a list of some of the students of the University of Ibadan about whom certain reports have been received. I am directed to ask you to examine the list and to let me have by return the names of the Western Region scholars who figure in this list, also the date of the award of their scholarships and the likely date of expiration of the award.

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(T.O. Ejiwunmi)
Secretary to the Premier and
Executive Council

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IBADAN, NIGERIA

P/S. 5/24.

January 7, 1964.

The Honourable Premier,
Western Nigeria,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

My dear Premier,

I am writing on behalf of Western Nigeria
Scholarship holders in this University in connection
with their allowances.

The new policy of the governments of the Federation
with regard to scholarships is very much appreciated.
Both students and University authorities are agreed that
it is reasonable for students' allowances to be reduced
in order to make scholarships available to many more
people than in the past. But before such conditions
become operative it is pleaded that those students who
would be affected be given adequate notice.

May I mention that the other governments of the
Republic have given one year's notice to their scholars.
When the new conditions come into effect next session
no one would have cause to complain. I understand that
the Western Government has agreed to pay £15 and £20 to
their Arts and other students respectively. This is much
appreciated but I wonder whether, for the convenience of
the students who were ill prepared for the new conditions
and in the interest of conformity, the Government of
Western Nigeria would reconsider the matter and give its

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scholars the full allowances for the current session.

I should be grateful for any help you can give in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

K. O. Dike

(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor.

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NATIONAL UNION OF NIGERIAN STUDENTS (NUNS)

c/o UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, IBADAN, NIGERIA

President: RAZAK AFOLABI SOLAJA

Secretary: H. A. I. ALILE

Ref: OSTE/L/29.

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Bankers: B.W.A., AGODI, IBADAN

Date: 2nd March, 1964.

Office of the Secretary for
Travel & Exchange,
108, Eyo Ita Hall,
University of Nigeria,
Nsukka.

Dear Hon. Premier,

INTER-NATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME.

In furtherance of the spirit of the Organisation for African Unity and the projected Pan-African Student Movement, the National Union of Nigerian Students (NUNS) has embarked upon an Inter-national Student exchange programme during the long vacation. Under this programme students from other African countries will be guests of the NUNS, which will help to secure vacation jobs and cheap accommodations for the guests during their three month-stay, with the assistance of the governments. On the other hand Nigerian students will also be guests of the National Unions taking part in the programme for the same period of time.

The object of this programme is twofold; firstly it is hoped that by this exchange the much desired spirit of oneness amongst Africans will be engendered, secondly it will be of immense educational value particularly for our students doing languages who will have the opportunity of staying in non-English speaking countries.

The countries participating in the programme at present are:

1. Ethiopia,
2. Tunisia,
3. Morocco,
4. Malagasy,
5. Algeria,
6. Senegal,
7. Kenya,
8. Tanganyika,
9. Uganda,
10. Nigeria.

The NUNS will very much appreciate the assistance of your Government in providing at least ten places for our guests during the coming long vacation to enable us meet our obligation to this noble venture in the course of African Unity and solidarity. Expecting to read from you soon.

Yours truly,

Iluyisa Ogunade

ILUYISA OGUNADE

(NUNS Secretary for Travel & Exchange).

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MINISTRY OF

EDUCATION

**STUDENTS' SECTION
IBADAN · WESTERN NIGERIA**

Your Ref. No.....

All communications to be addressed
to the Permanent Secretary (Students'
Section) quoting

Our Ref. No. STP.246.T/6

Date 26 March, 1964.

The Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

List of Students: University of Ibadan

P.34
With reference to your letter No.S.155/15/63 dated
11th March, 1964, I am directed to say that none of the
students listed in your attachment currently enjoys the
Western Nigeria Government financial sponsorship.

2. I am to add that if Mr. S. Longe, No.22 on your list,
is the same as Mr. S.O. Longe, who is on my register, I
hereby confirm that he is a Western Nigeria Government
scholar at present pursuing a course in B.Sc. Biology at
the University of Ibadan and is due to qualify in 1965.
He received his scholarship award in 1962.



J. E. Ayodele
for Permanent Secretary and
Chief Inspector of Education,
(Students' Section).

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*With the Compliments
of
The Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ife,
Nigeria*

Ref: P/S.21

4th May, 1964

Hon. D.K. Olumofin,
Minister of Education, Western Nigeria,
Ministry of Education,
Ibadan,
Western Region.

My dear Minister,

Very many thanks indeed for your letter of 20th April, which arrived in this office on 27th April.

May I stress that I fully reciprocate the sentiments expressed in the first paragraph of your letter. This University is a Nigerian institution which has always tried to be on the most amicable terms with all the Governments of the Federation. We have always been proud of our good relations with the Government of the Western Region and as Vice-Chancellor of the University I am fully aware that this happy relationship must be maintained. As evidence of my wish to further this amity with the Western Region Government I have on many occasions consulted the various Governments of the Region on problems of common interest to the University and the Government, and I want to emphasize that it was in that spirit that I invited the Governor, yourself and others to attend the degree ceremony held in honour of President Senghor. I was therefore very sorry indeed to read in your letter about the unpleasant treatment you received on this campus while a guest of the University.

Officers of this University have never at any time been involved in acts of discourtesy to our guests and I was rather alarmed at some of the allegations made against them in your letter. I have carried out investigations and have not been able to establish these accusations against them.

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I was extremely distressed by the paragraph in your letter in which you stated that the Governor, Sir Odeleye Fadahunsi, and Lady Fadahunsi were called 'Ole' and that the students addressed Lady Fadahunsi 'in a derisive language'. I therefore went promptly to see the Governor because I had been told by the officer in charge of student affairs that neither the Governor nor his wife were molested. Nevertheless, in respect for the office of the Governor I went to apologize to him in person in case anything untoward had happened. He assured me however that he was not aware of this, and in fact he and Lady Fadahunsi returned to the University soon after the ceremony to attend the luncheon we held in honour of President Senghor and did not leave here until 3.30 p.m.

May I explain that incidents of this kind do take place in this and other universities from time to time as the youth wings of all the major Nigerian political parties are represented on our campus. These young men, as you can well imagine, cheer or boo as they encounter either political heroes or opponents. I have no power, of course, to prohibit students, the great majority of whom are over 21, from exercising the adult liberties enshrined in the Nigerian constitution. If they break the laws of the land, they will of course be dealt with by the Nigeria Police.

Nevertheless I am still making investigations on the details of this unfortunate incident: according to the report submitted to me by the Assistant Registrar in charge of students affairs, the crowds which collected to see President Senghor included many who came from outside the University community. In the interests of our relations with public men I am seeking ways and means of anticipating in future - if this is at all possible - any excesses on the part of our student body. May I emphasize again that I will, as always, do all in my power to instil in the students the need for respecting and showing courtesy to the guests of the University. Please accept my sincere apologies for the embarrassment caused you.

Yours sincerely,

(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

cc: Chief the Honourable S.L. Akintola
Honourable Aja Nwachukwu
Chief the Honourable R.A. Fani-Kayode

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Our Ref. No. S.155/15/42.

14th November,

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Alhaji Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa,
K.B.E., M.P.
The Rt. Hon. Prime Minister of the
Federal Republic of Nigeria,
Cabinet Office,
LAGOS

My dear Prime Minister,

For reasons which you would no doubt appreciate, I have decided that my Ministers and myself should not attend the Congregation on the Ibadan University's Foundation Day next Tuesday, November 17th, 1964. The open disgrace and embarrassment to which the members of my Government are subjected each time they visit the University Campus, particularly on formal occasions in the presence of distinguished visitors, foreign and local, have been a most unpleasant experience which one must try to avoid.

Unfortunately, no amount of protest from me and from other distinguished persons who have witnessed these disgraceful shows appeared to have made any impression on the Undergraduates and the University Authorities. In the circumstances, I must apologise that my Ministers and I will not be able to give you the support in person which you deserve. I wish to assure you, however, that this is not being done out of discourtesy to your august person. In fact, we are staying away out of respect for you, lest we should be the cause of your getting involved in the unpleasant demonstration of the uncontrollable behaviour of some of the University Undergraduates.

I attach herewith a copy of the letter I am addressing to the Principal and Vice-Chancellor of the University on the subject.

Yours sincerely,

(S.L. Akintola)
Premier

S.L. Akintola
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Our Ref. S.155/15/43

14th November 64

Professor K.O. Dike,
Principal and Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN

My dear Vice-Chancellor,

I thank you for your kind invitation to witness the ceremonies at the Congregation on the University's Foundation Day next Tuesday, November, 17th, 1964.

I have no doubt you will, yourself, admit that as a personal friend of yours, and as one greatly interested in the development of higher education since my assumption of office as Premier of Western Nigeria, I have given you the fullest possible cooperation in the discharge of your onerous responsibility. I have also proved myself in many ways as a friend of the University. You also know that it used to be a pleasure to my Ministers and myself to attend functions in your University. It should be more so on this occasion that the Governor of Western Nigeria, for whom we have the highest respect and most profound admiration, is to be one of the distinguished persons to be honoured by the University.

You would agree, however, that some of the Undergraduates of your University did not take kindly to the presence of the members of my Government at your ceremonies, and that they often demonstrated this fact without the least restraint. This irresponsible section of the Undergraduate body in the past caused open disgrace and embarrassment to myself, my Ministers and other distinguished persons who attended certain ceremonies on your Campus, even though these persons did so in response to your invitation.

You would recollect that on two or three occasions, some of my Ministers, including the Honourable Minister of Education, were assaulted openly and their cars were stoned on the Campus. Direct representations and oral and written protests were addressed to you by my Ministers and other distinguished persons on this disgraceful behaviour of the Undergraduates. Effective and adequate reprisals were on each occasion within our control, both as members of Government and as politicians with a large following in the country, but to resort to that would be below the dignity of our office and would also portray Nigeria in a bad light. That was why past indignities were borne by all concerned with dignified restraint. One does not see any visible change of heart on the part of the Undergraduates in spite of the protests which were lodged with you on each occasion.

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In order not to cause you, or any of your distinguished guests from abroad, any embarrassment, and in order not to provide the irresponsible section of your Undergraduates the opportunity of portraying Nigeria in a bad light to the outside world, therefore, I have decided that my Ministers and myself should not attend any of the functions on your campus on this or any other future occasion. We, however, rejoice with those on whom honours are being conferred and are happy to join with you in offering them our heartiest congratulations. To these we add our very good wishes for the success of the celebrations.

Yours sincerely,

(S.L. Akintola)
Premier.

Copy to:-

The Rt. Hon. Prime Minister,
Lagos.

H.E. The Governor,
Western Nigeria,
Ibadan.

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was to your guests.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

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IBADAN, NIGERIA

Your ref: S.155/15/43

Our ref: P/F.5

20th November, 1964

Chief S.L. Akintola,
Premier, Western Region,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

My dear Premier,

Very many thanks indeed for your letter of 14th November, 1964 explaining why you and your Ministers were unable to accept my invitation to witness the ceremonies at Congregation on the University's Foundation Day, 17th November, when an honorary degree was conferred on the Governor of the Western Region.

Before I comment further on your letter may I say that I personally was very distressed that you were unable to be present, although I must admit that I fully understand that the behaviour of our students on a former occasion must have been partly responsible for this. Because of that incident I addressed a meeting of all student leaders in Trenchard Hall on 7th November. The gathering included the Executive Committee of the Union and a very representative body of students. I asked them to behave very courteously to our guests during this Foundation Day ceremony, and indeed my admonition went down very well with the students. I pointed out that anyone we invited was a guest not only of the University and myself but also of the student body and that therefore they must treat all our guests with the utmost courtesy. I did this to prepare them for the occasion and to avoid any incidents. Unfortunately your letter came on the day of the Prime Minister's arrival and therefore I had no time to let you know that things had

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altered and that it would have been quite all right for you and your Ministers to be here.

I hope that when the election fever is over things will be restored to normal. Perhaps when you are less busy we may discuss this matter, but I want to assure you that as Vice-Chancellor of this University I am doing my utmost to make Ibadan a truly international university serving the interests of all parties and creeds and ministering to the needs of the country as a whole.

I shall be very sorry if the traditional friendship which has always existed between this University and the Government of the Western Region is impaired. Our conferring an honorary degree on the Governor of the Region is a testimony of our goodwill towards the people and the Government of the Western Region.

Yours sincerely,

K. Odega to Dike
(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

cc: The Rt. Hon. Prime Minister,
Lagos.

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University of Ibadan Council

1. Dr. Ikejiani's tenure of office as Chairman expires 18th June, 1965.
2. The Council shall consist of:-
 - (a) the pro-chancellor;
 - (b) the vice-chancellor and the deputy vice-chancellor;
 - (c) four persons appointed by the Minister;
 - (d) a number of persons equal to twice the number of the Regions of which Nigeria consists for the time being, of whom two shall be appointed by the Governor of each Region respectively;
 - (e) four persons appointed by the senate from among the members of that body;
 - (f) two persons appointed by congregation from among the members of that body;
 - (g) one person appointed by convocation from among the members of that body; and
 - (h) such persons, not exceeding four in number, as may be appointed by the council to be members of the council.
3. The Law provides that the Chairman shall be appointed by the Council itself. *Chancellor on the advice of the Council.*
4. The four appointed by the Minister
 - Sir Kofo (resigned on the appointment of Ikejiani)
 - Imam (North)
 - G.B.A. Coker
 - Esua
5. The two by Western Nigeria
 - M. A. Ogun
 - T. T. Solaru *July, 1966.*
6. Suggestions for Chairman
 - Sir Kofo, Solaru, Rotimi Williams, Sir Samuel Manuwa.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, IBADAN, NIGERIA

REGISTRAR: N. K. ADAMOLEKUN, B.A.

TELEGRAMS: 'UNIVERSITY, IBADAN'
TELEPHONE: IBADAN 22841 (10 lines)
LONDON OFFICE: 40 GORDON SQUARE, W.C.1.

5th May, 1965.

Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council,
Government of Western Nigeria,
Ibadan.

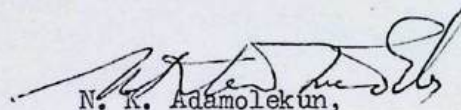


Dear Sir,

Prince M. A. Ogun, who is one of the appointees of
the Government of Western Nigeria on the Council of the University
of Ibadan, is due to complete his full term of four years on the
31st July 1965.

I hereby request you to place before your Government
the question of his re-appointment or the appointment of a replace-
ment.

Yours faithfully,


N. K. Adamolekun,

Registrar.

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S.P.C.



S. A. THOMAS

4/6/65

Draft memo. submitted at bc. for
Hon. Premier's initialling p.

JME?

Draft memo on the renewal of the appointment
 of Mr. Ogun as member of the University of Ibadan
 Council has been amended in the light of our discussion.
 2. You will now wish to submit it to Mr. Lewis
 for initialling.


 S. A. THOMAS

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COPY NO: 13

10th June, 1965.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL : WESTERN NIGERIA

Renewal of the appointment of Mr. M.A.Ogun
to the Council of the University of Ibadan

Memorandum by the Premier

I have been notified by the Registrar of the University of Ibadan that the four years' term of office of Mr. M.A. Ogun, who is one of the two persons appointed to represent the interest of this Region on the Council of the University of Ibadan is due to expire on the 31st of July, 1965. The other Regional representative on the Council is Chief T.T. Solaru whose term of office will not expire until the 31st July, 1966. It has now become necessary either to renew Mr. Ogun's appointment, or to appoint somebody else to replace him in the Council.

2. Such appointments are made by His Excellency the Governor in accordance with section 1(d) of the Second Schedule to the University of Ibadan Act, 1962 (No. 37 of 1962) which reads as follows:-

"(1) The Council shall consist of :-

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- (d) a number of persons equal to twice the number of the Regions of which Nigeria consists for the time being, of whom two shall be appointed by the Governor of such Region respectively;"

Unless the appointment of any member appointed under the above provision is renewed, he is obliged to vacate his office on the expiration of the period of four years beginning with the first day of August of the year in which he is appointed.

3. I have been reliably informed that since Mr. Ogun's appointment, he has represented the interest of this Region in the Council creditably well. I, therefore, see no reason why his appointment should not be renewed. Accordingly, I propose that Council should agree to recommend to His Excellency the renewal of his appointment for a further period of four years after the expiration of his present appointment.

4. Council is invited to agree that His Excellency the Governor be advised to approve the renewal of the appointment of Mr. M. A. Ogun as a member of the Council of the University of Ibadan for a further period of four years with effect from 31st August, 1965, after the expiration of his present appointment. 1st.

(Intld.) S. L. A.

Premier's Office,
Ibadan,
Western Nigeria.

10th June, 1965.

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**EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, WESTERN REGION
CONCLUSION EXTRACT**

To : (1) S. P. E. C For : File Reference S. 155/15
Action/Infm
(2) Action/Infm

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18th Meeting of 1965 held on 11/6/1965

Subject Renewal of the appointment
of Mr. M. A. Ogun to the
Council of the University
of Ibadan

Memorandum E. C. (65) 219 by Hon Premier

CONCLUSION REFERENCE Sec E C (65) 7.

PREMIER

Renewal of the appointment of Mr. M. A. Ogun to the Council of the University of Ibadan.

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CONCLUSION 7

The Council agreed that His Excellency the Governor be advised to approve the renewal of the appointment of Mr. M.A. Ogun as a member of the council of the University of Ibadan for a further period of four years with effect from 1st August, 1965, after the expiration of his present appointment.

ACTION BY THE PREMIER

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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL : WESTERN NIGERIA

Memorandum E.C.(65) 219.....

Conclusion S.G.E.C....18...(65) 7..... of 11/6/65

To: ~~Permanent Secretary, Ministry of~~.....S.P.E.C.
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Please advise me in due course on the form below that
action has been taken on the Conclusion above.

T.O. EJIWUNMI
Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council.

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To: The Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Cabinet Division,
IBADAN.

The following action has been taken in file
No..... in respect of Conclusion
S.G.E.C. (6)

Sgd:

Post:

Y.E.,

With respect, I refer Y.E. to the Executive Council Memorandum enclosed at p.50 and the Conclusion relating thereto at p. 51 of this file, relating to the renewal of the appointment of Mr. M.A. Ogun as member representing Western Nigeria on the Council of the University of Ibadan, for a period of four years with effect from 1st August, 1965.

2. Mr. M.A. Ogun has held this post for a term of four years, which expires on the 31st July, 1965. His performance in this office was found to be creditable and satisfactory. The Executive Council, having regard to this record, has readily agreed that he should continue to serve as member representing Western Nigeria on the University Council of Ibadan, and to advise that Y.E. may make the appointment in accordance with Section 1 (d) of the second schedule to the University of Ibadan Act, 1962, (No. 37 of 1962). The relevant section reads as follows:-

"(1) The Council shall consist of :-

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(d) a number of persons equal to twice the number of the Regions of which Nigeria consists for the time being, of whom two shall be appointed by the Governor of such Region respectively;"

3. Y.E. will act as advised herein?

S.L. Akintola

(S.L. Akintola)
Premier
15/6/1965.

Approved

A. A. Abubakar

19/6/65

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21st June, 1965.

The Registrar,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Prince M.A. Ogun: Renewal of Appointment

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I am directed to refer to your letter of the 5th May, 1965, and to inform you that His Excellency the Governor of Western Nigeria has been pleased to reappoint Prince M.A. Ogun as the representative of the Government of Western Nigeria on the Council of the University of Ibadan for another period of four years on the expiry of his present membership of the Council, in accordance with the appropriate section of the University of Ibadan Act, 1962.

(T.O. Ejiwunmi)
Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council

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21st June, 1965.

Prince M.A. Ogun,
48, Apongbon Street,
LAGOS

Dear Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that His Excellency the Governor of Western Nigeria has approved your re-appointment as the representative of the Western Nigerian Government on the University Council of Ibadan for another period of four years with effect from the date of expiry of your present membership of the Council in accordance with the appropriate section of the University of Ibadan Act, 1962. The Registrar of the University of Ibadan has been informed accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

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(T.O. Ejiwunmi)
Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, IBADAN, NIGERIA

REGISTRAR: N. K. ADAMOLEKUN, B.A.

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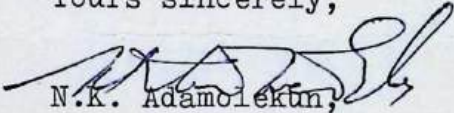
Chief T.O. Ejiwunmi,
Secretary to the Premier & Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

Dear Sir,

Prince M.A. Ogun: Renewal of Appointment

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I acknowledge with thanks your letter reference No. S.155/
15/54, dated 21st June, 1965, on the reappointment of Prince M.A.
Ogun as the representative of the Government of Western Nigeria
on the Council of the University of Ibadan.

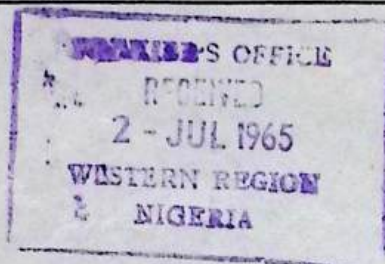
Yours sincerely,


N.K. Adamolekun,
Registrar.

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Nigerian Bureau of Publicity
Michael Ogun Ltd
DIRECTOR
Nigerian Industrial Development Bank
LIFE PRESIDENT
Island Club Lagos
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Advertising Practitioners
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Prince Michael A. Ogun



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48, Apongbon Street,
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Nigeria,
PHONE : 21385

29th June, 1965.

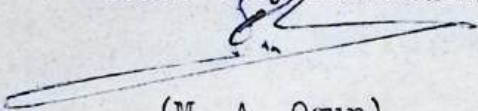
Secretary to the Premier
and Executive Council,
Premier's Office,
Ibadan.

P-55
Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No.S.155/15/55 dated 21st June 1965, informing me of the approval by the Governor of Western Nigeria of my re-appointment to serve on the University Council of Ibadan for another period of four years.

Please convey my gratitude to all concerned and assure them of my resolve to continue to do all that lies in my power to justify their confidence as the representative of the Western Nigerian Government on the Council of the University of Ibadan.

Yours very faithfully,

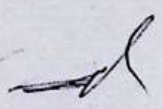


(M. A. Ogun)

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P.S.M.E.

I understand the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Education is anxious to know whether or not we wish to retain our present representatives on the Provisional Council of the University of Ibadan. Will you please examine the matter and submit your recommendation on your Ministry file as a matter of urgency.


(P.T. Odumosu)
Sect. Military Govt.

17/3/1966.

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SECRET

16th March, 1966

Chief J. O. Udoji,
Secretary to the Military Government,
ENUGU.

✓ Mr. P. T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government,
IBADAN.

Mr. J. Imoukhuede,
Secretary to the Military Government,
BENIN.

Appointment of Members of the Council
of the University of Ibadan.

I am directed to inform you that under Section 1(1)d of the Second Schedule to the University of Ibadan Act, 1962, the former Regional Governments each appointed two members to the Council of that University. A list of such Regional nominees is attached. I shall be grateful if you will let me know whether it is proposed to replace these people who were nominated by your previous Government and, if so, to forward the names of persons whom your Military Governor would wish to appoint in place of the existing members.

2. As this information was required most urgently, I had attempted to obtain it by telephone but to no avail except in the case of Kaduna. I should be grateful, however, if you could treat this matter with the utmost urgency.

SECRET

(S. S. Waniko),
Ag. Permanent Secretary.

Submitted
Jh.
18/3.

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LIST OF PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Appointed by the (8. Mallam Ahmadu Coomassie
former Northern {
Regional Governor(9. Alhaji Abubakar Imam

Appointed by the (10. Mr. E. D. Enemo
former Eastern {
Regional Governor(11. Mr. S. B. C. Obiora

Appointed by the (12. Mr. M. A. Ogun
former Western {
Regional Governor(13. Chief T. T. Solaru

Appointed by the (14. Chief A. Y. Eke
former Mid-Western {
Regional Governor(15. Mr. P. S. J. Ofoiborn

Y.E.,

At p.59 of this file we are asked to decide whether or not our two Representatives on the Council of the University of Ibadan should continue until the expiration of their present terms or whether we would like to replace them immediately. The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education, to whom I have referred the matter for advice, has minuted as in para.3 of his Ministry file No. C.1974/3 below.

2. Our present Representatives on the Council are:

- (a) Chief T.T. Solaru, whose term of office expires on the 31st July, 1966 and
- (b) Chief M.A. Ogun, whose term of office expires on the 31st July, 1969 (i.e. more than 3 years hence)

The two gentlemen were appointed by the last Government.

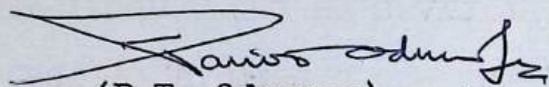
3. The P.S.M.E. has recommended that the two gentlemen should continue to represent this Region on the Council. I support this recommendation only in respect of Chief Solaru and that only until his present term of office expires next July. I do not share the view of P.S.M.E. that Chief Solaru should retain his membership of the Ibadan University Council along with the membership of the Provisional Council of the University of Ife; other people ought to be given an opportunity to serve.

4. My recommendation is as follows:-

- (a) Prof.D.F. Ojo, Dean of the Faculty of Science University of Ife, or Mr. Tai Solarin of the Mayflower School, Ikenne, to be nominated to replace Chief M. A. Ogun, whose

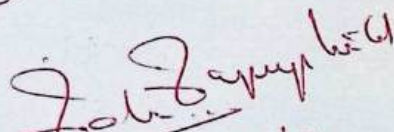
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appointment should be terminated immediately
and

- (b) Chief T.T. Solaru to continue as a member
of the Council for the present but the
Federal Government to be informed that it
is our intention to replace him with another
nominee on the expiration of his present
term of office on the 31st July, 1966.


(P.T. Odumosu)
Sect. Military Govt.
20/3/1966.

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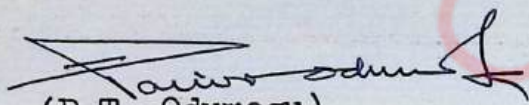
I think we ought to
terminate both appoint-
ments now.
Pse find fresh
nominations.


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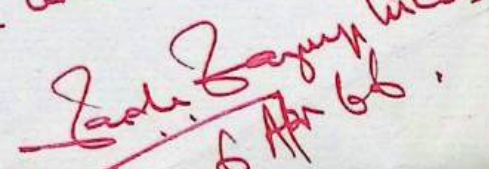
Y.E.,

Reference Y.E.'s minute at p.62, I would now wish to propose that Mr. M.A. Ogun and Chief T.T. Solaru be replaced on the membership of the Council of the University of Ibadan by Prof. D.F. Ojo (as previously proposed in my para.4(a) at p.61) and Mr. Adedeji Okubadejo respectively. For Y.E.'s information, Mr. Okubadejo is a practising Lawyer of high reputation. He lives in Ibadan and is the Chairman of the local branch of the Bar Association.

2. I should be grateful if Y.E. would approve the nomination of Prof. Ojo and Mr. Okubadejo as proposed above.


(P.T. Odumosu)
Sect. Military Govt.
3/4/1966.

SMC

x | I don't like OKUBADEJO, as
he is known to be an active
politician.
y | So far nobody has come from
Ondo in all our nominations.
Prof D. F. Ojo + Dr. J. A.
AKIN GBEHN (Eye Specialist, Lagos)
are my two candidates
which are hereby approved.

6 Apr 66

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Y.E.,

Reference Y.E.'s minute at p.63. I think Y.E. has been misinformed ('X' at p.63 refers) on Mr. Okubadejo. As far as I know, he has never been in politics and this fact has been confirmed by my colleagues (some of whom ~~are~~^{are} Mr. Okubadejo's professional colleagues) whom I consulted before Mr. Okubadejo's name was put forward.

2. As regards the statement at 'Y', it would not also be correct to say that nobody has come from Ondo in all our nominations. For Y.E.'s information, I shall give some - and only some - of the names of the persons who have been recently appointed to Board/Committees from Ondo:

(i) Nigerian Shoe and Rubber Products Ltd., Ogbomosho -

Directors: Mrs. G.O. Fadayomi - M.E.P., Ibadan.
Mr. T.O. Adegboye - University of Ibadan.

(i.e. two out of the three Directors come from Ondo).

(ii) National Motors Nigeria Ltd. -

Director: Mr. E.A. Adegbulugbe, Accountant, W.N.F.C.

(iii) Waterside Rubber Estate -

Director: Mr. M.A. Akintomide, Chief Agricultural Extension Services Officer, M.A.N.R., Ibadan.

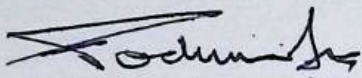
(iv) Lepetit Pharmacy Ltd. -

Director: Mr. Olu Akinkugbe, President, Chamber of Commerce, Ibadan.

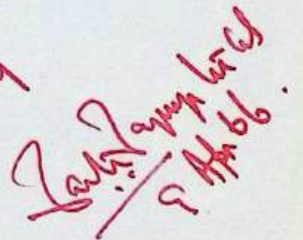
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(v) Dr. Ayo Ogunseye of the University of Ibadan, who, as Y.E. is well aware, has more Government Board and Committee appointments than any other person in Western Nigeria, is from Ile Oluji near Ondo.

3. Y.E. may be interested to note as regards the appointment to the University of Ibadan, that the P.S. Min. of Educ.'s recommendation to Y.E. in his minute at p.3 of his Ministry's file C.1974/3 below is to the effect that Mr. M.A. Ogun and Chief T.T. Solaru should continue to represent Western Nigeria at the Council.


(P.T. Odumosu),
S.M.G.,
8 /4/66.

S.M.G.
I have no cause to delete the remarks at paras 1 & 2 and must therefore apologise to you if you feel hurt.
But Solaru & Ogun must be replaced - certainly Solaru must go, in which case Ogun can stay and Dr D.F. Ojo to replace Solaru.
I reiterate my previous remarks can stay


9 Apr 66.

Note - H.E. discussed above with me on 10th Apr. 1966 and decided that we shd. not make any changes now - i.e. Messrs. M.A. Ogun and T.T. Solaru to continue. Chief Solaru shd. however be replaced when his term expires next July. 21/4

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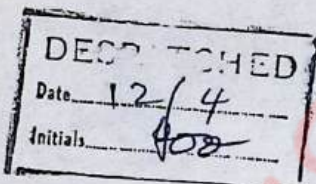
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11 April, 1966.

The Ag. Permanent Secretary,
Federal Ministry of Education,
Lagos,
Nigeria.

Appointment of Members of the Council
of the University of Ibadan.

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I am directed to refer to your letter No. SME.197/
Vol.II/91 of 16th March, 1966, and to confirm that
Mr. M. A. Ogun and Chief T. T. Solaru should continue
as nominees of this Government on the Council of the
University of Ibadan. I am to state, however, that it
is the intention of His Excellency, the Military
Governor for the Western Provinces to replace Chief
Solaru with another nominee when his present term of
office expires next July.



(P. T. Odumosu)
Secretary to the Military
Government.

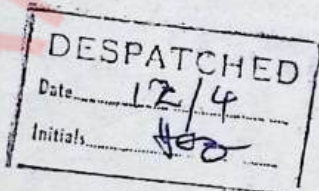
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Office of the Military Government,
Ibadan.

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11 April, 1966.

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Education,
Ibadan.

For your information reference minute on your
office file No. C.1974/3, (Attached herewith).



(Sgd)
(P. T. Odumosu)
Secretary to the Military
Government.

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[Signature]
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S E C R E T

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Vice-Chancellor:

K. Onwuka Dike, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. LL.D., Litt.D., D.Sc.



Telephone: Ibadan 21051 Ext. 167

Cables and Telegrams: University Ibadan

IBADAN, NIGERIA

23rd March, 1966

Mr. P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government,
Office of the Military Government,
Ibadan.

My dear Odumosu,

I have been trying to telephone you since Monday morning but unfortunately have not managed to get through as our telephones have been out of order for most of the time. I hope therefore you will forgive the short notice of this request.

There are two important matters on which I should very much like to see the Military Governor and I wonder whether you would be kind enough to make me an appointment to see him either tomorrow morning, Thursday, or on Friday morning before I go to Lagos to meet Commonwealth Vice-Chancellors.

One matter concerns the Governor's visit to the closing of the All Nigeria University Games on Tuesday, 29th March, and I can of course discuss this with him when I see him this afternoon at the opening of the Games. The other matter is most important and I should be most grateful if you could arrange for me to see him about it either tomorrow or on Friday. I can make myself available at any time that is convenient to the Governor.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

K. Onwuka Dike

(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor

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23 March, 1966.

Professor K.O. Dike,
Principal & Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN

D/o

Thank you for your note of the 23rd March. I am sorry to note that you have been trying (without success) to telephone me since Monday. I had, in fact, since Monday been away with His Excellency on tour of some parts of the Region. We returned to Ibadan less than 3 hours ago and are resuming the tour tomorrow morning. We are due back in Ibadan next Saturday. You can see, therefore, that it will not be possible for you to see His Excellency tomorrow or Friday as you suggested.

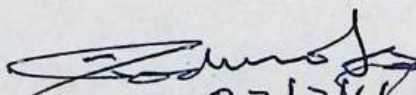
I noted that you will be taking up with His Excellency when you see him this afternoon, one of the two matters you wish to raise with him. As regards the second matter, unless you are able to meet him today, it will not be possible for you to discuss it with him before you go to Lagos to meet the Commonwealth Vice-Chancellors. Unfortunately, His Excellency is not available to be consulted when he can see you today. I have, therefore, on my own decided to fix the appointment provisionally for 7.30 p.m. tonight. I am assuming that you will not need more than 30 minutes for the discussion as I am aware that His Excellency has a meeting of the Cabinet to attend at 8 p.m. His Excellency himself will be able to confirm the time when he meets you later this afternoon.

In order that you may not have any difficulty with the soldiers at the entrance to Government House, I suggest you inform the A.D.C. to His Excellency or one of the Confidential Secretaries of the number of your car so that the sentries can be instructed beforehand. The telephone number is 21122. Better still, you may wish to give the number to the A.D.C. when he accompanies His Excellency to the Games this afternoon.



(P.T. Odumosu)
Secretary to the Military
Government

H.E. to see above.


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Your letter at p. 66, I thought I heard that the Council was being reconstituted by Lagos; would this require any action from here? If not, should we consider the matter closed for the time being and this file put away please?

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The C.E.C. has taken care of the matter. N.F.A. here.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

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CABLES & TELEGRAMS: 'UNIVERSITY, IBADAN'

6 September, 1966.

Mr. P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Governor,
Western Region,
IBADAN.



Dear Mr. Odumosu,

I should be grateful if the Military Governor could spare the time to see me for a brief discussion on matters concerning the University of Ibadan.

If he is agreeable, I may like to bring a colleague with me.

I hope it will be convenient to make it some time later this week, but I realise how busy the Governor must be and leave it to his convenience.

Yours sincerely,

JOHN HARRIS
Acting Vice-Chancellor

9 a.m. - 1st.

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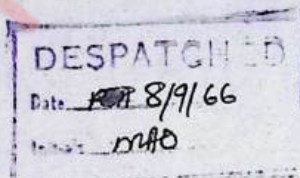
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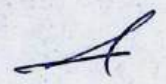
John Harris Esq.,
Acting Vice Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Dear Mr. Harris,

With reference to your letter dated the
6th September, 1966, His Excellency the Military
Governor of Western Nigeria would be glad to receive
you and one of your colleagues at his office at
9 a.m. on Saturday, the 10th September, 1966.

Yours sincerely,




(P. T. Odumosu)
Secretary to the Military
Government

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Vice-Chancellor:

K. Onwuka Dike, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. LL.D., Litt.D., D.Sc.



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Mr. P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan,
Western Nigeria.

Dear Mr. Odumosu,

Thank you for your letter of 8th September.

I shall call on His Excellency, the Military Governor,
at 9 a.m. on Saturday, 10th September together with Professor
A. Brown, Professor of Medicine and Acting Dean of the
Faculty.

I am most grateful to His Excellency for giving us
this opportunity for a meeting.

Yours sincerely,

John Harris

(JOHN HARRIS)

Acting Vice-Chancellor

Note

Mr. Harris and Professor Brown
saw HE. today. HE. will address
University ~~later~~ community at 8pm.
next Wed. at Loughborough Hall, U.C.I.

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SUPREME HEADQUARTERS,
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LAGOS, NIGERIA

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28 October, 1966.

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Colonel R. A. Adebayo,
Military Governor,
Western Region,
Government House,
IBADAN.

28/10/66

My dear Robert,

I enclose a copy of a letter I addressed to the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan. I should be grateful if you would give every assistance to the Vice-Chancellor should he approach you for help to maintain the safety of the students in the University.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

(Lt.-Col. Yakubu Gowon)
Head of the Federal Military Government,
Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces.

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18th October, 1966.

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The Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN.

(For attention of Professor J. Harris)

My Dear Professor Harris,

I am grieved to read newspapers reports about students in Nigerian Universities, deserting their institutions for fear of their personal safety. I am aware that as members of the Nigerian community students, whatever their region of origin, are bound to be emotionally affected by the sad events of the past 12 months. I had hoped, however, that as the future leaders of this nation, all students would continue to pursue their studies in their respective institutions un-interrupted by the unhappy sectional strife which has brought so much sorrow to this country.

2. I am determined that Nigerian Universities should continue to enjoy their traditional freedom to admit whom they like without discrimination on grounds of colour, tribe, or religion. I am, therefore, anxious that every Nigerian student should continue to be free to pursue his studies in the institution of his choice within the Federation. For these reasons, I now request you to give special attention to the personal safety of all the students in your charge irrespective of their region of origin, and to convey to each and everyone of them my personal concern for their safety. To this end, I want to assure you that the Law Enforcement Agencies of the Governments of the Federation, including the Military and Police Forces have been requested to make their services available to you at all times; and I urge you not to hesitate to call upon them if and whenever you consider it necessary to do so in the interest of the safety of the members of your university.

*I remain,
Yours sincerely,*

(Sgd.) YAKUBU GOWON

Lt.-Col. Yakubu Gowon
Head of the Federal Military Government,
Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

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Vice-Chancellor:

K. Onwuka Dike, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. LL.D., Litt.D., D.Sc.



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IBADAN, NIGERIA

2nd November, 1966

His Excellency, Colonel R.A. Adebayo,
Military Governor, Western Region,
Military Governor's Office,
Secretariat,
Ibadan.

Your Excellency,

On 17th November, 1966, we shall be holding a special Congregation for the award of degrees to those of our students who were registered for the degrees of London University under the scheme of Special Relationship before we attained the full status of an autonomous university. The number involved is about sixty, if all attend, and the majority of these are medical graduates.

On account of the small number of graduands, it will be a quiet occasion and invitations to visitors will be restricted, in the main, to parents of graduands. We are, however, inviting a few distinguished visitors and, though I realise how busy you are, we shall feel very highly honoured if you can find time to be present at the ceremony. I very much hope you will be able to come.

Yours sincerely,

(JOHN HARRIS)

Acting Vice-Chancellor

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Agreed

More info for Harris
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15 November, 1966

Dear Mr. Harris,

With reference to your letter dated 2nd November, 1966, His Excellency the Military Governor, has directed me to confirm that he will be present at the Special Congregation of your University scheduled to take place on the 17th November, 1966.

I should be glad if you would let me know, for His Excellency's information, the time of the ceremony.

Yours sincerely,

(P. T. Odumosu)

Secretary to the Military Government

John Harris Esq.,
Acting Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

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15/11

Lt-Colonel David Ejoor,
Military Governor
Midwestern NIGERIA
Benin City

for info
Hotel Bernina, *1/12*
Place Cornavin *P.A.*
Geneva - Switzerland.
31st October 1966

Dear Colonel Ejoor,

I am sorry to have to take some of your time especially as I know that at this time you are seriously engaged with urgent matters of National importance.

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My attention has just been called to certain publications about me last week in the Tribune and the Post. I enclose relevant extracts from my wife's letter about investigations she made into the matter. It is clear that this is yet another plot by a number of Yorubas at Ibadan.

My employers are the University of Ibadan and if the Institution has anything against me it is in a position to take appropriate action. A few months ago the same group of people who are behind the present publication carried on a campaign of denigration and the University authorities took pains to investigate the whole affair. The University is in possession of the facts and if these had indicated any misconduct it would have taken necessary action. But this group of Yorubas have yet once again decided to take the law into their own hands.

In the normal course of things, I would not have

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bothered you about this matter as it is open to me to take legal action for libel. But it is a very sad thing that some of my Senior Staff colleagues, whose interests lie mainly in the struggle for positions and office are hiding under the smokescreen and using junior workers to perpetrate this kind of injustice. It is all the more deplorable that at a time of grave National crisis, instead of using their efforts to ease tension, these people continue to fan the embers of tribal feeling. Something must be done to make them behave like responsible citizens if we are all expected to continue to live together in peace in one country.

I have devoted nearly all my working life to the service of the University of Ibadan and of the University College Hospital there, and without boasting, I can say that I have contributed in no small measure to the academic development and reputation of both institutions. I am prepared to continue to add my quota to their future progress and to the furtherance of Higher Education in the country provided the proper atmosphere is made to prevail and there is reasonable guarantee for the protection of the reputation, property and life of those of us who come from other regions. One gets tired of this relentless and sterile tribal animosity and if the Yorubas in Ibadan do not want me there I shall have no hesitation in leaving the region. There is a lot for us to do in the Mid-west, and in any case, as far as I am personally concerned my future career in Medical Science can be well assured in any part of the world, so that there is absolutely no need for me to continue to

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receive this kind of insult in Ibadan.

However before taking an action of this kind I thought that it is my duty to call your attention first to the whole unsatisfactory situation.

I shall be grateful if you could look into this matter and take appropriate action.

With best wishes,

Yours Sincerely

J. C. Edozien

Professor J. C. Edozien.

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" .
When I saw the newspaper yesterday, I immediately made arrangements to see Oduoran about it. He told me that when Preston² saw it he called his attention to it and he immediately took it to Harris³. They then telephoned Rotimi Williams to look into it. Rotimi Williams went to the Court and asked them about it. The Court Registrar told him they have no case to the effect before them: that sometime ago some people produced a thing similar to the publication but that since then he had not seen anything again. The Registrar said he thinks it is a private prosecutor, which means they just wanted to be able to send you a summons just to disgrace you. In any case the University according to Oduoran have sent a rejoinder to all the newspapers that you have not been sued by them and that they are not aware of any car being stolen. Rotimi Williams said that if it is not published he will take action".

1. Acting Registrar, University of Ibadan

2. Bursar, " " "

3. Acting Vice-Chancellor " " "

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Vice-Chancellor:

K. Onwuka Dike, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. LL.D., Litt.D., D.Sc.



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IBADAN, NIGERIA

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To see
letter below.

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8th June, 1966.

Mr. P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government,
Office of the Military Governor,
IBADAN.

[Signature]

[Signature]

Dear Pater,

Thank you for your letter of 5th June and I am sorry that extreme pressure of work did not permit me to reply to it yesterday. May I through you thank His Excellency for the trouble he took in inviting the Registrar and myself to Government House to discuss the many differences between us.

As I made clear at the meeting, I was quite unprepared to give any opinion on the terms which were sprung on me at the meeting and I therefore asked for time to study these proposals if you could commit them to writing. May I now deal with these proposals one by one?

Item 1. As you will agree, this is no concern of mine and it is entirely up to the Registrar to withdraw the action or to go ahead with it.

Item 2. "Re-instatement of junior staff of Registry dismissed by Registrar". I take it this refers to the case of Mr. David Unuajefe. As I said at the meeting, a committee was appointed to look into the dismissal of this gentleman and to look into other allegations concerning the employment of junior staff which have been raised constantly by the Workers' Union. I have just received the report on Mr. David Unuajefe and will of course reinstate him if the report makes it clear that his offence does not warrant dismissal. On the other hand, if the report makes it clear that he has done something for which he ought to be dismissed I do not see how I can reinstate him. This will be setting a dangerous precedent for the future.

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Item 3. I find it extremely difficult to understand what is meant by the restoration of Mr. Odumuye to his rightful place in the hierarchy of Assistant Registrars. I recall that at the meeting with the Governor on Sunday, 5th June, the Registrar said that Odumuye was removed from his rightful place a day after the Council meeting at which the Registrar was asked to go on leave. I am afraid that this statement is grossly inaccurate. The case of Mr. Odumuye was decided at a meeting of the Appointments Committee for Administrative and Technical Officers and Technicians on 23rd March, with effect from 1st October, 1965, and had nothing to do with the Council meeting on 30th May. May I stress that appointments and promotions in this University, whether it be of academic or administrative staff, are done by committees of Council and Senate and I have no right as Vice-Chancellor to appoint and promote on my own. I am merely chairman of the respective committees and my suggestion can be accepted or rejected by the committee as it sees fit. When I received your letter I asked the Acting Registrar, Mr. Oduaran, to outline in some detail the case of Mr. Odumuye as contained in the records of the Appointments Committee for Administrative and Technical Officers and Technicians and I enclose a copy of the paper he prepared. You will see that difficulty arose because Mr. Odumuye was given too high a salary by the Registrar in the first place without consultation with the committee.

Item 4. I am really at a loss to understand how I, as Vice-Chancellor, can overrule a decision taken by my Governing Body. In spite of what His Excellency said at the meeting on Sunday I must emphasize that I am the servant and not the master of my Council. My duty is to implement all decisions taken by Council and if a decision is to be withdrawn it must be done by the Council in full session. Not even the Chairman of Council has the right to alter decisions of the Governing Body.

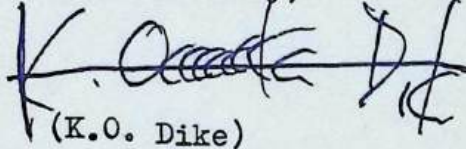
Item 5. I am also asked to reinstate the suspended President and Secretary of the Students Union. In my view there is nothing which would more undermine the discipline of this University than that a leader of the student body who has committed acts of gross indiscipline and disobedience should go unpunished in the interests of "peace". According to our records the Registrar himself, who is a member of the Disciplinary Committee, stated at this meeting that the punishment administered to the students was extremely mild and he advocated outright dismissal of the two

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students. I resisted this and advised the Committee to give them the chance of returning to the University next session. At our meeting last Sunday I showed His Excellency a paper summarizing the number of students who had come before our Disciplinary Committee in recent years and who had been punished for acts of indiscipline. I enclose a copy of this paper, which gives the names of those disciplined, the nature of their offence and the punishment given. I also enclose a summary of the case of the suspended President and Secretary of the Students Union prepared by the Assistant Registrar (Students). As these boys were told, they are free to apply for readmission if they want to return to the University next session.

In conclusion, I do not see how these proposals - some of them concerned with routine matters and others concerned with matters beyond my competence - can help resolve the differences between the Registrar and myself. These differences touch fundamental issues such as the University constitution and the Registrar's conception of this place in that constitution. I am eager for a peaceful settlement and have indeed invited the Registrar to see me and discuss these issues tomorrow morning. But I do not think that these issues will be solved by side-tracking the fundamental problems at stake. This is the root of the matter.

Yours sincerely,

 D. H. Kennerly
(K.O. Dike)

Principal & Vice-Chancellor.

PS. I had expected the Registrar to turn up at my house at 9 AM this morning as suggested in my letter ^{to him} of yesterday; however, he did not appear though he said he would like to meet me. KOD 9/6/66

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Seniority is normally determined by the date of appointment or the date of promotion according to circumstances. This means that if an officer was promoted a year before another to the same grade, the one whose date of promotion comes first is normally regarded as the senior and in normal circumstances this is reflected in the salary paid to the officers.

The previous experience of an officer is taken into account on his first appointment and once this has been done no further reference is made to it except in so far as it is relevant to his performance on the job.

The facts relating to Odumuye are as follows:

- (i) He was appointed to the staff of the University in 1961 and his previous experience was taken into account in fixing his salary and status.
- (ii) He was promoted Assistant Registrar with effect from 1st December, 1964, at a meeting held about the middle of 1965.
- (iii) He was given a salary of £1,950 a year with effect from the date of promotion instead of £1,725. This made it possible for him to be on a higher salary than 2 officers who had been promoted 23 months and 17 months before him.
- (iv) The 2 officers affected petitioned the appropriate Committee pointing out the anomaly. The Committee therefore, in an attempt to rectify the anomaly, decided that Odumuye should not suffer any loss of salary but that he should retain his salary without further increments until such a time as he would have reached that point in his salary scale if he had been properly placed at the bottom of the scale at the time of his promotion. It is to be noted

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that the salary of £1,950 given to Odumuye on his promotion was not approved by the appropriate Committee at the time of the decision to promote him.

It seems, therefore, that Odumuye, by the latter decision of the Committee, was indeed put in his rightful place. It would have been unfair for him to supersede two officers who had been promoted several months before him.

ARCHIVES OF OYO STATE

LIST OF STUDENTS SUSPENDED SINCE 1960

Date	Name/s of Students	Period of Suspension	Reason or Offense
25/2/61	J. C. Aina A. K. Alabi T. A. Euckpae E. E. Iyamu D. V. C. Ohi	Indefinitely	Stoned Cars of staff etc. in connection with self-service introduced in Tedder Hall.
8/12/61	S. O. Palase U. M. Iroha Miss A. Ijiamata S. A. Anu O. Oronoyela	8th Dec. 1961-27/1/62 - ditto - " " " *later remitted from rustication to a fine of ₦5 each on 11/12/61.	Publication of libellous material in a Magazine run by the Union "The Bug"
16/12/65	C.O.C. Nnubakwa S.C.O. Nnam E.N.A. Okodaso O. Kolade S. M. Okonkwo P. C. Okoro J. E. Akpan E. G. Ibuye	Suspended for the second term, with effect from 17th December, 1965. for the second term with effect from 5th January, 1966.	Jeered, booed and shouted insulting remarks at guests (mostly members of staff) who attended a send-off party in honour of Mr. Amer-Cooper at the J.C.R. of Mellanky Hall, - ditto -
28/4/66	S. A. Salami. S. G. Odunla	(i) Suspended for the rest of academic year; (ii) Ejected from the hall of residence for the rest of their courses.	Disobedience to the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar - Highest authorities by refusing to surrender keys to their offices in the students Union building when asked to do so by the Assistant Registrar (Students) who was acting on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar.
7/5/66	A. Babalola A. Ogunshola.	He withdrew from the hall of Residence with effect from 7th May, 1966 until the end of next session.	For behaving indecently to a female undergraduate when they invited in company of other undergraduates to a birthday party in a private house off-campus

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Since the beginning of the third term of the session there was an internal dissension within the Students Union. Consequently the executive committee of the Union was suspended by the Students Representative Council at its meeting of April 24th, 1966. The Students Representative Council proceeded to set up a Caretaker Committee. Some students contested the constitutionality of the action of the Students Representative Council. As a result of this controversy all sections of the Students Union body appealed to the Authorities to intervene in the matter. But these appeals were not heeded.

On April 27th, 1966 students complained to the Authorities that the Students Union building was under seal. This was brought to the attention of the Registrar who instructed the Assistant Registrar (Students) to demand the keys to the Union building within one hour from the President and Secretary of the Students Union in the name of the Vice-Chancellor and the Registrar, on the grounds that the building belonged to the University and that no student for whatever cause had the right to lock-up the building. Secondly, the Registrar said that in spite of the crisis in the Union, the essential services offered to other members of the Union should be maintained. The Assistant Registrar (Students) invited four members of the Students Union executive whose keys to the Students Union building were important to maintain the essential services of the Students Union. Out of these four students Messrs Oche and Egharevba, Public Relations Officer and House Officer respectively surrendered their keys within 15 minutes of being requested to do so. Messrs Oduola and Salami, President and Secretary respectively refused to surrender the keys in their possession when requested to do so. The request was again made of them in writing pointing out that the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar requested the return of the keys. The students again refused.

SP/S.202/96

6 November, 1968.

Dear Sir Mobolaji,

I have placed your letter of the 2nd November before His Excellency the Military Governor of the Western State, Brigadier R. A. Adebayo. His Excellency is happy to note that the authorities of the University of Ibadan have decided to confer on you an Honorary Degree at its next Congregation later this month and has asked me to extend to you his hearty congratulation on the preferment. May I also seize this opportunity to extend to you my own sincere congratulation.

His Excellency will be pleased if you and Lady Bank-Anthony will find it possible to have lunch with him at Government House at 1 p.m. on Sunday, 17th November.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,



(P. T. Odumosu),
Secretary to the Military
Government.

Sir Mobolaji Bank-Anthony, K.B.E., F.R.S.A., F.Inst.D.,
'Executive House',
2A Oil Mill Street,
P. O. Box 75,
LAGOS.

Private Sec. to H.E.

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Ref.No.COS.216/75

Kano, 16th October, 1969.

The Secretary to the
Military Government,
Western State,
IBADAN.

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Overleaf for information. I should be grateful
if you would draw the attention of your Military Governor.

(A. HOWEIDY)
Ag. Secretary to the
Military Government,
KANO STATE.

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Office of the Military Governor, Kano State

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16th October, 1969

The Vic-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN.

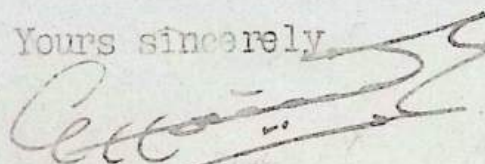
only of the Military Governor

Dear Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Military Governor Kano State, Alhaji Abdu Bako to acknowledge the receipt of your letter Ref.No.VC/GF.1 dated 6th October, 1969 and to thank you for your very kind invitation to the Graduation Day ceremony of your University which will take place at 11.00 a.m. on Monday, November 17th in the Trenchard Hall. His Excellency has pleasure in accepting the invitation and will be accompanied by one Commissioner, one official and his Aid-de-camp. His Excellency will be travelling by special train from Kano departing on Saturday the 15th of November, to arrive Ibadan on Sunday the 16th of November. Exact time of arrival will be notified in due course when it is known from the Nigerian Railways.

2. Members of His Excellency's entourage will include escorts but they will all be staying on the train. Accommodation will only be required therefore for His Excellency and his Aid-de-camp and for one official.

Yours sincerely



(A. HOWELIDY)

Ag. Secretary to the
Military Government,
Kano State.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

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Vice-Chancellor:

T. Adeoye Lambo, O.B.E., M.B., Ch.B., M.D., F.R.C.P.Ed.,
D.P.M., Hon. D.Sc.



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Cables and Telegrams: University Ibadan

IBADAN, NIGERIA



P/T.5

24 October, 1968

Mr P. T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military
Government and Head of Service,
Western State,
Military Governor's Office,
IBADAN.

Dear Mr Odumosu,

I write to invite you and Mrs Odumosu to our Foundation Day ceremony which will be held on Monday, 18 November, 1968 at 11.00 a.m. in the Trenchard Hall. I know how busy you are; but I hope that in spite of this, you will be able to find time to attend and also stay for the Foundation Luncheon immediately following the ceremony.

With kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,

Tom

(T.A. LAMBO)
Vice-Chancellor

Peter,
I hope you will
be able to attend
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29 October, 1968.

Prof. T. A. Lambo,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Dear Prof. Lambo,

Thank you for your letter No. P/F.5 of 24th October, 1968 inviting my wife and myself to your Foundation Day ceremony due to be held on 18th November, 1968 and also to the Luncheon following immediately after the ceremony. We appreciate your kind gesture and barring unforeseen circumstances, hope to be present.

With kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,



(P. T. Odumosu),
Secretary to the Military Government and
Head of Service.

9/s pl. note in diaries.

K-29/x

Noted pls. 48.

K.W.

SIR MOBOLAJI BANK-ANTHONY, K.B.E., F.R.S.A., F.INST.D.,

TELEPHONE
24660, 24669 & 23708
FOREIGN CABLE
OMOBOLAJI LAGOS



95
'EXECUTIVE HOUSE,'
2A, OIL MILL STREET,
P. O. BOX 75,
LAGOS, NIGERIA, W.A.

2nd November, 1968

as
6/11
Peter Odumosu, Esq.,
Secretary to the Military Governor and
Head of the Civil Service,
IBADAN,
Western State,
Nigeria.

I have to advise you of the Invitation I have received from the Senate and Council of the University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Western State of Nigeria, to receive an Honorary Degree at its next Congregation on the 18th November, 1968.

I have accepted the Invitation.

May I respectfully request that you bring this to the personal attention of His Excellency, The Military Governor of the Western State, Brigadier R. A. Adebayo.

I propose to be in Ibadan with Lady Bank-Anthony on Saturday, the 16th instant so as to attend the rehearsal on Sunday, the 17th. I will be leaving back for Lagos on Tuesday, the 19th instant.

With all best wishes.

I remain,
Yours sincerely,

Sir Mobolaji Bank-Anthony.

C O P Y

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN
IBADAN, NIGERIA.

21 February, 1968.

Mr. P. T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

Dear Mr. Odumosu,

I thank you for your letter of 5 February, 1968 conveying the congratulations of His Excellency the Military Governor of the Western State, Brigadier R. A. Adebayo, on my appointment as Vice-Chancellor in the University of Ibadan. It is very kind of His Excellency to send such a message of congratulations, and I do appreciate it very much.

I am fully aware of the challenge and heavy responsibility of this post. I shall do my utmost to justify the trust and confidence reposed to me, and serve my country in this capacity with all my energy and ability.

With great respect and sincere best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

(Sgd.) T. A. Lambo
Vice-Chancellor.

P.A

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SP/S.202/91

5 February, 1968.

Professor T. A. Lambo,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Dear Professor Lambo,

I am directed by His Excellency the Military Governor of the Western State, Brigadier R. A. Adebayo, to convey to you His Excellency's sincere congratulation and good wishes on the occasion of your appointment as Vice-Chancellor, University of Ibadan.

His Excellency is particularly pleased to note that after most careful and painstaking consideration, the choice of the Head of Nigeria's premier University has fallen on someone of your calibre and talents. His Excellency is confident that under your able and matured leadership, the University will settle down after the turmoil of the recent past and redouble its efforts not only in contributing its quota to the over-all development of Nigeria through sound scholarship and research, but also through the training of the middle and high level manpower which will be needed in order to fully face the challenges of national reconstruction to which the people and the military Government have committed themselves.

I am,

Yours sincerely,



(P. T. Odumosu),
Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

Despatched by H.E. P.A.

tsj



OFFICE OF THE MILITARY GOVERNOR , IBADAN 12.55 P.M. 13/11/67 (VOL) =
FROM COL. HASSAN U. KATSINA AT LAGOS =
FOLLOWING FOR BRIGADIER ADEBAYO, MILGOV IBADAN =
REGRET VERY MUCH EYE WILL BE UNABLE ATTEND IBADAN UNIVERSITY =
CEREMONY X HOWEVER SIR KASHIM EXPECTED IN IBADAN WEDNESDAY POSSIBLY
WITH EMIR OF KANO X

CABINET OFFICE LAGOS +++++++

Y.E.

Above f.i. please, we shall
have to call off preparations for
the reception of the C in C. We wd.
also advise U.I. authorities.

 13/11
SMC

SMC

This message is from Col Hassan and
NOT C in C.

C in C is still coming and will not
wait for lunch.

 14/11

Noted. ~~PA~~
N.F.A. mean-
while. 16/11.

CABLEGRAM

Office of the Military
Governor

(P. T. Odumosu)

26/5/67

CHIEF ADEBO

NIGERDELEG NEWYORK

AM DIRECTED BY COLONEL ADEBAYO MILGOV CONVEY TO YOU ON
BEHALF HIMSELF AND PEOPLE WESTERN NIGERIA HEARTY CONGRATULATION
ON YOUR APPOINTMENT VICE CHANCELLOR IBADAN UNIVERSITY X MYSELF
AND THE ENTIRE CIVIL SERVICE ALSO SEND GOOD WISHES AND GODS SPEED
ON YOUR NEW APPOINTMENT

PETER



Note

I inquired from Teji whether S.M.G.
wd want this paper back. She told
me that S.M.G. did want it back.
26/5/67

P.T.

On April 29th, 1966 a Disciplinary Committee meeting made up of the following persons was held to consider the conduct of the two students:

Dr. K.O. Dike	-	Vice-Chancellor (Chairman)
J. Harris, Esq.	-	Deputy Vice-Chancellor
N.K. Adamolekun Esq	-	Registrar
Prof. D.H. Irvine	-	Chairman, Committee of Masters and Wardens.
Prof. J. Ferguson	-	Master, Kuti Hall.
Dr. E.U. Emovon	-	Warden, Kuti Hall.
Dr. C.C. Ifemesia	-	Warden, Mollanby Hall.
Tayo Akpata, Esq.	-	Assistant Registrar (S), Secretary.

The two students admitted being informed by the Assistant Registrar (Students) to return the keys both orally and in writing but that they refused. The Committee unanimously suspended them from the University for the rest of the session and ejected them from the Halls of Residence for the rest of their courses in the University. ^{At the meeting} The Registrar however wished it to be noted that he would insist on the suspension of the two students from the University.

On May 18, 1966 the Disciplinary Committee met to consider the letters of apology written by the two suspended students and their friends. The Committee again unanimously decided that the period of three weeks was too short to decide whether the students were already penitent. The Committee ^{then} again unanimously decided not to vary its earlier suspension order but said that if the two students revived their apology at the end of the session, it will be re-considered.

Shir

I presume there will be many
Governors ~~not~~ coming for the Ceremony.
We better send telegrams to all
the States to find out.

23/10

PS (PKA)

Pls. take necessary action
and report i.d.c.

23/10

RS (Protocol)

Pl send telegram inquiring
which of the Governors from the other States
will be attending, including of course
Mr. Niska who now enjoys the powers
of Military Governor.
2. You may check up
from the Registrar, U.I. as well.

on
23/10/69.

See p. 101

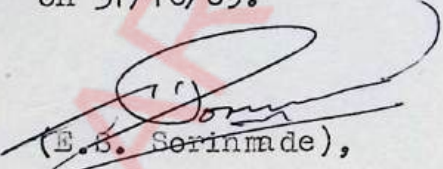
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P.S. (P. & A.)..

Ref. your minute overleaf and our subsequent discussion. The Estate Officer, University of Ibadan, Mr. F.A. Adeyinka who is in charge of arrangements in connection with the Graduation Day Ceremony has confirmed to me that invitations have been sent to the Commander-in-Chief and all the Military Governors and replies so far received are as follows :

<u>Those who have accepted the invitation</u>	<u>Those who have declined the invitation</u>	<u>Those who have not yet replied</u>
1. The Commander-in-Chief	The Military Governor North-Central State	The Military Governor Kwara State
2. The Military Governor, Kano State	2 - 15 th	The Military Governor North-Western State
3. The Military Governor, Lagos State	✓	The Military Governor North-Eastern State
4. The Military Governor, Midwestern State	✓	The Military Governor Benue-Plateau State
		The Military Governor South-Eastern State
		The Military Governor Rivers State
		The Administrator, East Central State.

2. The Estate Officer promised to get in touch with me at the end of this month when all the replies will have been received.

3. In view of the foregoing, may we await further information from the Estate Officer, please? If so, I shall b.u. this file on 31/10/69.


(E. B. Serinmade),

A.S.,

24/10/69.

N.B.

11. send telegram to those who
have not replied.
on 24/10/69.

OFFICIAL TELEGRAM

For Secretary to the Military
Government,
Office of the Military Governor, Ibadan.
27/10/69.

SECMILGOV

SP/3 202/102 X GRATEFUL CONFIRM EARLIEST YOUR MILGOV
ATTENDING GRADUATION DAY CEREMONY IBADAN UNIVERSITY MONDAY
NOVEMBER 17 1969 X

SECMILGOV

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SECMILGOV	ENUGU	_____	p. 104 + 113	Yes

Issued
R27/x

CR. These Telegrams should be sent through
the Police Signals Office, pl.

[Signature]
A.S.
27/10/69

See p. 104, 109

SEO(P)

I've discussed. I will send
the telegrams to the Police Deptts
through Mr. Oje - the duty driver
CR. Thank you. At bn on 31/10

R27/x
CR R27/10

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AS (Prot)

D 31/x/69
ck.

Overlay is submitted A.

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

From COM POL 'A' PORTHARCOURT

Date-Time Origin 3/1000/10

(To A)

SBC MIL GOV IBADAN ✓

For Info (W)

PRIN, SBC GOV. HOUSE P/HARCOURT

Originator's No. AB. 3383 / RSH / VOL. 2/167 & following

message received from Prin sec. Gov. House

Portharcourt for transmission yours & Quote a

Office Date Stamp

Ref. 32/69 & Your let. SP/S. 202/102 of twenty-

seven October 1969 & Confirmed Milgov. Rivers

State attending graduation day ceremony

Unibadan Monday November
seventeenth 1969 &

T.H. No.
T.O.R.

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Signature of Originator

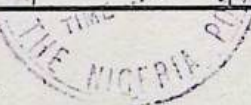
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1/11/69





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(To A) <u>Sec Milgov. Ibadan</u>	
For Info (W)	

Date-Time Origin ~~01/12/35/11~~

(To A) Sec Mil Gov. Tbadam

For Info (VV)

Originator's No. CO. 216/78 & Mylet. No. CO. 216/75

of 16th Oct. 1969 I Re-visit my Milgov.

Kano Convocation Ceremony, Ibadan

Office Date Stamp

Grateful Confirm in order by Your
Milgovi as visit depends on Confirmation
Repeat Vice-Chancellor University Adalam

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Degree of Priority

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AS (Prot),

The above telegram was brought by a police-man at about 5.07 pm. yesterday. I am however submitting it
pl. FIR

4/11/69
CR

[Handwritten signature]

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By

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Secmilgove Ibadan

SG/SCN/19 x Your signal SP/S.202/102 of 27th october
x Regret that owing to previous engagement his
excellency Col. Musa Usman would not attend the
Ibadan University Graduation Ceremony x

Secmilgove Maiduguri

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FROM: NIGPOL 'B' (OPS) LAGOS

DT0.031110/11

TO : COMPOL 'A' IBADAN

INFOR: COMPOL 'A' ENUGU

AJ.0300/EC/T/52 x FOLLOWING MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM COMPOL 'A'
ENUGU x QUOTE x CB.3383/EC/VOL.2/202 x PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING
SIGNAL MESSAGE DATED 31/10/69 FROM SECADMIN OBI ENUGU TO
SECMILGOV. IBADAN x BEGINS x ECS/C.1/VOL.1/133 x YOURLET
SP/S.22/102 OF 27TH OCTOBER x EYE CONFIRM THAT MY
ADMINISTRATOR WILL ATTEND GRADUATION CEREMONY UNIVERSITY
OF IBADAN MONDAY 17TH NOVEMBER 1969 x ENDS x UNQUOTE x
COMPOL 'A' ENUGU ONLY x PLEASE DIRECT SUCH MESSAGES TO
COMPOL IBADAN STRAIGHT x

IMMEDIATE



Ref. No. AB.2052/W/Vol.2/74
Western State Police HQ., Ibadan.
5th November, 1969.

The Secretary to the
Military Governor,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

For information and necessary action, please.

T.O. Makoyawo
(T.O. MAKOYAWO) DSP.,
STAFF OFFICER (SHR. SERVICE),
for: COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
WESTERN STATE.

TOM/ADE.

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SECMILGOVT

IBADAN

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KWA/SHG/41 X REF YOUR SP/S.202/102 X REGRET DUE
TO HEALTH REASONS MILGOV KWARA STATE CANNOT
ATTEND IBADAN UNIVERSITY GRDUATION DAY CEREMONY
X HIS EXCELLENCY ACKNOWLEDGES THE GOOD GESTURES

X = SECMILGOVT +

From :—
(To be Telegraphed)

FDP PWO 1225

AS (Prot),

P 108 — 109 sub'ded pl.

6/11/69
ck.

GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH-EASTERN STATE OF NIGERIA

Telegram: GOVHOUSE

Telephone: 371

Your Ref: SP/S:202/102

Our Ref: GH/20/Vol.IV/332

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

P. M. B. 1056

CALABAR

31st October, 1969.



The Secretary to the Military Government,
Office of the Secretary to the Military Government,
Ibadan.

Graduation Ceremony, University of Ibadan:
Invitation

I am directed to refer to your signal message No. SP/S:202/102 of 27th October, 1969 and I regret to inform you that due to other engagements, His Excellency, Colonel U. J. Esuene, Military Governor of the South-Eastern State, will not be able to attend this year's graduation ceremony of the University of Ibadan which is scheduled for 17th November, 1969.

W. O. Inah

(W. O. INAH)

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO THE MILITARY GOVERNOR.

SAS(G),

Above is submitted for fi.

4/11/69
CR

C.R

I'd like to know the background to this. The m/f is said to be with A.S (Photo). Which officer is that.

"Your duty to the Government of South-Eastern State is absolute loyalty and dedication"

4/11

SIR MOBOLAJI BANK-ANTHONY, K.B.E., HON.LL.D., F.R.S.A., F.INST.D.,

111 ~~2~~
'EXECUTIVE HOUSE,'
2A, OIL MILL STREET,
P. O. BOX 75,
LAGOS, NIGERIA. W.A.

TELEPHONE
24660, 24669 & 23708
FOREIGN CABLE
OMOBOLAJI LAGOS

22nd October, 1969.

P.T. Odumosu, Esq.,
Secretary to the Western State Government,
Military Governor's Office,
IBADAN,
Western State,
Nigeria.

P.T. Odumosu.

I am writing to advise you that my Wife and I have been invited to the next Convocation marking the 21st Anniversary of the University of Ibadan on the 17th November, 1969 at Ibadan and we have accepted.

Perhaps you will be kind enough to convey this to His Excellency.

We hope to be in Ibadan from noon on Saturday the 15th and our address will be:-

c/o Prof. T. Adeoye Lambo,
Vice Chancellor's Office,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN,
Western State.

With kind regards, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]
Sir Mobolaji Bank-Anthony.

To me - file pls.

4/11

SMG

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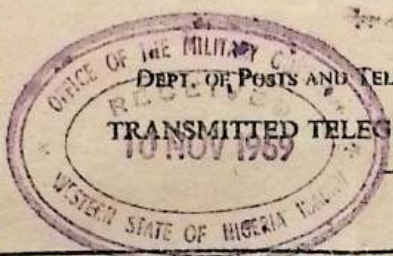
2. May 2 invite attention also

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Williams

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To: The Secretary Military Governor Western State Ibadan =

ECS/54/VOL. II/334 I wish to confirm the His Excellency Mr. Ukpabi Asika Administrator for East Central State will be attending the Graduation Day Ceremony at the University of Ibadan on Monday 17th November 1969 x

K. C. Okoro

for Secretary to the Administration +

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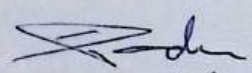
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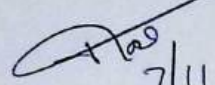
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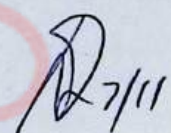
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P.S. (P.& A.).,

You last saw this file at p.101 regarding Military Governors invited to the Graduation Day Ceremony taking place at the University of Ibadan on Monday, 17th November, 1969. The position, confirmed this morning by the University Authorities, is now as follows :

<u>Those who have accepted the invitation</u>	<u>Those who have declined the invitation</u>	<u>Those who have not yet replied</u>
1. The Commander-in-Chief	1. The Military Governor, North-Central State	The Military Gov., Benue-Plateau State.
2. The Military Governor, Kano State	2. The Military Governor, Kwara State	
3. The Military Governor, Lagos State	3. The Military Governor, North-Western State	
4. The Military Governor, Midwestern State	4. The Military Governor, South-Eastern State	
5. The Military Governor, Rivers State	5. The Military Governor, Nor-Eastern State	
6. The Administrator, East Central State		

2. Submitted for further directive, please.

(E.S. Serinmade),

A.S.,

10/11/69.

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We discussed.

2. you will report progress in

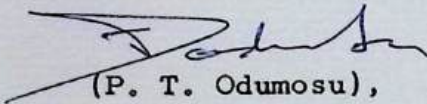
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S.E.O.(P).,

Mr. Afe, Ag. S.M.G., Midwest State, has requested that accommodation be reserved for 15 officials accompanying his Military Governor to the Foundation Ceremony of the Ibadan University next Monday. He wants the accommodation reserved at the Premier Hotel to cover the period 15th to 17th November inclusive.

2. Please arrange accordingly and keep P.S.(P.&A.) informed.


(P. T. Odumosu),

S.M.G. & H.S.,

12/11/1969.

See p. 116

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SP/S.202/116

13/15 November, 1969

The General Manager,
Premier Hotel,
Ibadan.

Accommodation

See p. 115
The Acting Secretary to the Military Government, Midwestern State, Mr. O. I. Afe has requested that accommodation be reserved for 15 officials accompanying his Military Governor to the Foundation Day Ceremony of the Ibadan University. He wants the accommodation reserved to cover the period 15th to 17th November, 1969 inclusive. Please reserve accommodation accordingly.

2. The bill will be settled by the Office of the Military Governor, Midwestern State, Benin.

Issued
13/11/69
(E. S. Sorinmade)
for Permanent Secretary,
(Political and Administration)

SP/S.202/117.

13th November, 1969.

The General Manager,
Premier Hotel,
Ibadan.

Provision of Services for Government Guests.

I am directed to refer to telephone discussion between Mrs. Aparo and the undersigned this morning and to confirm that you should please provide two stewards to serve His Excellency the Military Governor, Midwestern State, Colonel S.O. Ogbemudia and His Excellency the Military Governor, Kano State, Alhaji Audu Bako who are expected to arrive at the V.I.P. Rest House at Links Reservation on Sunday, 16th November and depart on Tuesday, 18th November, 1969. You should also provide food and drinks for Their Excellencies throughout the period.

2. The bill should be forwarded to this Office for settlement.

(E.S. Sorinmade),
for Permanent Secretary,
(Political and Administration).

Issued

13/11

PS(PTA)

SMG's minute at p. 115 and my letter at p. 116 are for information.

2. The above letter issued as directed, please.

[Signature]
A.S. 13/11/69

on
18/11/69

C.R. Pl. kir. + bn when Premier Hotel bill is received.

[Signature]
A.S. 24/11

See p. 118



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CABINET OFFICE,
LAGOS, 118
NIGERIA.

12th November, 1969

Ref.: 58721/Vol.II/216

Secretary to the Military Government,
Western State of Nigeria,
IBADAN.

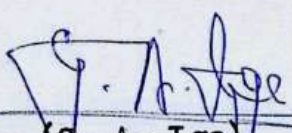
Attention: Mr. P. T. Odumosu

University of Ibadan - 21st Foundation Day
Ceremony: Request for Transport

I am directed to refer to a recent telephone conversation between the undersigned and Mr. Adegboyega-Conde of your office, and to confirm our request that you be good enough to provide five vehicles to convey Government officials who will be accompanying the Head of State to the 21st Foundation Day Ceremony of the University of Ibadan to be held at Ibadan on Monday, 17th November, 1969.

2. According to the provisional time-table, the party will arrive in Ibadan by a special flight about 10.25 a.m. on 17th November, and will proceed to the University campus almost immediately.

3. Thanks for your co-operation.


(G. A. Ige)
for Secretary to the Federal
Military Government

SAS(G)

Above is sub'ded fl

14/11/69

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SECRET
12th November, 1962
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SMG LGR

Reference overleaf, I recall that you spoke to PS (P+A) on the telephone about this request.

2. you may wish to refer the letter to PS (P+A) to enable him confirm with the H.T.O. (Transport) that the cars have been laid on for the assignment.

Mde
SAS(G)
14/11

No. Arrangement is already completed for C in C's plane to arrive Shannon Airport at 10.15 am. N.F.A. here.

17/11

C.R. M. fa
Mde 17/11

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FROM SECHILGOV KANO 10/11/69

TO SECHILGOV IBADAN

FOR INFO. VICE CHANCELLOR UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

BT

REF. YOUR MESSAGE SP/S.20/2/107 REGRET OWING TO COMMITMENT
CONNECTED RECENT LAUNCHING EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT FUND BY
MILGOV UNABLE ATTEND CONVOCATION CEREMONY X IN-CONVENIENCE
REGRETTED X LETTER FOLLOWS X

'MOST-IMMEDIATE'

R/.....171300 HRS 24227 OYENIYI



Red. 2010 hrs
17/11/69

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Office of the Military Governor, Kano State

Cables & Telegrams:
SECMILGOVT KANO

★
Telephone: 2474

In case of reply please
quote Reference

No. C0216/85

P.M.B. 3080
KANO/NIGERIA

11th November, 1969.

The Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN, Western State.

Dear Sir,

It is a matter for regret that after His Excellency the Military Governor, Kano State, had made arrangements to visit Ibadan for the Convocation Ceremony unforeseen circumstances have now developed arising from the recent launching of the Kano State Education Development Fund. As a result, His Excellency the Military Governor and the Emirs of Kano State will be required to undertake certain duties personally during the same period as the Convocation and it will not, therefore, be possible for the Military Governor to attend the ceremony at the University of Ibadan.

His Excellency Alhaji Abdu Bako has asked me to convey to you, and everyone connected with the Convocation Ceremony, his extreme regret at having to alter his arrangements at this late date. I am also to express the wish that the Convocation Ceremony will be a great success.

Yours faithfully,



(A. HOWEIDY)
Ag. Secretary to the
Military Government,
Kano State.

Copy:

Ref.C0.216/85A

11th November, 1969.

Secretary to the
Military Government,
Western State,
IBADAN.

For information with reference to my police signal
of the 10th November, 1969.

(A. HOWEIDY)
Ag. Secretary to the
Military Government.

SAS(G)

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SP/S 202/119

25 December, 1969

The General Manager,
Premier Hotel,
P.O. Box 1206,
Ibadan.

For attention by Mr. A. Ariyo

Provision of Services for Government Guests

I am directed to refer to your letter No. GM.1/VOL. 9/351 of 24th November, 1969 and subsequent telephone discussion during which the undersigned asked for an explanation about the empty bottles for which a debit has been shown on the bill and to enquire how soon the explanation which you promised may be expected. It is understood that all the drinks served were taken in the house.

2. Please treat as urgent so that early action may be taken on the bill

See P. 132
(E. S. Sorinmade),
for Permanent Secretary,
(Political and Administration)

Despatch
4/2/12

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Vice Chancellor:

T. Adeoye Lambo, O.B.E., M.B., Ch.B., M.D., F.R.C.P.Ed.,
D.P.M., Hon. D.Sc.



Telephone: Ibadan 23248 (Direct line)
Cables and Telegrams: University Ibadan

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VG/U.1



4 November, 1969.

His Excellency,
Brigadier R. A. Adebayo,
Military Governor of Western State,
Military Governor's Office,
Ibadan,
Western State.

Your Excellency,

In view of the National position of Ibadan University, I am anxious that the University should play a more definitive and prominent role in promoting higher education and in manpower development in all the states. Some of the states have already taken the initiative of approaching us for help in this connection and we are already having some serious discussions on the wide issues of setting up priorities in the area of their needs.

It is obvious that not all the states will be able to start and maintain a high quality institution of any description in five or ten years' time. However, with realistic and imaginative planning, the immediate and urgent needs in the area of manpower development at all levels may be met if some measures are taken as soon as possible.

It is my wish that during the period of your visit to the University for the Foundation Day Ceremony on the 17th of November, 1969 a meeting should be held with the Military Governors and/or their Advisers from the appropriate Ministries. I have already arranged with some of the Donors Agencies to send their Representatives (and some of them will be represented by their Ambassadors) to be here for the meeting.

This meeting is scheduled to take place in the Senate Chamber of the University of Ibadan on Sunday, November 16, 1969 at 11.00 a.m. If you feel that Ibadan could be of any help in making a modest beginning of what we envisage could lead to greater prospects in some areas of higher education in the states in the near future, please indicate your willingness for your state to participate in this meeting and to present some proposals or suggestions on how Ibadan can be of assistance.

Please inform us, at your earliest convenience of the names and designation of the officers who will be representing your state.

Yours sincerely,

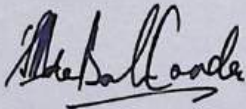
(T.A. LAMBO)
Vice-Chancellor

cc: Commissioner for Education, Western State
Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education, Western State.

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P. S. M. E.,

124 I am directed to request that you comment urgently on the letter on
p 4 from the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan.


(F. B. A. Conde)
for S. M. G. & H. S.

11th November, 1969

Your Excellency,

Via: S.M.G.,

I refer to the letter at page 4. 124 It is not very easy to
offer concrete comments on the letter because it is not quite clear
what precisely the Vice Chancellor is trying to propose. The
University exists to train for man-power development.

2. Our annual scholarship awards are geared towards man-power
development both in the public and in the private sector. By and
large, the Universities of Ibadan, Ife and Lagos have been able
to provide places for recipients of awards. The only area in which
this government still has to use Overseas resources is in the area
of technological training. For example:-

Food Technology

Wood "

Leather "

Ceramic "

Textile "

Timber "

Petroleum "

3. These fields of technology are the areas in which we would
be happy to train suitable Nigerians locally. For all the other
fields of higher education, our Nigerian Universities have proved
adequate.

4. I recommend that this State be represented at the proposed

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meeting. I would recommend the Chief Inspector of Education in the Ministry of Education and also a Senior official in the Ministry of Economic Planning and Social Development which has primary responsibility for man-power development.

August D. Adebayo
A. O. Adebayo,

P.S.M.E.

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SP/S.202/T/4

14 November, 1969.

Professor T. A. Lambo,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Dear Professor Lambo,

I am directed by His Excellency the Military Governor to refer to your letter No. VC/U.1 dated 4th November, 1969, addressed to His Excellency on the proposed meeting scheduled to take place in the Senate Chamber of your University on Sunday, November 16, at 11 a.m. on the subject of higher education and manpower development. His Excellency notes with appreciation your University's interest in this subject and initiative in arranging the meeting. Mr. T. A. Fagbule, Chief Inspector of Education, and Mr. E. O. Olowu, Under-Secretary, Ministry of Economic Planning and Social Development, will represent this State at the meeting.

Yours sincerely,



(P. T. Odumosu),
Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

c.c. The Permanent Secretary, (reference your minute
Ministry of Education, Ibadan. of 13th November.)

// The Permanent Secretary, - together with copies of
Ministry of Econ. Planning & Prof. Lambo's letter
Soc. Dev., Ibadan. and P.S.M.E.'s minute
of 13/11/69 (discussion
Odumosu/Thomas refers)

Y.E. 124
P.t - please see pp. 125/6 and the
action I took above in Y.E's
absence.

Odumosu

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Ref. your minute at p. 1, I attended with Mr. Rotimi, Assistant Chief Inspector of Education, the meeting held in the Senate Chamber of the University of Ibadan to discuss what role the University of Ibadan could play in the promotion of higher education and manpower development in this State. The representatives of the donor agencies, USAID, Canadian Technical Assistance, Ford Foundation etc. and representatives of the Western, Lagos, Mid-West, Rivers, South-Eastern, Kano and North-Eastern States and most Heads of Departments of the University were present at the meeting. Also present were the Mid-West Commissioner for Education and the Commissioner for Education in the Rivers State.

2. The Mid-West Commissioner took offence at the manner in which those invited to the meeting were received and in fact pointed out that the Vice-Chancellor ought to have been at the meeting by 11 a.m. The Vice-Chancellor came in a few minutes late (in his absence the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Prof. G.M. Edington stood in for him) and apologised for coming late, his excuse being that he discovered very late that he had to read a lesson at the Special Service to mark the twenty-first anniversary of the University. He explained that he thought he could take advantage of the presence in Ibadan of the representatives of the donor agencies and the States to hold exploratory discussion on the needs of the various States and what role Ibadan University could play in meeting their needs. He added that the University of Ibadan has previously entered into dialogue on these matters with some States especially the Mid-West State. At this juncture the Vice-Chancellor called upon the Mid-West Commissioner to speak.

3. The Mid-West Commissioner expressed disappointment at the way the meeting was arranged. He narrated what efforts his State had made in the past in connection with their desire for the University of Ibadan to extend campus-wise to the Mid-West especially in the area of technological studies as an alternative to the setting up of another University in the Mid-West. He

explained that when he saw the letter the Vice-Chancellor addressed to His Excellency the Military Governor of the Mid-Western State he was of the opinion that the Vice-Chancellor wanted to hold discussion with the representatives of the Mid-West Government to finalise the issues. He said he was disappointed to see at the meeting representatives of other Governments and of donor agencies, and he felt such a meeting, more in the nature of a convention, would not achieve any useful purpose and would not in any case satisfy the Mid-West delegation. At this point he referred to the fact that he learnt that some Heads of Departments of the University were sabotaging the good efforts of the Vice-Chancellor to meet the requests of the Mid-West Government. Thereafter without waiting to hear the reactions of the Vice-Chancellor to his comments, the Mid-West Commissioner for Education and his officials walked out of the meeting.

4. Subsequently those present discussed generally the issues involved. The Rivers State Commissioner for Education explained that there has been a total dislocation of their educational system as a result of the war - teachers had abducted, school buildings and equipments had been destroyed and the State lacked the necessary funds and expertise. He appealed to the representatives of the donor agencies for assistance and pointed out that his State would want assistance from Ibadan University in both the lower and higher levels of education. Already his State was in communication with the appropriate Departments of the University of Ibadan. The representatives of the South-Eastern Government explained that his State required assistance as a matter of urgency in the training of science and mathematics teachers and that as a long-term objective they would like some arm of the University e.g. a Technical Institute - to extend to the South-Eastern State. The delegate from Maiduguri, North-Eastern State explained that he got no intimation of the meeting in Maiduguri and that the letter was only handed to him in Ibadan on Saturday 16th November, 1969.

5. The representative of the Kano State deplored the attitude of the Mid-West delegate. He advised the University, if it is to be a truly national institution, to take into consideration the over-all needs of all the States before fashioning out its programmes and it should not succumb to the pressures of individual States to the detriment of its overall policy.

He explained that the problems of the Kano State was an acute one of increasing the number of products of secondary grammar and commercial schools as a means of ensuring an increasing number of inter-mediate and high-level manpower.

6. The representatives of Kwara State suggested that the representatives of the donor agencies ought not to have been invited to the meeting as the programmes for which we would be needing their assistance had not been formulated. Other delegates did not support his suggestion that representatives of the donor agencies should be asked to leave the meeting. It was noted that the meeting could only raise general issues and that no harm would be done if the representatives of the donor agencies had the opportunity of knowing how our minds were working.

7. Mr. Rotimi, Assistant Chief Inspector of Education who was the other representative of the Western State at the meeting explained that in the areas in which the Western State would be requiring assistance - technological training designed to meet the needs of particular industries - food technology, ceramic technology, timber technology etc. - he doubted if the University of Ibadan could be of assistance. He added however that such areas / would be communicated later to the University.

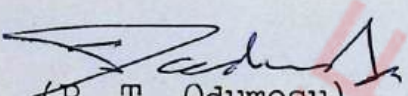
8. In the field of higher education one of the Heads of Departments of the University suggested that perhaps it would be better for the donor agencies to channel such aid through the national university. The meeting noted that it would be desirable to retain the present government to government assistance and that in addition there should be opportunities for institution to institution assistance.

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9. The meeting finally ended after the Vice-Chancellor had thanked those present for honouring his invitation. He added that representatives of the University of Ibadan would be visiting the States later to ascertain in detail their areas of needs as a way of helping the University of Ibadan in designing programmes etc. to meet such needs.

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(E. O. Olowu)
Under-Secretary.
17 November, 1969.

Y.E.,

Ref. p. ¹²⁷4, please see report by the Min. of Econ. Planning & Soc. Dev. at pp. ¹²⁸⁻¹³¹5-8. I do not think the matter calls for any further action here at this stage. Any further developments can be taken care of by both the Min. of Education and the Min. of Econ. Planning & Soc. Dev.


(P. T. Odumosu),
S.M.G. & H.S.,
18/11/69,

Agreed

to 4/12
P. A.



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GM.20/Vol.3/19



5th December, 1969

The Permanent Secretary,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

For the attention of MR. E.S. SORINMADE

With reference to your letter SP/S.202/119 of 2nd December, 1969, we are indeed very sorry to point out that the Barman mistakenly added the empty bottles to our previous bill sent to you in respect of services rendered for Government Guests.

We are therefore enclosing an amended bill No. F.584 for the amount of £118 0s 0d for hotel expenses at V.I.P. Rest House.

It should be highly appreciated if you would please arrange for the settlement of the bill while apologising for any inconvenience caused.

(A. ARIYO)
Ag. General Manager

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2. The bills are abe.

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referred for necessary action. The bill for £118 is a bc. pl.

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Overleaf refers.

It is helpful if you, in your
minutes kindly indicate on what occasion
the bill at h.c. was incurred.
This will help in the writ of the
vouchers and other classifications. (if any) -

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AS (F&P)

Col. S.C. Osbeundia, Military
Governor of Midwestern State who was
served at the VIP Rest House, Lanka
Reservation stayed in the house
as guest of H.R.M.C. Western State.

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13/1/70

~~HEO (A/c)~~

from overleaf.

Action taken in
file AS/1075

Please settle the Premier
Hotel Bills at h.c.

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~~HEO (A/c)~~ 14/1/70

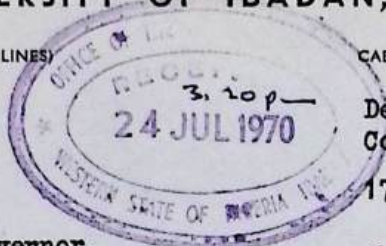
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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

TELEPHONE: IBADAN 21051 (13 LINES)

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Department of Adult Education,
Conference Centre.

17 July, 1970.

His Excellency,
The Military Governor,
Western State of Nigeria,
Governor's House,
Agodi, Ibadan.

Your Excellency,

PS (P & A)

SA/S. 202

Please find out more before
accepting or rejecting.

Educational Tour of Nigeria

GNTC. Branch of the People's Educational Association of Ghana

17 - 19 August, 1970

About 50 Ghanaians who are members of the Ghana National Trading Corporation branch of the People's Educational Association of Ghana will be hosted by this University from 17 - 19 August, 1970 in the course of their educational tour of this country.

The group has expressed a strong desire to be given some lectures on economic and industrial life of Nigeria. Besides, they have expressed willingness to be given a conducted tour of some places of economic, social, educational and cultural interest.

One would naturally wonder how then does Your Excellency come into the picture. Fifty reputable Ghanaian personalities are a sizeable group Your Excellency; and coming at this time when the relations between the two countries are, to say the least, in the wane, it will appear to a naive mind such as mine, that this is a fitting occasion to show the Ghanaians that Nigerians have a bigger heart and have always been sincere in their friendliness to Ghana.

Your Excellency, I am fully aware how very busy you always are. But I may be permitted to observe that a short audience by your Excellency will be highly appreciated by all concerned. Indeed such an audience granted will have a positively far reaching political effect in the context of African Unity generally and in healing the sore Ghana/Nigeria relationship in particular.

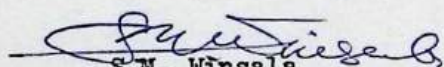
One looks back with gratitude to Your Excellency for the mitigating effect of your spontaneous intervention at the Liberty Stadium a few weeks ago during Kotoko/Stationery Stores football match.

Should this receive your Excellency's most courted favours, the evening of Tuesday 18 August will be most suitable since they will arrive on Monday 17 and leave finally on Wednesday 19 August, 1970.

It is in anticipation of Your Excellency's favourable reply that

I have the honour to be,

Your Excellency's most obedient servant,


S.M. Winsala
Conference Officer

CONFERENCE OFFICER
CONFERENCE CENTRE,
DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATION
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN,
IBADAN, NIGERIA.

Tel 21051/274

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The People's Educational Association
of Ghana

This is a virile voluntary Body that caters for the continuing Education of the literate Adult population of Ghana. It was founded over 1½ decades ago and has always been closely allied with the Institute of Adult Education (formerly Department of Extra Mural Studies) of the University of Ghana, Legon, Accra Ghana.

This body has over the years played a very noble and effective role in the promulgation and spread of liberal education among the people of Ghana. It has been largely instrumental in the quick and effective spread of democratic ideals among the Ghanaians. Besides, it has sought through its dynamic programmes of evening tutorial classes public lectures, seminars and conferences to provide opportunities of higher learning to hundreds of people not privileged to see the inside of a university. Many eminent Ghanaians of today are products of the People's Educational Association of Ghana. It is a national voluntary organisation of high repute. It is respected by the citizens and the state. It is the voice of the people to the outside world in the area of Adult Education.


CONFERENCE OFFICER
CONFERENCE CENTRE,
DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATION
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN,
IBADAN, NIGERIA.

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6 August, 1970

Chief A. Komolafe,
Chairman,
Statutory Corporations Service Commission,
Ibadan.

Educational Tour of Nigeria

GNTC. Branch of the People's Education Association
of Ghana: 17 - 19 August, 1970

I am directed by His Excellency the Military Governor, Brigadier R. A. Adebayo, to request you to make necessary arrangements to meet, in the evening of Tuesday, August 18, 1970, a team of 50 Ghanaians who are members of the Ghana National Trading Corporation who will be on an educational tour of this country between 17th and 19th August, 1970.

2. I am to request you to emphasize in your speech to them the need for African Unity and, in particular, for a stronger bond of friendship between Nigeria, Ghana, and other West African countries.

3. I attach herewith copy of a letter and information paper on the People's Educational Association of Ghana sent to us by Mr. S. M. Winsala of the Department of Adult Education, University of Ibadan, who is the Conference Officer handling the Ghanaian tour.

SOB
(S. O. Babalola)
for Permanent Secretary
(Political and Administration)

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SP/S.202/138

6 August, 1970

Mr. S. M. Winsala,
Conference Officer,
Department of Adult Education,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Dear Sir,

Educational Tour of Nigeria

GNTC. Branch of the People's Education Association
of Ghana: 17 - 19 August, 1970

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With reference to your letter dated 17th July, I regret to inform you that owing to more urgent State matters, His Excellency the Military Governor will not be able to meet the Ghanaians who are visiting this country between 17th and 19th August, 1970. I am to inform you, however, that His Excellency has made a suitable arrangement for the Chairman of the Statutory Corporations Service Commission, Chief A. Komolafe, to meet the people in his (the Chief's) office in the evening of Tuesday, August 18 as suggested by you. I hope you will get in touch directly with Chief Komolafe (Tel. No. Ibadan 23812) for other details about the meeting. The Chief has been requested to emphasize in his speech the need for African Unity and, in particular, for a stronger bond of friendship between Nigeria, Ghana, and other West African countries.

2. A copy of this letter is being endorsed to Chief A. Komolafe for his information and further necessary action.

Yours faithfully,



(S. O. Babalola)
for Permanent Secretary
(Political and Administration)

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Ref. No. SP/S.202/139

Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

6 August, 1970

Copy to:

Chief A. Komolafe,
Chairman,
Statutory Corporations Service Commission,
Ibadan.

Above for your information and further necessary
action.

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(S. O. Babalola)
for Permanent Secretary
(Political and Administration)

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STATUTORY CORPORATIONS SERVICE COMMISSION

IBADAN WESTERN STATE OF NIGERIA

Your Ref. No.....
All communications should be
addressed to the Secretary, Statutory
Corporations Service Commission
Our Ref. No. C.19/69

SP/S. 202

Date 17th August, 1970.

The Permanent Secretary,
(Political and Administration),
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

Educational Tour of Nigeria

GNTC. Branch of the People's Education Association
of Ghana: 17 - 19 August, 1970

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Reference your endorsement No.SP/S.202/139 of 6th August, 1970, it is understood from Mr. S. M. Winsala, that the visit of the team of 50 Ghananians has been postponed.

Safe Jaba.
for Chairman

Statutory Corporations Service Commission.

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Noted. You may p.a.

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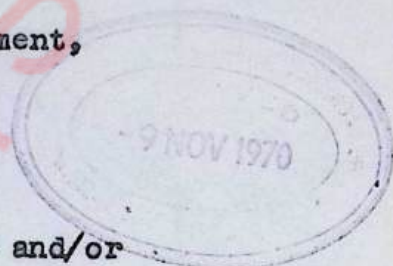
Cabinet Office,
Lagos.

c.c.

29th October, 1970

Mr. H. Ahmadu,
Principal Secretary to the
Head of the Federal Military Government,
State House,
Lagos.

Secretary to the Military Government,
Governor's House,
Ibadan,
Western State.



Overleaf for information and/or
necessary action.



(G. A. IGE)
for Secretary to the Federal
Military Government.

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Ref. :

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29th October, 1970

CABINET OFFICE,
LAGOS
NIGERIA

Mr. N. K. Adamolekun,
Registrar,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN.

Dear Sir,

Graduation Ceremony: University of Ibadan,
1970

I wish to refer to our recent discussions on the arrangements for your University's Graduation Ceremony due to take place on 17th November, 1970 and with particular reference to the conferment of Honorary Degrees on our Head of State and President Hamani Diori of Niger.

2. I am directed to confirm that your arrangements are acceptable to His Excellency the Head of State and to inform you that President Hamani Diori will give the response on behalf of himself and the other Honorary Graduands at the Ceremony. However, their Excellencies would like also to pay a short visit to the International Institute for Tropical Agriculture and to the Campus of the University of Ibadan at the end of the Ceremony; they would wish, in addition, to meet some of the senior members of Staff of the University for a few minutes.

3. It is suggested that their Excellencies should proceed straight to the International Institute for Tropical Agriculture from the Liberty Stadium to give the Staff of the University of Ibadan enough time to return to the Campus to receive the Visitors. It is further suggested that it would be enough for the Visitors to be shown only a few of the most important locations in both places.

4. I should be glad if you would confirm that these visits would be included in the final programme for 17th November and that you would make the necessary contacts with the authorities of the International Institute for Tropical Agriculture.

4. A copy of this letter has been forwarded to the Secretary to the Military Government, Ibadan, for the information of the Military Governor.

Yours faithfully,

(G. A. ICE),
for Secretary to the Federal Military Government.

SMG & H.S. V.E.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

DEPARTMENT OF ANATOMY

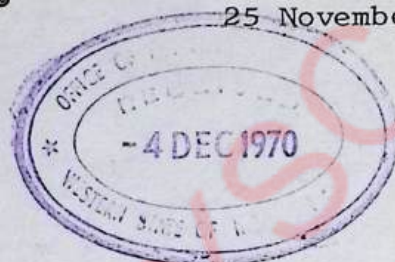
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T. Adesanya Ige Grillo, M.A., Ph.D. (Cantab.), L.R.C.P.I.,
L.R.C.S.I., L.M., F.R.M.S.
Professor of Anatomy and Head of Department

25 November 1970.

Chief O. Thomas,
Military Governor's Office,
Agodi,
Ibadan.



Dear Chief Thomas,

I have received a request from the Department of Anatomy, Ahmadu Bello University in the North, asking for our help. Because of the Muslim religion in the North and because it takes a while to educate any population in the usefulness of anatomical studies, the Department of Anatomy in the North has had great difficulties in obtaining cadavers (dead bodies) for dissection. This situation is not unusual: when this Medical School was started in Ibadan the same problem occurred and, even now, we still have difficulties since our intake of students has risen considerably. The Ministry of Health is however co-operating by helping us to inform their State Hospitals about our needs. We have, as a result, established liaison with some State Hospitals such as the ones in Abeokuta and Oyo and we occasionally obtain bodies from them.

The situation in the North is desperate because they have about 100 medical students and there are no cadavers for their studies. The Professor of Anatomy of that University has been here twice since he wrote his letter asking for help. Since this is an inter-State matter and since the medical students in the North come from all over the Federation of Nigeria I have thought it necessary to obtain permission from the Government for the transportation of cadavers from the State to Zaria.

I must explain that the bodies we use in our anatomical studies are unclaimed bodies which would normally have been buried by the State. The bodies are usually embalmed with chemicals and kept in a preserved state. After anatomical studies have been carried out on them the remains are given decent burial by the State Ministry of Health. This routine is practiced by all anatomical schools in the world. The

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Government should rest assured that we all treat these bodies with the greatest respect for the sacrifice being made to medical science. We have no doubt therefore that by transferring the bodies to the North this tradition in Medicine will be maintained and the bodies will be treated with respect.

We would like to obtain permission from ~~the~~ ^{the} Head of State, through you, to transport the bodies out of this State. ^a

With many thanks,

Yours sincerely,

7. Adesanya Ipe Cintho

cc. Professor P.S.C. Bunning.

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*His Excellency has no objection
to this proposal please.*

*PPS to HE
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SP/S.202/145

4th December, 1970.

Professor A. Ige Grillo,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

My Dear Professor,

I am writing in reply to your letter of the 25th of November to inform you that His Excellency the Military Governor is agreeable to the arrangement proposed for the transfer of cadavers to the North for anatomical purposes. His Excellency fully appreciates the considerations that have led to this arrangement and would wish me to re-assure your University Authorities of this Government's avowed policy towards the enhancement of inter-university cooperation at all levels.

Yours sincerely,

(Sd/O. Thomas

(O. Thomas),
Permanent Secretary (Pol. & Admin.).

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7 December 1970.

Chief O. Thomas,
Permanent Secretary
(Political & Administration),
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

My dear Chief Thomas,

I am very grateful indeed to the Military Governor for his co-operation in this ~~and~~ delicate matter. I have sent a copy of your letter to both the Vice-Chancellor of Ahmadu Bello University and the Professor of Anatomy, informing them of the approval of the Governor and we can now expect them to arrange for the collection of the cadavers.

Please give our thanks to the Military Governor.

Yours sincerely,

T. Adesanya Ige Grillo

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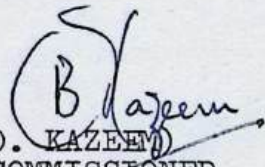
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30th April, 1971

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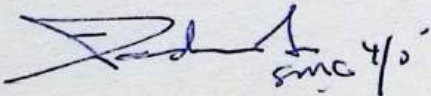
Now that this Commission has concluded its work in Ibadan, I wish to place on record my profound gratitude and that of my staff to His Excellency the Governor and the Government of Western State for the various facilities placed at our disposal which enabled the proceedings of the Commission to be brought to a successful end. Our deepest appreciation goes to your goodself in particular and other members of the Governor's Office in general for their personal attention and timely intervention in seeing the Commission through its teething problems and difficulties. I must not forget to express my own grateful thanks for your Government's hospitality throughout my stay in Ibadan.

2. It is my fervent hope that the outcome of this exercise will prove to be of immense benefit not only to the University of Ibadan but also to all other Universities and Institutions of higher learning in the whole country.


(B. O. KAZEEM)
SOLE COMMISSIONER

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Ref. No. WR.Hb/370/Sec/2

Date. 13 May, 1971.

The Secretary to the
Military Government,
Governor's Office,
Ibadan.



TRADE DISPUTE
U. C. H., IBADAN

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I forward herewith one copy of my report on the above-mentioned matter, for information.

2. I shall forward a further brief in due course.

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(O. A. AJAI)

AG. PRINCIPAL LABOUR OFFICER .

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13th May, 1971.

The Permanent Secretary,
Federal Ministry of Labour,
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TRADE DISPUTE:
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL IBADAN

Further to my several telephone reports, I am to state that the under-mentioned staff Associations have been on work-to-rule for some days now:

- (i) Association of Staff Nurses (2 weeks on "work-to-rule")
- (ii) Association of Senior Pensionable Staff (1 week on work-to-rule)
- (iii) Association of Resident Doctors (1 week work-to-rule).

2. The main issue is disagreement over the differentials in the salary groupings of some grades of staff. Prior to the implementation of the latest salary structures made effective from 1/4/70, some comparable posts had been on the same salary scales. The latest salary structures worked out by an Ad-hoc Committee set up to cover both the L.U.T.H. and U.C.H. awarded salary ranges to some of these comparable posts ahead of their erstwhile counterparts. More specifically, the Security Officer, the Laundry Manager, the Medical Records Officer as well as some grades of "Administrative" Nursing Staff were "sky-rocketed" ahead of their erstwhile colleagues among the Doctors and the Pensionable Senior Staff. These aggrieved personnel contend that the Management should either grant them comparable 46% increase "across the board", or cancel the recent increases (in which some of their members were down-graded, salary wise), pending the judgement of an evaluation committee whose composition would be acceptable to them.

3. The Resident Doctors have issued a statement demanding the dissolution of the Board for incompetence. They alleged that stores worth about £12,000 were lost recently and that this was an endemic feature. Also that hospital linen etc. were being misappropriated, and that recently the Board had lost a suit to a former Chief Accountant who was awarded about £12,000 damages. The Board, and especially the House Governor, came out of that suit somewhat discredited.

4. The case of the Staff Nurses is this. They believe they are better off by Elwood conversions which they would like to see applied to their salaries in its entirety. Their more ambitious claim however is that they should be placed on the same scale as Nursing Sisters with whom they share the same training and qualifications. As of now the grade of Nursing Sisters is a promotion post for Staff Nurses.

5. The Workers' Union have been behaving with maturity and reasonableness whilst the other groups so far appear to have been staking extreme demands. The Workers' Union have mostly benefitted from the recent controversial salary structures. They would like to consolidate their gains and wait and see if and whether a job evaluation committee could be used to amend the marginal anomalies they have so far spotted in their present salary gradings. They are, however, not enthusiastic about introducing a job evaluation solution and have pointedly warned that any attempt to scrap the latest salary structures would be countered by instant industrial action.

6. When the recent salary awards were announced and immediately caused an uproar, the Chairman of the Management Board, Prince Akenzua, hoped to placate the aggrieved staff groups by offering to freeze the new salary structures pending job evaluation. The Staff Nurses decided that job evaluation was irrelevant to their demands. The Resident Doctors welcomed the idea on certain conditions which, in my opinion, would be hard to meet. The Senior Staff Association also expressed themselves moderately interested in the idea of job evaluation but would like the present structures continued except for the alleged anomalies.

7. Under the aegis of the Hospital's Medical Advisory Committee, the four staff groups met together during the week-end up to Monday to iron out their respective differences and present a common front to the Management Board whose emergency meeting was scheduled for Tuesday May 11th at 10 a.m. Attached herewith is a copy of a document which the staff groups presented to the Board. The document is self-explanatory but a careful examination of it will, I suggest, reveal inherent difficulties in the way of a rational solution, especially paragraphs 4, 5 and 6. It is, however, for the Board to define its own position.

8. In the meantime the Board has been in continuous session and is expected to meet representatives of the staff groups before it concludes deliberations on Thursday May 13th. It is only then that the decision of the Board would be known, whether the Board's intervention would be successful.

9. Whatever concessions the Board might make would still presumably be subject to approval by the Ministries of Health, Establishments and Finance which might raise the issue of costs as well as the unreality of allowing each Teaching Hospital to go its own way and devise a salary structure unrelated to either Elwood, Ani or Adebo.

10. Meanwhile the work-to-rule continues and the normal running of the Hospital is at a virtual stand-still.

11. The State Government have shown keen interest and desire to be briefed. I have therefore been in constant touch with the Secretary to the Military Government on the matter.

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12. I am in constant personal touch with the events and would forward another situation report as soon as the position of the Management Board can be ascertained on or after Thursday May 13th. Attached hereto also is background report on the current crisis at the University College Hospital, Ibadan.

O. A. AJAI
(O. A. AJAI)
AG. PRINCIPAL LABOUR OFFICER.

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MEMORANDUM TO THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FROM THE
ASSOCIATIONS OF RESIDENT DOCTORS, STAFF
NURSES PENSIONABLE SENIOR STAFF AND UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE HOSPITAL WORKERS' UNION

At the meeting of the representatives of the Resident Doctors, Pensionable Senior Staff, Staff Nurses and the University College Hospital Workers' Union held in the Board Room on the 10th May, 1971 at about 10.30 a.m. the following agreements were reached:

1. SALARIES - The list of figures agreed upon by the various Associations is as shown hereunder:

STAFF NURSES

£700 x 60 - £1360	N.C.M.
£760 x 60 - £1360	N.R.N.
£880 x 60 - £1360	N.R.N., N.C.M.

SENIOR PENSIONABLE STAFF

<u>Old Scale</u>	<u>Proposed Scale</u>
£648 - £960	£950 x 75 - £1400
£684 - £1164	£1000 x 75 - £1600
£1032 - £1164	£1300 x 75 - £1600
£1212 - £1314	£1550 x 75 - £1850
£1368 - £1584	£1725 x 75 - £2175
£1770 - £1890	£2300 consolidated
£2,292	£2500 "
£2,496	£2700 "
£3,102	£3300 "

DOCTORS

£972	£1,420	Pre-Reg. House Officer I
£1,020	£1,492	Pre-Reg. House Officer II

<u>Old Scale</u>	<u>Proposed Scale + 20% Contract Addition</u>
£1,392	£1,872 Senior House Officer
£1,452	£1,972 Registrar I
£1,512	£2,172 Registrar II
£1,776	£2,400 Senior Registrar I
£1,836	£2,500 " " II
£1,896	£2,600 " " III
£1,980	£2,700 " " IV

2. JOB EVALUATION - In respect of job evaluation of posts in this Hospital, the various Associations and Union expressed the following views:

- (a) The Association of Pensionable Senior Staff indicated that provided the new scales of salaries demanded by them are met, there would be no need for a job evaluation to be done except for posts which have no counterpart either in the Federal or State set up.
- (b) The Association of Resident Doctors accepts the principle of job evaluation. This will only be necessary if the Board of Management rejects the new salary scales recommended by a joint meeting of the various Associations and Union. The acceptance of the new scales of salary will in fact save the Board time and money so much needed for the expansion programme of the Hospital.

- (c) The Association of Staff Nurses rests its case on the implementation of the proposed scales of salaries.
- (d) The University College Hospital Workers' Union stated that they would not accept any reversion to the old salary scale, i.e. as at 31st March, 1970. They would submit to the appointment of Job Evaluation Committee in respect of those areas in which they disagreed with the Board's decisions. Such areas shall be made known to the Board as already indicated in sub-paragraph (b) of the Union's memorandum Ref. No. UCHWU/UM. Vol.2/56 dated 8th May, 1971.

If and when a Job Evaluation Committee is set up, the following conditions should be met:

1. Membership of the Job Evaluation Committee should be insulated from the Boards and the Staff Associations of both the University College Hospital, Ibadan and the Lagos University Teaching Hospital.
 2. The Federal Ministry of Establishment should be approached to appoint experts from its Organisation and Methods Division to carry out this exercise.
 3. While conceding the fact that the procedure for job evaluation is known to the experts, representatives of the groups expressed the desire that members of the staff should be interviewed individually and/or jointly.
 4. After the publication of the report of the Committee and before its implementation by the Board, the Board should allow for discussion in possible areas of disagreement.
3. NEW POSTS - Any new posts created after 31st March, 1970 should be submitted to job evaluation by the Organisation and Methods Division of the Federal Ministry of Establishment for grading provided such posts do not already exist at the Federal level.
4. REPRESENTATION ON THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF U.C.H. - It was decided that the various Associations and the Union of this Hospital, University College Hospital, Ibadan consider it imperative that the Board should be re-constituted to include one representative from each of the Associations and the Union, the Matron and a member of the Medical Advisory Committee.
5. RELATIONSHIP WITH THE LAGOS UNIVERSITY TEACHING HOSPITAL - It was decided that in view of the fact that each of the Two Teaching Hospitals i.e. Lagos University Teaching Hospital and the University College Hospital, Ibadan is under a separate legally constituted and autonomous Board of Management, the Associations and the Union move that the agreement reached separately between one Board and its employees should not necessarily be made binding on the other.
6. CONDITIONS FOR CALLING OFF THE INDUSTRIAL ACTION - It was decided that until agreement is reached between the Board and the workers on a satisfactory salary structure and a letter of implementation is sent to the Chief Accountant for the negotiated scales of salaries to be paid, the action will continue. The

Various Associations and the Union demand to be present collectively during the negotiation for the new scales of salary. The following will represent the various Associations:-

Association of Staff Nurses	3 representatives
Association of Resident Doctors	2 representatives
Association of Pensionable Senior Staff	3 representatives
University College Hospital Workers' Union	2 representatives
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7. NON-VICTIMISATION - It was also decided that no member of the Associations should be victimised for this industrial action in any way now or in the future by the Board or any of its agents or any Head of Department in the University College Hospital; and no member of the Associations who has worked in defiance of the action should be victimised by the respective Associations in any way.

(Sgd.) Mr. E. B. Williams	} representing the University College Hospital Workers' Union.
(Sgd.) Mr. M. N. Odiah	

(Sgd.) Miss V. M. Oke	} representing the Association of Pensionable Senior Staff
(Sgd.) Mr. J. O. Obiri	

(Sgd.) Dr. J. C. Ogbonnaya	} representing the Association of Resident Doctors
(Sgd.) Dr. S. O. Onabanjo	

(Sgd.) Mrs. E. Ette	} representing the Association of Staff Nurses
(Sgd.) Mrs. P. Shofu	

(Sgd.) Prof. T. F. Solanke W I T N E S S
Chairman, Medical Advisory Committee.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL
IBADAN NIGERIA.

CONFIDENTIAL

28th. April, 1971.

Ref. No. HG/CON.186

The Secretary,
Association of U.C.H. Pensionable Senior Staff,
University College Hospital,
Ibadan.

Dear Sir,

Further to my letter No. HG/CON.186 of 23rd April, 1971, I am writing to inform you that the Chairman of the Board of Management has directed that changes to the existing salary scales approved by the Joint Boards of University College Hospital, Ibadan and Lagos University Teaching Hospital at their meetings of the 19th and 21st April, 1971 be released to your Association.

2. The changes as they affect members of the Senior Staff are as follows:-

(a) Senior Administrative Assistant	£1,200-£1,500
(b) Chief Medical Lab. Technologist	£1,950-£2,175
(c) Pharmacist	£950-£1,150/£1,200- £1,600
(d) Superintendent Pharmacist	£1,650-£1,750
(e) Superintendent Physiotherapist)	
(f) Head Medical Social Worker)	£1,550x75-£1,850x50-
(g) Chief Radiographer)	£1,900
(h) Medical Records Officer	£1,725x75-£2,175
(i) Health Superintendent	£950-£1,150/£1,200- £1,300
(j) Laundry Manager	£1,200-£1,500
(k) Security Officer	£950-£1,150/£1,200- £1,300
(l) Assistant Matron	£1,550-£1,750
(m) Principal, School of Nursing	£1,725x75-£2,175
(n) Deputy Principal	£1,550-£1,850
(o) Nurse Tutor/Midwifery Tutor/ Sister Tutor	£1,200-£1,500
(p) Home Sister	£1,200-£1,500
(q) Tutor in General Studies	£950-£1,150/£1,200- £1,450

3. These changes will be deemed to have come into effect from the 1st of April, 1970.

Yours faithfully,

(L.B. Giwa)
for House Governor.

Ref. No. HG/CON.156

3rd May, 1971

TO: ALL HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS
ALL CONSULTANT STAFF OF THE HOSPITAL

Work-to-Rule

Since issuing my last circular letter informing you that the Medical Laboratory Technologists and the Staff Nurses had indicated their intention to commence 'work-to-rule' on 30th April and 2nd May 1971 respectively, I had received other letters from the Association of Pensionable Senior Staff, Association of Resident Doctors as well as the Pharmacists. All the letters had rejected the recent salary exercise carried out by the Boards of Management of the University College Hospital, Ibadan and the Lagos University Teaching Hospital at their meetings held on 19th and 21st April 1971. In addition, the letter from the Association of Pensionable Senior Staff had suggested the appointment of a Job Evaluation Committee and had indicated that unless this and other demands of the Association were met they would consider themselves free to resort to any industrial action any time from the 4th of May 1971.

On their own part, the Pharmacists had stated that they would commence 'work-to-rule' action from tomorrow, Tuesday, 4th May 1971 as follows:

Monday to Friday - 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Saturday - 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Sunday and Public
Holidays - Day-off

On Saturday, 1st May, at different periods, I met representatives of the Association of Resident Doctors, Association of Pensionable Senior Staff and Association of Staff Nurses to discuss their letters and to explore the possibility of persuading them to desist from the course of action which they were about to take. This morning also, I met in my office, representatives of Medical Laboratory Technologists. At each of the meetings, I had suggested that, since it appeared to some members of staff that the Board of Management had not treated them fairly in fixing various salary scales at the levels it did, the Board would be willing to consider appointing a Job Evaluation Committee consisting of experts outside the two Teaching Hospitals to carry out an evaluation of the functions of all grades of staff in this Hospital and to recommend to the Board salary scales for the various grades as appropriate, provided that

members of staff and the various Associations/Unions would be bound by the result of such job evaluation. I pointed out that in the meantime, the new salary scales approved by the Board of Management would be implemented and the whatever recommendation was made by the Job Evaluation Committee would, when accepted by the Board of Management, take effect from the 1st of April 1970. The representatives of the Associations agreed to consider this new proposal and to let me know in due course their reaction.

Sgnd. for HOUSE GOVERNOR.

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No. WR.Hb/370/Sec/6
Federal Ministry of Labour,
Ibadan, Nigeria.

14 May, 1971.

The Permanent Secretary,
Federal Ministry of Labour,
P. M. B. 12576,
Lagos.

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TRADE DISPUTE:
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL IBADAN

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Further to my report No. WR.Hb/370/Sec/1 of 13th May, 1971, I am to intimate that the negotiations between the Management Board and the four staff groups were concluded on Thursday at 3.30 a.m. Another compromise salary structure was agreed pending Government approval. The document carrying the compromise salary structures is attached herewith as annexure "A". One copy of the communique signed after the negotiations is attached as annexure 'B'. The release of the House Governor to Heads of Department is annexure 'C'.

2. The present position as indicated on some of the documents attached is that the industrial action continues until Government's position has been ascertained. It is not known how speedily Government is going to tackle the matter but it is probable that the Management Board would initiate the usual contacts to attempt to obtain expeditious clearance by Government.

3. I shall report further development.

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(O. A. AJAI)
AG. PRINCIPAL LABOUR OFFICER.

No. WR.Hb/370/Sec/6A
Federal Ministry of Labour,
Ibadan, Nigeria.

17 May, 1971.

Copy to:-

The Secretary to the
Military Government,
Governor's Office,
Ibadan.



For information.

(O. A. AJAI)
AG. PRINCIPAL LABOUR OFFICER.

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL, IBADAN

GROUP	POST	OLD SALARY	AGREED SALARY
4.	Principal Pharmacist Assistant House Governor Internal Auditor Matron Establishment Officer Deputy Chief Accountant Deputy Chief Engineer Chief Stores & Supplies Officer Instrument Engineer	£1770 - 1890	£2292
5.	Superintendent Pharmacist Chief Radiographer Supt. Lab. Technologist Supt. Physiotherapist Catering Officer Maintenance Officer Medical Records Officer Head, Medical Social Worker Deputy Matron Principal, School of Nursing	£1368 - 1584	£1725 - 2175
6. A.	Deputy Chief Stores & Supplies Officer	£1164 - 1584	£1350 - 2100
B.	Accountant	£ 972 - 1584	£1200 - 2100
7.	Superintendent Radiographer Snr. Lab. Technologist Senior Physiotherapist Laundry Manager Senior Electrical/Mech. Supt. Assistant Matron Deputy Principal, S. of N. Administrative Sisters Departmental Sisters Night Superintendent Home Sister Midwifery Superintendent Senior Health Visitor	£1212 - 1314	£1400 - 1850
7. A	Senior Med. Social Worker Adm. Asst. to House Governor Senior Adm. Assistant	£1164 - 1314	£1350 - 1850
8.	Deputy Catering Officer Deputy Maintenance Officer Assistant Instrument Engineer Senior Dietician Midwifery Tutor Nurse Tutor Snr. Occupational Therapist	£1032 - 1314	£1200 - 1850
8. A	Deputy Medical Records Officer Administrative Assistant	£996 - 1314 New post	£1200 - 1850 1100 - 1300
8. B	Pharmacist Tutor in General Studies	£924 - 1584 £720 - 1314	£950 Pupil £1200 - 1850 £950 - 1700
9.	Health Superintendent Ward Sisters Health Visitor Confidential Sec. Grd. I	£888 - 1164 New post	£950 - 1350 £1100 - 1350

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GROUP	POST	OLD SALARY	AGREED SALARY
10.	Radiographers Laboratory Technologists Physiotherapists Occupational Therapist Dietitians Deputy/Laundry Manager Mech/Elec. Superintendent Assist. Maintenance Officer	£684 - 1164	£950 - 1350
11.	Executive Officer (G. & D.) Supervisor of Med. Stenographer Confidential Sec. Grd. II Blood Donor Panel Organiser Security Officer Executive Officers (Accounts) Assist. Med. Record Officer Stores Officer Medical Social Worker	£648 - £960 £648 - 1116	£950 - 1200 £950 - 1350
11. A	Assistant Catering Officer) Cardiological Technician)	£684 - 996	£950 - 1250
	Deputy Principal Pharmacist	New Post	£2175 Consolidate
	Higher Executive Officer (Accts)	New Post	£1350 - 1650

RESIDENT DOCTORS

	OLD SALARY	AGREED SALARY	
House Officer 1st 6 months	£972	£1380	Including 20% Contract Addition
House Officer 2nd 6 months	£1020	£1460	
Senior House Officer	£1392	£1772)	
Registrar I	1452	1920)	
Registrar II	1512	2160)	
Senior Registrar I	1776	2292)	
Senior Registrar II	1836	2400)	
Senior Registrar III	1896	2496)	
Senior Registrar IV	1980	2598)	

STAFF NURSES

N.C.M.	-	-	£476-855	600 x 40; 1000 x 50
N.R.N.	-	-	£497-855	680 x 40; 1000 x 50
S.C.M. & S.R.N.	-	-	£596-855	720 x 40; 1000 x 50

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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT,
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL, IBADAN AND THE ASSOCIATION
RESIDENT DOCTORS, STAFF NURSES, PENSIONABLE SENIOR
STAFF AND THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL WORKERS'
UNION

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At a meeting between the Board of Management and the representatives of the above-named Associations/Union held in the Board Room on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 11th and 12th of May, 1971 when problems arising out of the recent salaries review were discussed, both sides agreed that the various salary scales indicated against the groups of Senior Staff and Staff Nurses of the Hospital in the Paper attached as Appendix 1 should be implemented earliest. It was further agreed that:

- (a) any arrears arising from this salary adjustment should be made effective from the 1st of April, 1970, i.e. the date the original salaries review came into operation;
- (b) the Staff Associations take note of the Chairman's statement that the terms of this Agreement have to be referred to the Government for approval and the Staff Associations have reserved to themselves the right of calling off their action after they have been notified of the Federal Military Govt's reaction;
- (c) no member of the Associations should be victimised for this industrial action in any way either now or in the immediate future by the Board or any of its accredited agents and no member of the Associations who has worked in defiance of the Associations' decision to 'work to rule' should be victimised by the respective Associations in any way.

2. With regard to the University College Hospital Workers' Union, it was agreed that after the implementation of the agreed revised salaries, every effort would be made to reconcile the junior and intermediate salary scales with the current Ani award as applied to the Universities in accordance with the undertaking in the Agreement between the Union and the Federal Ministry of Establishment.

For and on behalf of the Board
of Management, U.C.H.

(Sgd.) Prince S.I. Akenzua

(Sgd.) Prof. O. O. Akinkugbe

(Sgd.) Prof. O. A. Ojo

(Sgd.) Dr. E. A. B. Adenuga

(Sgd.) Mr. J. C. Obi

(Sgd.) Mr. S. A. Ladeinde

For the Association of Resident
Doctors

Dr. J.C. Ogbonnaya Dr. S.O.
Onabanjo

For the Association of Pensionable
Senior Staff

(Sgd.) Miss V. M. Oke (Sgd.) Mr. J.O.
Obiri

For the Association of Staff Nurses

(Sgd.) Mrs. E. Ette (Sgd.)

Mrs. P. Shofu

For the University College Hospital
Workers' Union

(Sgd.) Mr. M. N. Odiah

(Sgd.) Mr. E. B. Williams

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL, IBADAN

Ref. No. HG/CON.156

13th May, 1971

TO: ALL HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS
ALL CONSULTANT STAFF OF THE HOSPITAL.

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'Work to Rule'

Following the 'work to rule' action by the Association of Pensionable Senior Staff, Association of Resident Doctors and the Association of Staff Nurses and the series of discussion which I had with the groups concerned, the Medical Advisory Committee met on Saturday, 8th May 1971 to discuss the crisis. The Committee having been informed that a meeting of the Board of Management would take place on 11th May 1971 decided that the Chairman of the M.A.C., the House Governor, a member of the Board and Presidents and Secretaries of the various Association/Union should meet to resolve areas of disagreement and to submit a concerted recommendation to the Board of Management.

Accordingly, the representatives of the Staff Associations met in the Board Room on Sunday and Monday, the 9th and 10th of May 1971 respectively with Professor Solanke, Chairman of the Medical Advisory Committee presiding. I was also present at the meetings. At the end of the meetings, the Associations/Union forwarded a memorandum containing their decisions for the consideration of the Board. They also requested to be present collectively during consideration of the memorandum.

At a meeting between the Board of Management and the representatives of the Associations/Union held on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 11th and 12th of May 1971, the memorandum was exhaustively discussed and agreement was reached on the salary scales for the various grades of senior staff and for staff nurses. It was also agreed that

- (a) arrears arising from the salary adjustment should be made effective from the 1st of April, 1970, i.e., the date which the original salary review came into operation;
- (b) the terms of this agreement would have to be referred to the Federal Military Government for approval and that the Staff Associations would reserve to themselves the right to call off their action after they had been notified of the Government's reaction;

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- (c) no member of the Associations should be victimized for this industrial action in any way by the Board or its accredited agents and no member of the Associations who had worked in defiance of the Associations' decision to 'work to rule' should be victimized by the respective Associations.

With regard to the U.C.H. Workers' Union, it was agreed that after the implementation of the agreed revised salaries, every effort would be made to reconcile the junior and intermediate salary scales with the current Ani award as applied to the Universities and accordance with the undertaking in the agreement between the Union and the Federal Ministry of Establishment.

In the meantime, it should be assumed that the 'work to rule' action by the Association of Pensionable Senior Staff, Resident Doctors' Association and Association of Staff Nurses will continue until approval has been given by Government to the agreement reached with the Board of Management.

(Sgd.) ? ? ?
HOUSE GOVERNOR.

SECRET

SMG & HS,

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At p. 47, the Principal Labour Officer, Federal Ministry of Labour endorses to us the letter and attachments (pp. ¹⁶⁰⁻¹⁶⁴ 48-52) sent to the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Labour on the dispute between the Management of the U.C.H. and its workers.

2. Submitted for information, please.

(T. A. Owolabi)
S. S. O.

20/5/71

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~~160-164~~
~~48-52~~

D.P.S.

This shd. not have had anything to do with S.S.O. The pp. shd. also have been enclosed in a different file. Pls. arrange.

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SMG 21/5

C.R.

Main (relevant) file is now with P.S.; Pp. ¹⁶⁰⁻¹⁶⁴ 48-52 is, accordip to p. ¹⁵⁹ 47, a further report to the one sent on 13th May. Pl. arrange to merge and resubmit in appropriate file.

DPS

Pages 159 - 165 resubmitted pl.

D.P.S.
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P.C.R.
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SMG + HS.

Reference your minutes at p. 165, pp. 159-164
are now properly filed in this file - pl. see
my minutes to C.R. at bottom of p. 165.

2. I do not know how the pp. 159-164 -
which is a follow up report to that at pp. 149-158 -
got to the S.S.O. pl.

3. Papers may now be put away pl.?

J.D.P.S.
25/5/71

Yes pls.

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL, IBADAN

SCHOOL OF NURSING

PROGRAMME OF PRESENTATION OF MEDALS AND CERTIFICATES

SATURDAY, 14TH AUGUST, 1971

- 10.30 a.m. Her Excellency Mrs. Gowon and entourage arrive Ibadan Airport - They will be met by Her Excellency Mrs. Rotimi, Prince S.I.A. Akenzua, Chairman, Board of Management; Professor O. O. Akinkugbe, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine and Mr. S. A. Ladeinde, House Governor, U.C.H., Ibadan.
- 10.40 a.m. Leave Ibadan Airport for University College Hospital.
- 10.50 a.m. Her Excellency Mrs. Gowon and entourage arrive at the School of Nursing's entrance - to be introduced to the Principal, School of Nursing, U.C.H., Ibadan, Mrs. Alade; the Matron, University College Hospital, Ibadan, Mrs. Ogunlana and other officials.
- 10.57 a.m. Procession to the Assembly hall School of Nursing.
- 11.00 a.m. Graduation Ceremony:
- Presentation of bouquet to Her Excellency by Miss Victoria Bankole.
- Opening Remarks by the Chairman, Board of Management, Prince S.I.A. Akenzua.
- Report from the School by Mrs. O. O. Alade
- Report from the Nursing Service by the Matron, Mrs. A. O. Ogunlana
- Address to Graduating Nurses by Her Excellency Mrs. Victoria Gowon
- Announcement of Awards by Mrs. O. O. Alade
- Presentation of Medals and Certificates by Her Excellency Mrs. Victoria Gowon
- The Nurses' Pledge by the New Graduates

Vote of Thanks by Miss Felicia Onwuamah

Her Excellency inspects a Guard of Honour
composed of the New Graduates

(During this period, guests are requested
to remain seated).

RECEPTION:

For New Graduates and their guests, outside
the Assembly Hall of the School.

For the Guest of Honour and others with
special invitation, at the Trained Staff
Lounge.

VISIT TO THE HOSPITAL

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| 12.45 p.m. | Department of Chem.
Pathology | To be received by Dr. (Mrs)
G. O. Taylor Ag. Head of
Department |
| 12.55 p.m. | Medical Microbiology
Department | To be received by Professor
D. G. Montefiore, Head of Dept. |
| 1.05 p.m. | Radiology Department | To be received by Professor
S. P. Bohrer, Head of Dept. |
| 1.15 p.m. | West 3 - Medical Ward | To be received by: Dr. E. A. Lewis,
Ag. Head of Dept. of Medicine.
Mrs. R. Ademola, Sister i/c of
ward |
| 1.25 p.m. | Dialysing Room | To be received by Professor
O. O. Akinkugbe |
| 1.35 p.m. | South West 2 -
Paediatric Ward | To be received by: Dr. O. Seriki,
Ag. Head of Dept. of Paedia-
trics. Mrs. E. Onamade,
Sister i/c of ward |
| 1.45 p.m. | Board Room. | To be shown the plans of the proposed
expansion of the hospital and to sign the Visitors'
Book. |
| 2.00 p.m. | Her Excellency leaves for Government House. | |
| 2.30 p.m. | Lunch at Premier Hotel, Ibadan to be given by the
Chairman, Board of Management, Prince S. I. A. Akenzua. | |
| | (a) Toast of the Federal Military Government by
the Chairman. | |
| | (b) Toast of the Guest of Honour by Mrs. A. O. Ogunlana | |
| | (c) Response by Her Excellency Mrs Victoria Gowon | |
| | Toastmaster: Mr. S. A. Ladeinde. | |
| 4.00 p.m. | Move to Government House, Iyaganku | |
| 5.00 p.m. | Reception at Government House. | |
| 6.30 p.m. | Depart for Lagos. | |

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Office of the Vice-Chancellor

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S/S. 202

17th August, 1971

Professor T. A. Lambo, the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan has been appointed Assistant Director-General of the World Health Organizations, Geneva, and will assume duty on October 1st, 1971. He will be responsible for the Divisions of Medical Education and Training, Health Promotion and Health Protection, Pharmacology and Toxicology.

Professor Lambo graduated at Birmingham University in 1948. He became the first Professor of Psychiatry and Head of the Department of Psychiatry and Neurology in 1963 and became the Dean of Medical School of the University of Ibadan in 1966. He was appointed the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan in 1968.

Professor Lambo is the first African recipient of the Haile Selassie the 1st African Research Award which he received in 1970 and delivered this year's Jacques Parisot Lecture to the twenty-fourth World Health Assembly in Geneva. He has been for many years the Chairman of the Scientific Council for Africa and a pioneer of a new approach to mental health problems and application of mental health principles in Africa.

Assistant to the Vice-Chancellor

PROFESSOR T. ADEOYE LAMBO
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Professor Thomas Adeoye Lambo, O.B.E., M.B., Ch.B. (Birmingham), M.D. (Birm.), F.R.C.P. (Ed.), D.P.M. (Eng.), Hon. D.Sc. (A.B.U.), Hon. LL.D (K.S.U.), Hon. LL.D (Birm.). Professor of Psychiatry, University of Ibadan since 1963, born 29 March 1923 at Abeokuta, Nigeria. Educated Baptist Boys' High School, Abeokuta, University of Birmingham, and London University Institute of Psychiatry. Served since 1949 as House Surgeon and House Physician (Birmingham, England); Medical Officer, Lagos, Zaria and Gusau; Specialist, Western Region Ministry of Health, (1957), Consultant Psychiatrist, U.C.H., Ibadan; Senior Specialist, Western Region Ministry of Health, Neuro-Psychiatric Centre, 1960; Professor of Psychiatry and Head of the Department of Psychiatry and Neurology, University of Ibadan, April 1963 to date; Dean, Medical Faculty, University of Ibadan, 1966 to February 1968. Author of some 40 publications in medical and other scientific journals, as well as a number of monographs, including "Psychiatric Disorder among the Yorubas" (joint author) published by Cornell Medical Press, New York, 1963. Member of various international medical and scientific bodies, e.g. Scientific Council for Africa (Chairman, 1965); Expert Advisory Panel on Mental Health, W.H.O., since 1959; Chairman, U.N. Permanent Advisory Committee on Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders; Executive Committee World Federation for Mental Health, 1964; Scientific Advisory Panel, Ciba Foundation, 1966; Member, Advisory Scientific Panel, Centre for Advanced Study in the Developmental Sciences, 1967; Co-Chairman, International Society for the Study of Human Development, Geneva since 1968; Chairman, West African Examinations Council since 1969. Locally, Professor Lambo is a member of the Nigerian Medical Council and the West African Council for Medical Research.

Professor Lambo is married, and has three children.

PAS(G)

Correspondence from p. 169 is submitted
please.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

TELEPHONE: 21051 (13 LINES)

CABLES & TELEGRAMS: 'UNIVERSITY, IBADAN'

His Excellency,
Brigadier Oluwole Rotimi,
Governor of Western State of Nigeria,
Military Governor's Office,
Ibadan.

17 March, 1972

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Pse speak.

Your Excellency,

APRIL LECTURE

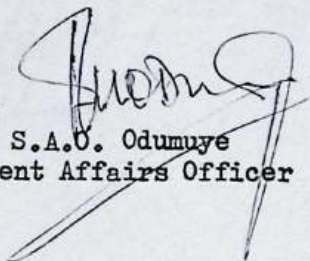
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23/3.

I have the honour to forward, enclosed, a letter from the Rational Club of this University asking if you would kindly deliver a lecture under their auspices.

The invitation has the approval of this University and it is recommended for your approval.

Yours sincerely,



S.A.O. Odumuye
Student Affairs Officer

Friday 28th April, 6 pm.

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RATIONAL CLUB
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN
IBADAN

PRESIDENT: DAPO OLUGE

BANKER: NATIONAL BANK

SECRETARY: IYI EWEKA

14 March, 1972.

Through: The Students Affairs Officer,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN.

To: His Excellency,
Brigadier Oluwole Rotimi,
Governor of Western State of Nigeria,
Military Governor's Office,
IBADAN.

Sir,

APRIL LECTURE

The executive and the entire members of the above-named Club have unanimously selected you to give us and the entire student body, a public lecture which is an item in our programme for April, 1972.

For the purposes of information, the Rational Club is an independent student body which examines issues on the guidelines of "truth, objectivity and justice." It is a Club which is out to moderate between extremes, seek and develop ideas for the betterment and governing of the community.

For this reason it aims: To promote friendship and goodwill among students all over the world through rational examination of issues; to foster internal harmony and friendly relations among the students of this University by de-tribalisation, to work for the relaxation of world tension through the principle of non-violence; to work with other societies or organizations of similar aims and aspirations for world peace through total disarmament; and finally, to arouse students political, social, intellectual and aesthetic consciousness.

In the light of the stated aims above, it would delight us if you would chose a topic which would reflect our aspirations as well as National and students Welfare by and large. We hope you would pardon us for our inability to chose a topic for you?

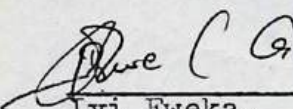
If accepted, we should be obliged, if the lecture holds anytime as from the second week of April preferably Friday or Saturday at either 6 p.m. or 8 p.m. subject to our convenience and yours.

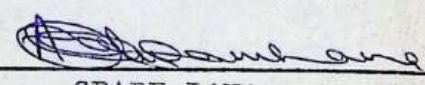
We wish to conclude sir, that your lecture would be highly invaluable to us in view of the fact that we would be hearing from one of our highly placed alumnus of this premier University who has through ~~Sheer~~ struggle and majesty of God and grace become the Head of State in Western Nigeria.

We should be highly honoured if our invitation is accepted.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours faithfully,


Iyi Eweka,
SECRETARY (R.C.)


GBADE LANA
SOCIAL SECRETARY/HEAD OF
SOCIAL BUREAU.

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28 March, 1972.

Mr. Iyi Dweka,
Secretary,
Rational Club,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN.

April Lecture

His Excellency the Military Governor has directed me to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter dated 14th March, 1972, and to inform you that he is pleased to accept the invitation to deliver a lecture at the University of Ibadan. The date fixed ~~by~~ His Excellency is Friday, 28th April at 6 p.m.

*Issued
Rt. Hon.
28/3/72*

A. O. Adebayo
(A. O. ADEBAYO)
for Secretary to the Military
Government & Head of Service.

Ref. No. SP/S.202/173A
Ibadan. 28 March, 1972.

Copy to:

Mr. S. A. O. Odumuye,
Student Affairs Officer,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN.

Above for information with reference to your letter dated 17th March, 1972, addressed to His Excellency the Military Governor on the subject of the invitation to His Excellency by the Rational Club of Ibadan University.

A. O. Adebayo
(A. O. ADEBAYO),
for Secretary to the Military
Government & Head of Service.

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His Excellency,
Brigadier Oluwole Rotimi,
Military Governor,
Western State,
Ibadan.

Dear Sir,

APRIL LECTURE

We wish to refer to your recent letter to us and to thank you for accepting our invitation to deliver a public lecture here on April 28, 1972, at 6 p.m.

We are happy to inform you that we are making adequate arrangements with the Ministry of Information (West) Press and Radio and a large audience to witness the occasion.

We shall, however, be pleased if you would let us know as quickly as possible the topic of the lecture so as to include this in the posters and handbills we shall be printing out for the information of the public.

Yours truly,

Gbade Lana,
Social Secretary/Head of Social Bureau.

8th April, 1972.

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// April, 1972.

Mr. Dapo Oluge,
Sultan Bello Hall,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN,
Nigeria.

April Lecture

I refer to your letter dated 8th April, 1972, addressed to His Excellency the Military Governor on the subject of the lecture to be delivered by him to your Club at the close of this month. The subject of the lecture will be 'The Military Regime and National Development Process.'

Issued

AKK.

12/4/72

A. O. Adebayo
(A. O. ADEBAYO),
for Secretary to the Military
Government & Head of Service.

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submitted please

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CR

19/4/72

Y.E.

pp. 172-175. I submit at
b.c. a draft for Y.E.'s lecture
at the University of Ibadan on
Friday, April 28th.

Augustine Sebaye
A.S. omk
21/4/72

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NOTE

Above. I have sent a copy of the
draft to the Chief Information Officer
for copies to be made for distribution
to the audience; I have also requested
him to arrange for publicity.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

PRO-CHANCELLOR & CHAIRMAN OF COUNCIL:

CHIEF THE HONOURABLE SIR SAMUEL MANUWA
C.M.G., O.B.E., C.St.J., M.D. (Edin.), F.R.C.S., F.R.C.P., F.A.C.S., F.A.C.P.,
Hon. LL.D. (Edin.), Hon. D.Sc. (Nig.), Hon. D.Sc. (Ibadan), Hon. D.Litt. (Ife),
F.R.S. (Edin.), F.R.S.A.



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25th April, 1972

Professor G.M. Edington, C.B.E.
Ag. Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

My Dear Vice-Chancellor;

Acquisition of Land for University Farm

You will recall that the Council had for some time now been wanting a Delegation to interview His Excellency the Governor of the Western State about the above subject.

I saw His Excellency personally this morning. He informed me that he would be very glad to receive our Delegation but that you should write to him first, to explain the object of the interview, after which he will fix a suitable date.

Would you kindly write to His Excellency accordingly, forwarding a copy of your letter to Mr. Peter Odumosu, the Secretary to the Government of Western State ?

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

S.L.A. Manuwa,
Pro-Chancellor & Chairman of Council.

✓cc: Mr. Peter Odumosu
Professor V.A. Oyenuga

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Vice-Chancellor:

T. Adeoye Lamb, Ch.B., M.D., F.R.C.P.Ed.,



Telephone: Ibadan 23248 (Direct line)
Cables and Telegrams: University Ibadan

IBADAN, NIGERIA

27th April, 1972

The Military Governor,
Western State of Nigeria,
Ibadan.

Your Excellency,

CR,
B.U. to me in file by hand.
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I have the honour to refer to the meeting of 28th October, 1971 held between the representatives of the Ministry of Lands and Housing (Mr. J. M. Akinola, Permanent Secretary, Chief S. O. Oyediran, Chief Land Officer and Mr. P. Akadiri, Land Officer) and the representatives of the University of Ibadan (Prof. T. A. Taylor, Mr. H. Preston, Mr. S. J. Okudu and Mr. Bayo Adeyinka) in respect of the acquisition of land by the University of Ibadan.

The points settled at the meeting were as follows:

- (1) that the Ministry of Lands and Housing had completed a survey description of the land proposed to be acquired and would soon complete the valuation to assess the compensation payable;
- (2) that although the new site could be occupied before compensation for land was paid, it was essential to pay compensation for crops before taking possession;
- (3) that the University was anxious to take possession of the land urgently and that Government should do its best to enable the University to achieve that end;
- (4) that as soon as compensation liability for the proposed acquisition is assessed, a meeting should be arranged at which the University and the Ministry of Lands and Housing would discuss the outstanding issues with officials from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing.

I also wish to make reference to the antecedents to this land acquisition, which initially was in respect of some 1,250 acres of land contiguous to the present University site and gazetted as having been allocated to the University. Your Excellency will find attached to this letter a summary of events on this matter with particular reference to

- (1) the amount so far spent by the University on the original allocation of 1,250 acres of land mentioned above.
- (2) the alternative proposals by the Western State Government for the acquisition of a piece of land contiguous to and lying on the west of the former 1,250 acres of land.

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The need for the University to take possession of this piece of land is most urgent now. I should be grateful therefore if Your Excellency would grant me an audience to discuss this matter with you with a view to finalising all arrangements for the acquisition of the land in question.

I am Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

G.M. Edington

(G.M. Edington),
Acting Vice-Chancellor

cc: Mr. Peter Odumosu, ✓
Secretary, to the Military
Government of Western State

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing

Dean of Agriculture,

The Acting Registrar

SMG + HS

Pp 179/180 are submitted as
directed please.

(*Signature*)

CR 28/4/72.

Y.E.

Above. If Y.E. will kindly indicate when you can receive the U.I. delegation, officials of Min. of Lands & Housing will be asked to be in attendance.

Signature 28/4

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Vice-Chancellor:

T. Adeoye Lambo, O.B.E., M.B., Ch.B., M.D., F.R.C.P.Ed.,
D.P.M., Hon. D.Sc.



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IBADAN, NIGERIA

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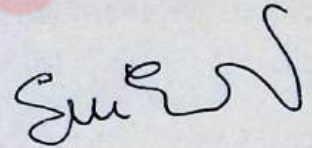
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Your Obedient Servant



(G. M. Edington),
Acting Vice-Chancellor

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

Notes on Land Acquisition

1. Land was originally allotted in 1946 but the site was acquired in two portions:-
 - (a) 1,600 acres were acquired in 1947/48 but 300 acres were later made available to the Nigerian College of Arts, Science & Technology. The present University site is, therefore, 1,300 acres.
 - (b) The second area is 1,250 acres and was gazetted on the 20th August, 1953. This area, contiguous to the first area, is always referred to as the "Second Acquisition".
2. In the early days, the Second Acquisition did not exercise much attention from the University, as it was not then urgently required.
3. In the summer of 1955, the University began to give thought to the Second Acquisition and soon afterwards there commenced a massive correspondence on steps to be taken, including the question of compensation to villagers, farmers, etc. This correspondence has gone on from 1955 until the present day and has involved:-

Sir Sydney Phillipson }
 Sir Francis Ibiam } Chairmen of Council

 Principal Saunders
 Principal Parry
 Principal (later Vice-Chancellor) Dike
 Ag. Vice-Chancellor Harris
 Vice-Chancellor Lambo
 The Registrar (Adamolekun)
 The Bursar (Allport)
 The Bursar (Preston)
 The Estate Manager (Chubb)
 The Estate Officer (Adeyinka)

 Various Ministries (Federal and Western) but mainly the
 Ministry of Lands, Western Nigeria.
4. It was not, however, until the early 1960's that matters began to accelerate. In the Federal Government Capital Quinquennium Plan 1962/67 for the University, there was a sum of £70,000 for "Acquisition of the remainder of the Site" and by the 30th June, 1964, the University had spent £57,804 from this grant in various payments to the Ministry of Lands, Western Nigeria.
5. During 1963, the question of compensation to the occupiers of various parcels of land in the Second Acquisition began to be dealt with by the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Housing, Western Nigeria, whose responsibility it was to assess measurements, compensation calculations and validity of entitlements. From time to time during 1963 (and up to December in that year), the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Lands requested cheques from the University in order to meet agreed compensation claims and, as outlined in 4. above, a sum of £57,804 was paid out. The University holds receipts from those compensated.
6. By May 1964, however, it was clear that there were difficulties about the University being permitted to occupy the Second Acquisition of land, due to disputes between many of the occupants and the

Ministry of Lands (West) on compensation claims.

The attached copies of documents are relevant here:-

- (i) Letter dated 17th October, 1964, from the Vice-Chancellor to the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Housing, Western Region.
- (ii) Reply dated 13th November, 1964 to (i) above from the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Lands & Housing.

7. Correspondence continued to flow throughout 1965 but there was a lull during 1966.
8. The Building, Works & Sites Committee of this University at its meeting on the 7th March, 1967, minuted as follows:-

"Minute No.640 - New Land Acquisition:

The Secretary reported on meetings he and the Estate Officer had had with the Principal Lands Officer, Western Region during February 1967. Although it was likely that legal action would be taken against the Western Regional Government by some tenants in connection with their claim that compensation had, in some cases, been paid to the wrong persons, nevertheless the Principal Lands Officer, Western Region would be sending at an early date, a request to the Federal Lands Department for the issue of a certificate of occupancy to the University of Ibadan. It was expected that the University would be able to take over the New Land Acquisition not later than October 1967."

9. The certificate of occupancy was issued by the Chief Federal Lands Officer on the 5th April, 1967, and forwarded to the University (through the Ministry of Lands, Western Nigeria) on the 2nd May, 1967. In the same letter, the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Lands advised the University not to exercise its right to possession until the matter of the disputed claims had been finally disposed of.
10. The Building, Works & Sites Committee, at its meeting on the 3rd October, 1967, minuted as follows:-

"Minute No.682 - New Land Acquisition:

The Secretary and the Estate Officer reported on events during the long vacation, when Professor Bowden sent a gang of labourers to commence under-brushing the area opposite the present farm boundary along the River Ona. They were evicted by residents of Ajibode Village. The Secretary reported that the Chief Accountant and the Estate Officer had seen the Permanent Secretary, Lands Division, Western State and that the University Solicitor had been asked to take this matter up.

The Secretary also reminded the Committee that the University obtained a certificate of occupancy from the Chief Federal Lands Officer on the 5th April, 1967.

Discussion took place as to whether or not the Ag. Vice-Chancellor and the Bursar should seek an interview with the Military Governor, Western State on this issue but this approach was finally rejected. It was agreed that a Contractor be employed to commence under-brushing in the appropriate area of the New Acquisition and that the police be notified in advance in case difficulties arose. It was also agreed that entry into the New Acquisition was part of the overall soil survey, which was fundamental to the functional allocation of the whole area."

11. In the meanwhile, the Ag. Vice-Chancellor had requested an aerial and land survey by Canadian Aero Services Ltd. and, on the 5th March, 1968, the Building, Works & Sites Committee/minutes as follows:-
 /of this University

"Minute No. 716 - New Land Acquisition:

In order to release the Registrar quickly, this Agenda item (No.8) was taken first.

The Registrar reported on the two meetings he and the Bursar had had with H.E. the Military Governor, Western State on the 22nd February, 1968, and the 28 February, 1968. These meetings were arranged following a report from Canadian Aero Services Ltd., who had been carrying out an aerial and land survey under contract to the University, that in mid-February their men had been driven out of the area and their marking posts destroyed.

The Registrar reported that:-

- (i) The Governor had agreed that the problem was one for the Western State Government, and that the University is entitled to enter the land at any time, though he advised that the University should not do so until he was sure that there would be no trouble.
- (ii) The Governor had already commissioned the Commissioner for Lands to deal with the problem and it was expected that information would be available for the University within approximately two weeks.

After discussion, it was agreed that the Registrar and Bursar should raise this matter again with H.E. the Governor after two weeks and that, if there were still problems at that time, the Chairman of the Council should be informed."

12. On the 14th May, 1968, the Buildings, Works and Sites Committee/minutes as follows:
 of this University

"Minute No. 716 - New Land Acquisition

The Secretary reported that this long standing problem had been resolved by H.E. the Military Governor, Western State and the Ministry of Lands, Western State, and that the Vice-Chancellor, Registrar, Bursar and Estate Officer had paid an official visit to the New Land Acquisition on the 16th April, 1968. The Committee noted this information with satisfaction.

13. Notwithstanding 12 above, during the period June 1968 to December 1968, the Canadian Aero Services Ltd. team were unable to enter the land to carry out their survey (i.e. the villagers would not permit them to do so) but the firm were able, with police protection, to complete the field survey in February 1969.
14. The Bursar's records are blank between March 1969 and February 1971, when the Dean of the Faculty of Agriculture submitted a memorandum to the Building, Works and Sites Committee with alternative proposals by the Western State Government for New Land Acquisition (Minutes date 16th February, 1971).

15. On the 27th April, 1971, the Building, Works and Sites Committee resolved that the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar should be asked to see His Excellency the Governor of the Western State on this matter.

16. In the event, a preliminary meeting took place early this academic year in the offices of the Ministry of Lands, Western State, which was attended by Professor T.A. Taylor, the Acting Registrar, the Bursar and the Estate Officer. A record of this meeting is with the Acting Vice-Chancellor and the Estate Officer. The facts were reiterated and the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Lands promised to speed up procedures so that the University could occupy the suggested alternative Second Acquisition, which is an area to the west of and contiguous to the original Second Land Acquisition and roughly the same acreage. Little progress seems to have been made.

17. Council during the year 1970/71, and again during the present academic year, has been kept fully informed.

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P/L.8

17th October, 1964.

Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands & Housing,
Western Region,
IBADAN.

Dear Sir,

Second Land Acquisition

I am writing to draw your attention to the situation with regard to our Second Land Acquisition.

As you know, the University has been pressing very hard for action to be taken to enable us to acquire areas for which we have paid full compensation, but in spite of our efforts no energetic action has been taken to bring about our effective occupation of the area in question. May I briefly state the position as it is at present?

On 12th May, 1964 a meeting was held at Ajibode village at which representatives of the University of Ibadan, the villagers concerned and the Ministry of Lands and Housing were present. The purpose of the meeting was to acquaint all concerned with our intention to enter the land, which was acquired by the Federal Government on behalf of the University of Ibadan as far back as 1953. It was quite evident at this meeting that there were disputed claims to some areas for which compensation had been paid. It was agreed at this meeting that in order to settle these claims Government surveyors should be sent to the land to chart out the various plots.

On 3rd April, 1964, I wrote to the Ministry of Lands and Housing, Ibadan, asking them to include the piece of land under reference in their general survey of Ibadan district, which was about to be undertaken. In a letter No. L.3851/D/67 of 6th April, 1964 the Ministry replied that "Arrangements are now being made to send an Inspector of Lands to the site to clear all the unlawful occupiers." On 20th June, 1964, the Ministry wrote to say that arrangements would be made to carry out a contour survey of the land as soon as the demarcation of the perimeter of the site was completed. Just three weeks ago the perimeter survey of the site began under police protection.

May I stress that the University can ill afford to wait any longer before entering the land, which we urgently require for very important teaching and research programmes. As I said earlier, the site was acquired as far back as 1953 and in law we are entitled to enter it, especially as the compensation due has been paid by the University through the Ministry of Lands and Housing.

The whole question of taking possession of the land now revolves on the claims and counter-claims notices, some of which I have been receiving in my office. On investigation from the Ministry I was informed that they too had received notices of such counter-claims. As you know, we have paid a total sum of £57,803. 17s. 10d as compensation through the Ministry to cover the value of land and crops.

The only item for which compensation has not been paid are the buildings which in our estimation are not worth more than £3,000. In any case no compensation should be paid for structures put up or crops planted after the Gazette Notice of the acquisition in 1953.

The hostility of the villagers towards our efforts at taking possession of the land, together with what most of us consider the unco-operative attitude of Mr. P.G. Brownlow, reinforce my impression that compensation has been paid to the wrong persons. All along Mr. Brownlow had taken no positive step to make the land available to us although we have repeatedly urged him to do so. The last time my officers met him was on 1st July, 1964 - the day we had planned to enter the land - but he told us that entry was impossible in face of the counter-claims.

In view of all I have said, you will agree that we have been most unfairly treated in this matter. We have fulfilled our own part of the obligation in every respect, and if compensation was paid to the wrong persons that is no fault of ours but the responsibility of the Ministry.

I should be most grateful if you would let us have, as a matter of urgency, the Deed of Assignment of the Acquisition; and as we are now most anxious to enter the land I must also ask you:

- (a) when you will complete the perimeter survey of the site, and
- (b) when you hope to complete the topographical survey.

We definitely intend to enter the land by the end of the year and I shall be most grateful if you will take the necessary measures to enable us to do this without hindrance.

Yours sincerely,

(Sgd.) (K.O. Dike)
Principal & Vice-Chancellor

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C O P Y

TELEGRAMS: PERMLAND

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PRIVATE MAIL BAG No. 5146

MINISTRY OF LANDS AND HOUSING

IBADAN WESTERN NIGERIA

Your Ref. No. P/L8.

13th November, 1964.

Further communications on this subject should be addressed to the Permanent Secretary quoting

Our Ref. No. L.S. 158/613

SECRET

Sir,

Second Land Acquisition

I acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 17th October, 1964.

It was only in May, 1964, that is after the meeting referred to in the third paragraph of your letter under reference, that it came to my notice that there were difficulties in the University taking possession of the land in question. Steps were immediately taken, of which you are aware, to cause these difficulties removed.

However, I regret that it is not possible yet to provide you with a Deed of Assignment as the perimeter survey must first be completed before a Certificate of Title can be obtained. After the Certificate of Title has been obtained, then a Deed of Assignment can be prepared. It is hoped that the perimeter survey will be completed about the end of the current month, the topographical survey being completed about a month later, that is, about the end of December, 1964.

It would give me a great pleasure indeed if we could place you in occupation of the land by the end of the year but there are some practical difficulties which must be cleared. Some of the people now living on the land have expressed their unwillingness to accept cash as compensation for the land they claim they own. They would rather have another land in exchange for the one from which they have been ordered to quit. At my request, the claimants' solicitor, Chief A.M.A. Akinloye, came to see me a few days ago and he has suggested that an adequate area of land be acquired on the other side of Oyo Road to which the claimants should be moved. This suggestion is being actively pursued and it is hoped that everyone connected with this matter will co-operate to make it possible for the University to enter the land as soon as practicable.

I am, Sir,
Yours obedient servant,

(Sgd.) N.O.A. Akinyemi
Permanent Secretary
Ministry of Lands and Housing.

The Principal & Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN.

SP/S.202/190

2 May, 1972

Mr. J. M. Akinola,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Ibadan.

Acquisition of land by the
University of Ibadan

With reference to a letter dated 27th April, 1972 addressed to His Excellency the Military Governor by the Acting Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan and copy to you on the above subject, His Excellency has agreed to receive a delegation of the University at 10 a.m. on 12th May, 1972 to discuss the matter. It is His Excellency's desire that your Commissioner and other officials concerned should be present at the meeting.

2. In the meantime, will you kindly furnish in duplicate brief for His Excellency's information on the subject. The brief should cover the point as to whether it is possible for the University of Ibadan to enter into physical possession of the land immediately.



(P. T. Odumosu),
Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

B.V. by hand. 9.5.72. ✓

12 noon on 9/5/72

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SP/S.202/191

3rd May, 1972

The Acting Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Sir,

Acquisition of land by the University of Ibadan

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I am directed by His Excellency the Military Governor to refer to your letter of 27th April, 1972 and to inform you that you can call on him (in his office) at 12 noon on Tuesday, 9th May, 1972, to discuss the subject matter of the letter.

Yours faithfully,



(F. B. A. Conde),
for Secretary to the Military Government.

Our Ref.No.SP/S.202/191^A

Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

3rd May, 1972.

Copy to:

Mr. J. M. Akinola,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Ibadan.

P.190
For your information please, with reference to the discussion you had with Mr. Odumosu this morning. This amends the information given in my letter No. SP/S.202/190 of 2nd May 1972 about the date and time of the interview to be granted the Vice-Chancellor of the University.



(F. B. A. Conde),
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.



See P.193

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c/s to SMG & HS ~~48~~ 4/5/22

To note p191, please.

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The As. P.C. has confirmed the
appt given in the letter overleaf.

It file his letter and resubmit
file by hand on the morning (8 am)
of 9/5.

Adde
5/5.

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

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Acting Vice-Chancellor:

G. M. EDINGTON, C.B.E., M.D. (Glas.), F.R.C.P., F.R.C. Path.,
D.C.P., D.T.M. & H.



CABLES & TELEGRAMS: 'UNIVERSITY, IBADAN'

4th May, 1972

Secretary to the Military Government,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.



Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter reference SP/S.202/191 of 3rd May, 1972. I shall be honoured to call on His Excellency the Military Governor at 12 noon on Tuesday, 9th May accompanied by Professor V.A. Oyenuga and the Acting Registrar, Mr. S.J. Okudu.

Yours faithfully,

(G.M. Edington),
Acting Vice-Chancellor

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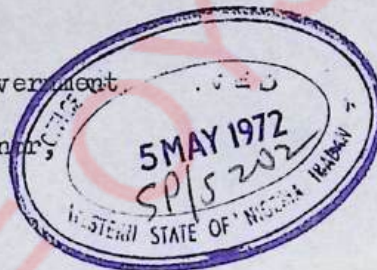
Your Ref. No.....

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Permanent Secretary quoting

Our Ref. No. LS. 158/S.1/1255.

Date 4 May, 1972.

Mr. P. T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government,
and Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.



Acquisition of land by the
University of Ibadan

I refer to your letter No. SP/S.202/190 of the 2nd of May, 1972 and our telephone conversation of yesterday on the subject during which I informed you that both my Commissioner and I would be in Lagos attending a meeting of the National Council on Housing on the 11th and 12th instant; this trip was previously approved in writing by His Excellency the Military Governor. You may wish to call His Excellency's attention to the clash of dates in case His Excellency may wish to appoint another date for the proposed meeting with the Acting Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan.

C.R.

This has already been
taken care of.
Pl file away.

(J. M. Akinola),
Permanent Secretary.

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TELEGRAMS: PERMLAND
PRIVATE MAIL BAG No. 5146

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MINISTRY OF LANDS

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IBADAN · WESTERN STATE OF NIGERIA**

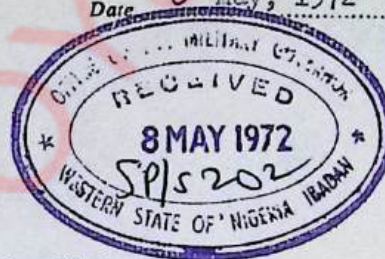
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Further communications on this
subject should be addressed to the
Permanent Secretary quoting

Our Ref. No. LS.158/S.1/Vol.5/1257.

Date 8th May, 1972

The Secretary to the Military
Government and Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.



Acquisition of Land for Ibadan University

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JBC
I refer to paragraph 2 of your letter No. SP/S.202/190
of the 2nd instant and forward herewith two copies of a brief
on the subject for His Excellency's use.

(J. M. Akinola)
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands & Housing.

SECRET

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Acquisition of land for the University of Ibadan

1st Acquisition:

By Government Notice No. 1373 of 28/8/48, published in the Nigerian Gazette No. 44 Volume 35 of 26/8/48, the then Nigeria Government acquired about 1610 acres of land on the Ibadan/Oyo Road near Bodija for the establishment of the University of Ibadan. The area became known as the University first acquisition. Compensation was paid for land and crops and a Certificate of Title was obtained in 1956. The land has been occupied and developed and is the present premises of the University. The acquisition had been completed.

2nd Acquisition:

In 1953, the then Nigerian Government published an Acquisition Notice No. 1151 dated 3/8/53 in the Nigeria Gazette No. 49 on 20/8/53 to acquire an area of about 1,271 acres of land north of the first acquisition. This area is known as the University of Ibadan second acquisition. A Certificate of title was obtained in 1965.

Payment of compensation on the second acquisition:

Attached to this memorandum is a plan marked Annexure 'X' showing the second acquisition. Compensation was paid to a number of individual claimants in the area marked 'A' on the plan. A sum of £17,524:13/- was paid as land compensation to one Mogaji Toki who was represented by Mr. Kola Gbadamosi as his Solicitor over the area marked 'B' on the plan and consisting of about 573.69 acres. A sum of £9,075: 6/- was similarly paid as land compensation to one Lasisi Akano who was represented by Mr. S. O. Ige as Solicitor over an area of about 288.78 acres which is marked 'C' on the plan. Compensation has not been paid for the area marked 'D'. So far, the total compensation paid for land, crops and buildings amounted to £116,982:10:6d, made up of £73,175:14:9d for land and £43,806:15:9d for crops and buildings.

Arising from the continued resistance of the villagers to the repeated requests of the University authorities to vacate the site, it was reported that Mogaji Toki and Lasisi Akano might not be the true owners of the land for which they had claimed and received compensation. The suspected fraudulent claims were brought to the notice of the Police who have not reported their findings. The alleged fraudulent claims featured in the Odunton Enquiry into the Lands Division.

Following an advice from the Ministry of Justice, the conflicting claims between Mogaji Toki and Lasisi Akano respectively on the one hand and the alleged rightful owners on the other were referred to the High Court for a decision in order to ascertain the true owners of the land. The Courts decision on the case which has been part heard is awaited. If Mogaji Toki and Lasisi Akano fail in the case now before the Courts, they will be requested to refund the compensation paid to them on the face of the Certificates of Indemnity signed by them. The money so recovered will be applied in paying the compensation to the alleged rightful owners.

Opposition to the Acquisition:

The inhabitants of the acquisition area, particularly those in Ajibode village demonstrated opposition against the acquisition, and refused to vacate the area as according to them, it was the last land they had having being dispossessed of the area of the first acquisition. They petitioned that they should be left alone.

Amendment to the second Acquisition:

Mr. Adeoye Adisa, when he was Commissioner for Lands and Housing, held series of meetings with the alleged rightful owners at the end of which it was agreed to amend the boundaries of the second acquisition to exclude the area covered by the petition. A Land Officer thereafter conducted officials of the University to inspect the revised boundaries and the officials expressed satisfaction at the new site. The next step was to obtain the

necessary information for the publication of a fresh Acquisition Notice by the Chief Federal Land Officer. A survey description of the revised boundaries is attached to this Memorandum as Annexure 'Y'.

On 28/10/71 a meeting was held in the Ministry of Lands and Housing between officials of the Ministry and those of the University. The following points were settled at the meeting:

- (i) that the Ministry of Lands and Housing had completed a survey description of the land proposed to be acquired and would soon complete the valuation to assess the compensation payable.
- (ii) that although the new site could be occupied before compensation for land was paid, it was essential to pay compensation for crops before taking possession;
- (iii) that the University was anxious to take possession of the land urgently and that Government should do its best to enable the University to achieve that end;
- and (iv) that as soon as compensation liability for the proposed acquisition is assessed, a meeting should be arranged at which the University and the Ministry of Lands and Housing will discuss the outstanding issues with officials from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing.

Valuation of land, crops and buildings on the alternative site:

By a letter dated 24/11/71, the Ministry of Agriculture and Natural Resources was requested to supply an estimate of the compensation payable for crops on the land. A reminder was sent on 22/3/72. The information is awaited.

Officials from the Ministry of Lands and Housing visited the site with a view to measuring the building in the villages for compensation purposes. They visited Lalemi, Tanimajo, Adeoshun, Gbagbo and Ige Oloro villages. The villagers were hostile to the officials and did not allow them to take any measurements of the buildings.

In order to pacify the villagers, one Mr. Roberts of the Agricultural Department of the University promised to arrange a

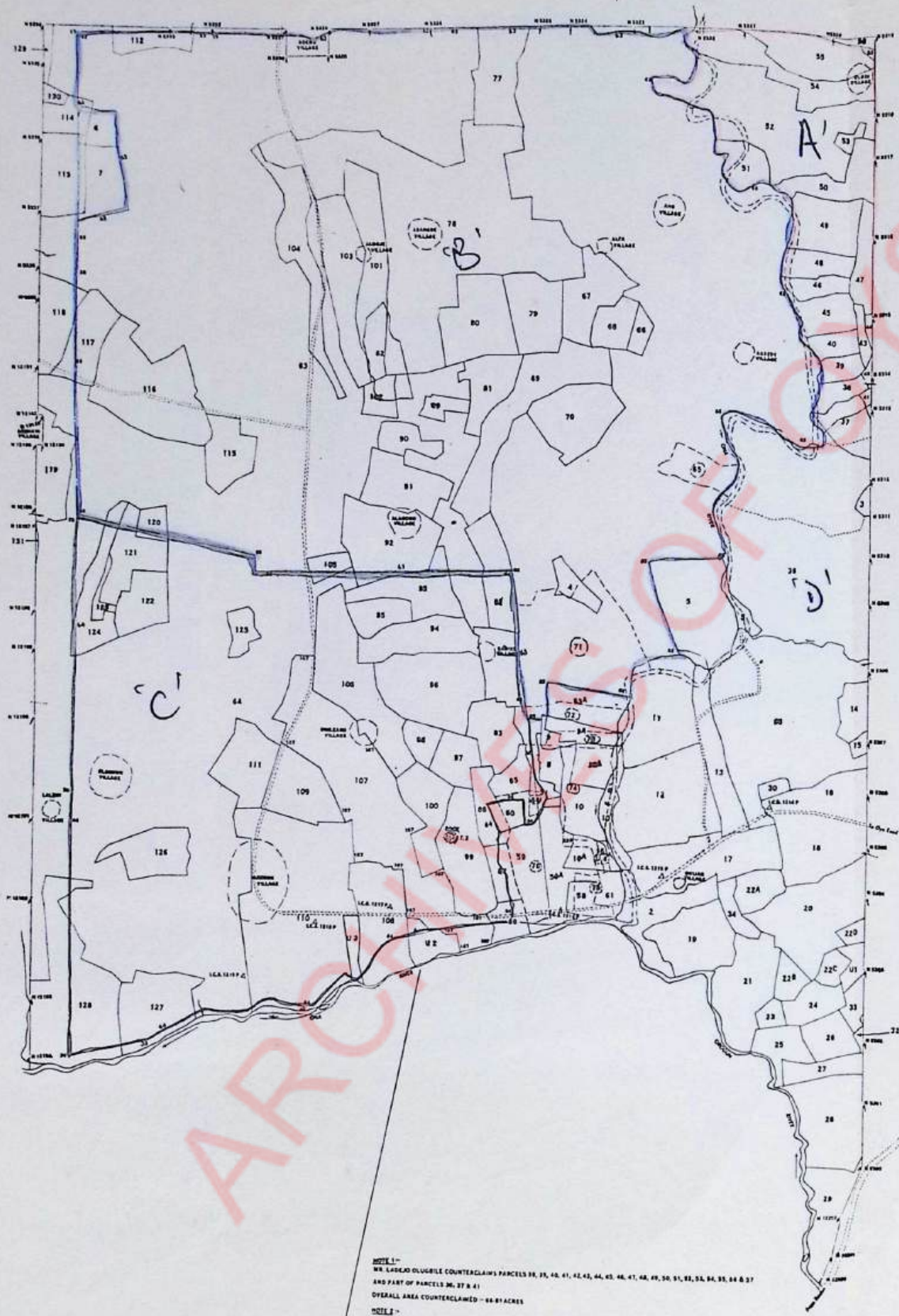
meeting between the Clubadan and one Mr. Akinlade who is a spokesman of the villagers. In addition to the reports which Roberts might have passed to the University authorities, a report on the un-cooperative attitude of the inhabitants of the acquisition area was conveyed to the Deputy Vice Chancellor of the University vide a letter from the Ministry dated 30/3/72.

Owing to the hostile attitude of the villagers, it is not possible for the University to enter into physical possession of the land immediately. It is not considered that the proposal to amend the boundaries of the acquisition as suggested by Mr. Adeoye Adisa should be pursued. This is because the inhabitants of the new area have relatives in the area proposed to be released and have got the wind of why the former area was being released. Naturally, they too have raised opposition to their land being acquired. It is considered that a high powered meeting should be arranged with the villagers of the original second acquisition to persuade them to permit the University to enter and occupy the land assuring them that the Government would meet its obligations to pay compensation. This method is preferable to the use of force.

It may be pointed out that since the land acquisition is for the Federal Government, the Ministry of Lands and Housing performed all the activities referred to above and will continue to do so until the acquisition is completed as an Agent of the Federal Government.

CLAIMS PLAN
OF
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN SECOND ACQUISITION
IBADAN
IBADAN PROVINCE
(COMPILED OF PLANS NOS. 18, 946 & 18, 1040)
PLAN No. 18, 1042

Scale - 1200 Feet to an Inch



PARCEL NO.	CLAIMANT(S)	AREA (ACRES)
1	LADSI AKARO	1.51
2	ALAO ADEJUNGB	6.43
3	ALAO ADEJUNGB	0.54
4	TULANI ATULANI ALABA FAMILY	1.81
5	AKINOLA ADEGBOLA	11.71
6	WILLO ATINLA AKINLOGBUN	8.07
7	MOHAMMED RAJI AKINLU	4.82
8	SALAU OGUNWALA	1.34
9	UNCLAIMED	0.97
10	JEMINATU & SANUSI ANUSAN	1.97
11	YESUFU OGUNWALA	8.18
12	YESUFU OGUNWALA	8.61
13	TOTUNBO AJOLE	10.18
14	ALICE GORE	10.38
15	ABIMOLA OGUNJUNMI	9.78
16	OGUNWALA AJOLE	2.48
17	AKINOLA ADJO	0.54
18	RAJI OGUNWALA	0.74
19	RAJI OGUNWALA	0.94
20	ABIMOLA ADEGBOLA	10.11
21	SALAMI OLADOLE WATA	10.18
22	J. A. OLOGBORI	8.83
23	S. B. OLOGBORI	12.25
24	EDINEL AKINTAYO BIRE	7.50
25	YOSUN OGUNWALA	2.46
26	YOSUN OGUNWALA	1.47
27	YOSUN OGUNWALA	1.34
28	YOSUN OGUNWALA	0.81
29	LAWIN LADIBI	1.01
30	ADELU ATINLA	2.86
31	ADELEKE AKINBI	2.61
32	SANGODEJI ADISA	3.02
33	BARATUNMI LADIBI	3.34
34	OGUNWALA	0.17
35	OGUNWALA AKINBI	0.03
36	YESUFU FADITI	0.67
37	TUNILAMBI	1.74
38	LADSI ATINLA	0.54
39	PAWLO ADEGBOLA	1.47
40	LATIF SALAMI	1.40
41	RAMON & FAMILY	32.02
42	SUBERTY SOLOGBO & FAMILY	43.83
43	OYEWALE ATINLA	3.64
44	LAWIN AKINBI	1.87
45	OGUNWALA AKINBI (1984)	1.80
46	YESUFU AKINBI	1.80
47	OGUNWALA AKINBI	1.84
48	ADITYO OGUNWALA	0.70
49	TITOLA AKINBI	0.70
50	SALAMI LADIBI	0.67
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54	LADIBI WOLAR	2.81
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64	SUBERTY OLADIBI	0.40
65	ADITYO ALABIA	0.20
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71	LAWIN AKINBI	1.40
72	JOSEPH	4.68
73	TOM FAMILY	873.68
74	JEMINATU & SANUSI ANUSAN	4.18
75	TOM FAMILY	220.79
76	LADSI AKINBI	1.00
77	LADSI AKINBI	3.39
78	OLAFADE ABINKE	1.12
79	ADITYO WATA	9.96
80	AKINBI ABINKE	2.81
81	AKINBI ABINKE FAMILY	11.75
82	EMANUEL ADEGBOLA	7.80

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83	YESUFU OGUNWALA	24.12
84	KUGADJI AKINBI	9.00
85	DAIMO LADSI & ADEGBOLA	7.75
86	ADELEKE OGUNWALA	2.22
87	JEMINATU ANUSAN	4.18
88	AKINBI AKINBI	7.04
89	KUGADJI AKINBI	4.18
90	LADSI & DAIMO ADEGBOLA	4.18
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NOTE 1 -
MR. LADSI OGUNWALA COUNTERCLAIMS PARCELS 35, 36, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 & 57
AND PART OF PARCELS 30, 37 & 41
OVERALL AREA COUNTERCLAIMED - 66.81 ACRES

NOTE 2 -
MR. JAMES BARATUNMI COUNTERCLAIMS PARCELS 80, 81, 100, 106, 107, 108 & 111
AREA COUNTERCLAIMED - 45.64 ACRES

NOTE 3 -
MR. AKINBI COUNTERCLAIMS PARCEL 79 - 49.49 ACRES

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN. LAND ACQUISITION DESCRIPTION

All that parcel of land at Ibadan near the University of Ibadan, in the Ibadan Division, Western State of Nigeria containing an approximate area of 1360.0 acres, the boundaries of which are described below.

Starting from a point 'A' which lies on a colony bearing of $279^{\circ} 30'$ and approximate length 8,450 feet from a concrete beacon marked ICS 531 P which lies 20938.72 feet North and 3732.16 feet East of concrete beacon marked Δ L 92 the origin, of Ibadan Cadastral Surveys. Point 'A' is on the northern bank of River Ona.

Thence the boundaries continue in straight lines, bearings and lengths of which are as follows:-

From:	Bearings:	Lengths:	To:
Point A	$00^{\circ} 00'$	400.0 feet	Point B(N3062)
Point B (N3062)	$329^{\circ} 42'$	990.0 "	Point C(N3060)
Point C (N3060)	$269^{\circ} 02'$	739.3 "	Point D(N3058)
Point D (N3058)	$207^{\circ} 00'$	1100.0 "	Point E

Thence the boundary runs along three eastern bank of Shasha Stream in a generally North Westerly direction for a total length of 12,400.0 feet (approx.) to Point 'F' which lies at the confluence of Shasha Stream and a streamlet.

Thence the boundary continues in straight lines, bearings and lengths of which are as follows:-

From	Bearings:	Lengths:	To:
Point F	$79^{\circ} 30'$	4,125.0 feet	Point G
Point G	$115^{\circ} 00'$	500.0 "	Point H
Point H	$171^{\circ} 00'$	2,650.0 "	Point I
Point I	$81^{\circ} 30'$	1,200.0 "	Point J

Thence the boundary, runs along the western bank of Tabieleshin Stream in a generally south-easterly direction for an approximate length of 8,125.0 feet to the confluence of Tabieleshin and River Ona and thence along the Northern bank of River Ona in a generally south-westerly direction for an approximate length of 3,400.0 feet to Point 'A'.

(The Starting Point).

All bearings are referred to Colony North

All bearings and distances are approximate;

All turning points are temporary except Points

B, C and D which lie on old boundary.

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Pp 195/201 are submitted
with original copy of the map also
please. (Signed) L. M. 8/5/72.

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Y.E

via SMG & HS 6/2/5

Y.E is requested to please detach the brief at bc, which was provided by the Min of Lands and Housing in connection with the interview which Y.E has granted the Ap. V.C of the University of Ibadan.

2. The interview is scheduled for 12 noon tomorrow (Tuesday, 9th May) in Y.E's office.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

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Chancellor:
H. CRITSEJLOMI THOMAS, CBE, CON MB, (Birm.) FRCS
Hon. DSc (Ife) Hon. FRCSI



Telephone : Ibadan 23248 (Direct line)
Cables and Telegrams : University Ibadan

Ref.VC/GF.1:

October 5, 1972.

His Excellency,
Brigadier C.O. Rotimi,
Military Governor,
Western State,
Ibadan.

SMG
1. Pse confirm acceptance.
2. Do you know the
underlined personalities
are?

Your Excellency,

The Foundation Day Ceremony of the University of Ibadan will be held in the University on Friday, 17 November 1972. I have great pleasure in inviting you to this Ceremony. Award of Honorary degrees of the University will be made to the following distinguished men:-

Dr. E.N. Amaku, Chief Obafemi Awolowo,
Professor G.M. Edington and Rev. S.W. Martin.

I do hope that this invitation will reach you sufficiently well in advance and that you will do the University the great honour of attending the ceremony and the luncheon that follows it. The official invitation cards will be forwarded as soon as I know that you will be able to attend.

Yours sincerely,

H. Critsejolomi Thomas,
Vice-Chancellor.

COA/GAAdc:

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17 October, 1972.

Professor H. Oritsejolomi Thomas,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

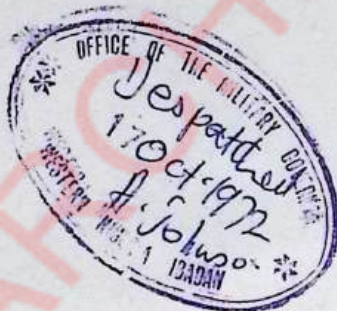
Dear Sir,

His Excellency the Military Governor has asked me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter Ref.VC/GF.1 of October 5, 1972 and to thank you for your invitation to the University's Convocation ceremony to be held on November 17 and to the luncheon that follows it. His Excellency is pleased to accept both invitations.

Yours sincerely,



(F. B. A. Conde)
for Secretary to the Military
Government.



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Reference para 2 of HE's minute on
p203, pl see brief at b.c of file.

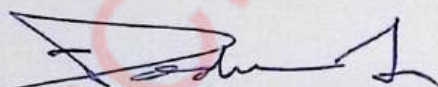
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Y.E.,

Ref. para.2 of Y.E.'s note on p.203, the information required is as follows:

Mr. (not Doctor) E. M. Amaku is a prolific writer in the Efik language and was also a teacher in different parts of the South Eastern State for many years. He is at present in his seventies and is being honoured by the University for his contribution to Literature.

Rev. S. M. Martin is a native of Issele-Uku in the Mid-Western State. He trained as a Missionary in the United States and on his return to the country he founded the Pilgrim Baptist Mission. He has built a chain of schools and churches in his home town and in other parts of the Mid-West. In addition, he is said to have sponsored the University training of a good number of young persons, many of whom now man his colleges and the hospital he also built at Issele-Uku. He served as a member of the Council of the University of Ibadan from 1966 till June this year. He is said to be 102 years old. His honorary award is for selfless service to the community.


(P. T. Odumosu),
S.M.G. & H.S.,
17/10/72.

Thank you.

EA
18/10.

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For disposal.

CR 8C p. 12/10

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

Vice-Chancellor:

H. ORITSEJLOMI THOMAS, CBE, CON MB, (Birm.) FRCS
Hon. DSc (Ife) Hon. FRCSI

Telephone: Ibadan 23248 (Direct line)

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VC/GF.1



11 October, 1972.

Mr P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Western State Civil Service,
Secretariat,
Ibadan.

Dear Mr Odumosu,

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I do hope that this invitation will reach you sufficiently well in advance and that you will do the University the great honour of attending the ceremony and the luncheon that follows it. The official invitation cards will be forwarded as soon as I know that you will be able to attend.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'H. Oritsejolomi Thomas', is written over a horizontal line.

H. Oritsejolomi Thomas,
Vice-Chancellor.

Ref. No. SP/S.202/208

Prof. H. Oritsejolomi Thomas,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

19 October, 1972.

Dear Prof. Oritsejolomi Thomas,

I write to thank you for your letter (VC/GF.1) of 11th October, 1972 inviting me to your University's Foundation Day Ceremony to be held on Friday, 17th November, 1972. I readily accept the invitation.

Incidentally, the Military Governor, Brigadier Rotimi wanted to discuss with you arrangement connected with General Gowon's attendance at the above ceremony, but you were reported to be away in Lagos last week. If you have not seen him since, I suggest you endeavour to do so by making an appointment through his Personal Assistant - Tel. No. 21147.

Yours sincerely,

(P. T. Odumosu).



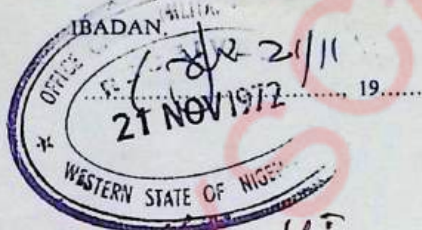
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SMG.

MILITARY GOVERNMENT HOUSE

IBADAN.



Some time ago the U.I. authorities approached me for assistance over acquisition of additional land for the expansion of their Dept of Agriculture. You were to have had a word with the C.T. with a view to accelerating judgement in a suite pending in the High Court over a previous acquisition by U.I. in the same vicinity. The impression I gained was that the people in the area are now most reluctant to part with their land until the outcome of the case pending in the High Court.



At the week-end C in C requested me to look specially into U.I's needs for land and assist as much as possible.

Could you again get in touch with the CT urgently and ascertain how the matter now stands.

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B.V. by hand on

2-12-72 when justice Ogemade will have returned from leave.
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SMB HCS

I submit b.u on
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please.

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Our Ref. No. CRC.399/340

CHIEF JUSTICE'S CHAMBERS
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE,
IBADAN, WESTERN NIGERIA,
FEDERATION OF NIGERIA.



5th December, 1972.

Mr. P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government and
Head of Service,
Military Governor's Office,
Ibadan.

Suit No. I/138/68
Commissioner of Works & Housing ... Plaintiff
v.
Toki Family & Others ... Claimants

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The above case refers to the land acquired for use by the University of Ibadan about which you spoke to me sometime ago. The case has been pending in Court since 1968 and naturally those concerned should feel anxious about its disposal. After the discussion which we had, I assigned the Hon. Mr. Justice Johnson to give a speedy hearing to the case. On the 25th September, 1972 the case came up for hearing before Johnson, J. and I attach herewith a copy of his minutes to me as regards what happened in Court on that day.

2. You will see from the attachment that the last adjournment was caused by the State Counsel who represented the Commissioner for Works and Housing. It is surprising that the Commissioner who applied to the Court since 1968 for the determination of persons entitled to compensation in respect of the land acquired has not filed in Court the survey plan of the said land showing the portions claimed by those interested.

3. The case file shows also the numerous applications made for extension of time within which to comply with orders of Court by the parties and their counsel, and unless these preliminaries are settled the Court cannot go on with the case; the Court will be considerably assisted if the State Counsel representing the Commissioner for Works and Housing can get his own part of the case ready, and to do this, I would suggest that it is necessary that a particular State Counsel be assigned to handle the case to enable him follow up the proceedings in Court from time to time instead of two or three State Counsel coming to Court at different times without full knowledge of what had gone before.

4. The delay in hearing the case has not been occasioned by the Court as could be seen from the above explanation.

M. O. Oyemade
(M.O. Oyemade)
CHIEF JUSTICE.

To me in file pls.

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H.C.J.,

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You will recollect that Suit No. I/138/68 - Commissioner for Works & Housing, Plaintiff, and Toki Family and 131 Others, claimants, was assigned to me by you with a request for a speedy hearing of the said matter. The matter came before me for the first time on the 25th of September, 1972 and I reproduce hereunder the record of proceedings before the court on that date:

"I/138/68

Commissioner of Works & Housing		Plaintiff
vs.		
Toki Family and Others		Claimants

Present

Medupin, State Counsel for Commissioner for Works and Housing.

Omisade now appears.

Medupin says matter referred to court under section 10 of the Public Lands Acquisition Act, Cap. 167 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria.

Court:- It is ordered that the summons taken out as well as all statements of interest filed in this matter be served on, and exchanged between the parties before the court within 7 days. Mr. Medupin says plan not ready for case to proceed as the officers in the Western State Ministry of Surveys said they had no paper to produce the plan and their counterpart in Lagos said their machine had broken down. Asks for about 2 months. Case adjourned 8.1.73 for mention."

You will note from the above record that the delay in proceeding with the matter as requested is due to the reasons given by the State Counsel representing the Government.

(Sgd.) C.A. Johnson
JUDGE
Court 4.

4th December, 1972.

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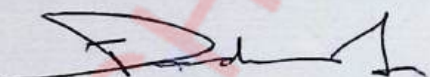
Pp 212/213 are submitted as
line test please. (shown 12/22)

Y.E.,

Reference Y.E.'s minute at pp.209-210, I have again taken the matter up with C.J. who has decided to submit a formal report as contained at pp.212-213.

2. It is now evident that the cause of delay is the inept manner in which this matter is being handled by the Federal Ministries concerned - particularly the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing on whose behalf the acquisition is being made. I suggest Y.E. intimate the Head of State of the true position when you are in Lagos next week for the S.M.C. meeting.

3. I do not think that we should be pursuing this matter with the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing. Rather, it should be the authority of the University of Ibadan who will be exacting the necessary pressure since the acquisition is to be made by the former on behalf of the latter. I therefore propose, on the return of file, to address a letter to the Vice-Chancellor, University of Ibadan informing him of the true position and suggesting that he might wish to exact some pressure on the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing for action to be accelerated.


(P. T. Odumosu),
S.M.G. & H.S.,
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Agreed.


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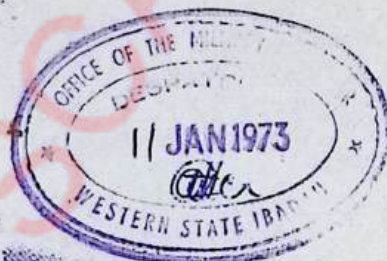
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Pls. prepare suitable letter to V. C. Unibadan, f.m.s. He shd. also be addressed by name. A 21/12

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11 January, 1973.

Professor H. Oritsejolomi Thomas,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.



Acquisition of Land for the University
of Ibadan

Sometime in May last year, the then Acting Vice-Chancellor of the University of Ibadan, Professor G. M. Edington, called on His Excellency the Military Governor to discuss the difficulties that the University had run into over what is known as its "Second area of Acquisition". The main problems, as you will no doubt be aware, are the dispute over payment of compensation to the numerous claimants of ownership of the land, some of whose claims are in conflict; and the refusal of the inhabitants of the villages within the area of acquisition to vacate the area.

2. To resolve the problem of ensuring that compensation is paid to the rightful owners of the land, Government had referred to the law court the issue of who the rightful claimants are. A suit - (Federal) Commissioner for Works and Housing (plaintiff) versus Toki Family and others (claimants) - was filed in the High Court of this State in 1968. One of the decisions taken at the meeting referred to in the opening paragraph of this letter was that effort should be made to accelerate the hearing of this suit and a request to this effect was made to the Honourable the Chief Justice of the State.

3. Recently, an informal approach was made to His Excellency the Military Governor by His Excellency the Head of State that as much assistance as possible be given to the University Authorities on this issue of land acquisition. The Chief Justice was again contacted and he has reported that when the case came up for hearing on the 25th of last September, it was surprising that it was the Federal State Counsel representing the Federal Commissioner for Works and Housing who asked for a two months' adjournment to enable him produce from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing the survey plan of the area of acquisition. The Chief Justice added that the Court will be considerably assisted if the State Counsel representing the Commissioner for Works and Housing can get his own part of the case ready and that it will be a great help if a particular State Counsel is assigned to handle the case so that he can follow up the proceedings in Court from time to time instead of two or three State Counsel coming to Court at different times without full knowledge of what had gone before.

4. We are of the view that if it is necessary to exert pressure on the Federal Ministries concerned in the light of the report, you are in a better position to do so and His Excellency has asked me to brief you about the true position of things so that you can take whatever further action you consider appropriate.

(P. T. Odumosu)
Secretary to the Military
Government & Head of Service.

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SMG + HS

Letter at b.c is submitted f-y.s, please
w.r.t your minute on p 214.

2. I am sorry for the delay in taking
action. When I returned from leave
last week, I met quite a bit of
work that had accumulated.

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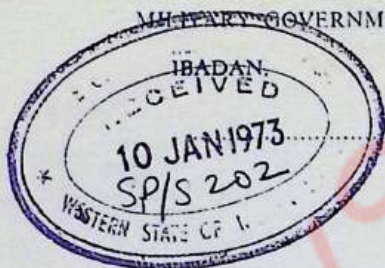
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SMG.

I recollect that you briefed me some time ago about the apparent careless manner this matter of land compensation was being handled in Lagos.

I presume you have since written the appropriate Ministry.

X | I think a copy of this should be forwarded to Lagos also.

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From:- Akano Family and Others,
c/o ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Lasisi Akano, Box 3043,
Mapo Hill, Ibadan.

3rd January, 1973

1. His Excellency,
The Head of State,
General Yakubu Gowon,
Dandan Barracks,
Ikoyi, Lagos.
2. His Excellency,
Brigadier Oluwole Rotimi,
Military Governor,
Western State, Agodi,
Ibadan.
3. The Federal Commissioner Land,
Secretariat,
Lagos.
4. The Commissioner for Land
and Housing, Secretariat,
Ibadan.
5. The Federal Attorney General,
Federal Secretariat,
Lagos.
6. The Attorney General,
Western State,
Secretariat,
Agodi, Ibadan.
7. Professor Orisagbani Thomas,
Vice Chancellor,
University College,
Ibadan.
8. The Western State Executive Council,
Regional Secretariat,
Agodi, Ibadan.
9. The Federal Land Officer,
Federal Ministry of Lands,
Secretariat, Lagos.
10. Principal Land Officer,
Western State Ministry of Lands,
Secretariat, Agodi,
Ibadan.

Your Excellencies,

University College, Ibadan - First
Acquisition of Land Compensation
thereof. Re - Raji Ladipo for
Akano Family and others.

We the undersigned on behalf of ourselves, the Claimants to the above land, and the entire members of our families sincerely crave your Honourable indulgence to forward this petition to you.

That we are the said Claimants to the above land who have been subjected to indifferent acts of inhuman treatment in form of delaying tactics to pay us the real compensation on our land at the University College, Ibadan acquired by the Government vide Government Notice No. 1373, captioned the Public Lands acquisition Ordinance (Chapter 88)

See P. 280.

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and reprinted from Government Gazette No. 44 of 1948.

That the land was acquired from us at an agreed price of \$360 and \$480 per acre respectively. On the other hand, the then Western State Government paid us only \$25 per acre in 1962 with a promise by the Principal Land Officer, Chief S.O. Oyediran that the balance would be paid later.

That this amount of \$25 per acre was paid to about 131 families who are also claimants on the same land in 1962.

That since then which means that ten years had roll away, and not even a penny had been paid to us, whereas we had from reliable sources that the Federal Government had paid the lump sum of our money to the then Western State Government.

That since then, we had written series of petitions and led several delegations to the authorities, but up till now there is no fruitful redress. At this juncture, your Excellencies, you will agree with us that the action of the authorities to pay us our compensation amounts to a deliberate punishment on 131 families (each of the family having about 100 dependants) and also an infringement of fundamental human rights.

As a result of this deliberate attempt to deprive us of our legitimate right, the families had suffered from hands of some unscrupulous lawyers who had cash in on the family in a bid to helping us received this compensation.

In pursuance of this, therefore and since the present Military Government is a corrective and progressive one, we sincerely appeal to your Excellencies to see to it that our money is paid to us as quickly as practicable, which means that we are demanding very urgently too the balance of \$335 and \$455 per acres respectively as compensation of our land on the 1st acquisition of the University of Ibadan.

Your Excellencies, we are suffering, we have become poverty stricken since our land had been taken away from us, we have no place of abode and our children could not be given the right education to earn their livings.

With humility and respect Sirs, we hope this our sad petition would be treated with all the urgencies it deserves and that proper care is taken to pay our compensations direct to us or through our accredited agents.

Copies of the Reprinted from Gazette No. 44 of 1948 and a list of the University Resentment - Schedule of University Claims Survey are hereby attached for your scrutiny.

We are Your Loyal Citizens.

1. Raji Ladipo for Akano Family _____
2. Olapade Akinlabi for Oluwo Toriola (Oke)
Family) _____
3. Popoola Osajimi for Oluwo Toriola)
(Isale) Family) _____

4. Lasisi Alagbede for Alagbede Family _____
5. Adetunbi Asanu for Okomolu)
Ogunbiyi Family } _____
6. James Akintola for Geru Family _____
7. Sunmonu Ajadi for Dawonru family _____
8. Aliyu Alade for Ayileru Family _____
9. James Adeleke for Adeleke Family James Adeleke
10. Ireigbe Akinkunmi for Ajonitoro Family _____
11. Olapade Abangbe for Abangbe family _____
12. Eniola Ojedunten for Ojedunten Family _____

OUR AGENTS:-

1. Lasisi Akano
2. Sanusi Ogundipe
3. James Adeleke
4. Lawuwo Okomolu

L. Akano
J. A. Ogundipe
James Adeleke

Printed from Gazette No. 44 of 1948.

NOTICE No. 1373

The Public Lands Acquisition Ordinance
(Chapter 88)

LAND REQUIRED FOR THE SERVICE OF THE GOVERNMENT

NOTICE is HEREBY GIVEN that the following land at Ibadan in the Oyo Province, is required by the Governor for public purposes for a term of nine hundred and ninety-nine years and in particular for the establishment of a University College.

All that piece or parcel of land situate on the Ibadan-Oyo Road, Ibadan in the Oyo Province, Nigeria, containing an area of approximately 1.622 acres, the boundaries of which are described below:-

Starting at a concrete pillar marked U. 58 which lies on a bearing of 000° at a distance of 193 feet from P.B.N. 3077 is a concrete pillar the co-ordinates of which are 15,592.28 feet North and 6,018.28 feet West of a Trigonometrical Station marked L.92 the original of Ibadan Cadastral Surveys) the boundaries run in straight lines the bearings and lengths of which are as follows:-

From	Bearing	Length	To
U. 58 2E	0° 03'	505 feet	P.B.N. 3076
P.B.N. 3076	0° 03'	712 "	P.B.N. 3075
P.B.N. 3075	269° 18'	1,059 "	P.B.N. 3074
P.B.N. 3074	0° 04'	953 "	P.B.N. 3073
P.B.N. 3073	0° 04'	896 "	P.B.N. 3072
P.B.N. 3072	0° 03'	428 "	P.B.N. 3071
P.B.N. 3071	76° 25'	849 "	P.B.N. 3070
P.B.N. 3070	20° 21'	481 "	P.B.N. 3069
P.B.N. 3069	20° 21'	597 "	P.B.N. 3068
P.B.N. 3068	0° 03'	371 "	P.B.N. 3067
P.B.N. 3067	0° 03'	579 "	P.B.N. 3066
P.B.N. 3066	190° 20'	750 "	P.B.N. 3065
P.B.N. 3065	90° 21'	320 "	P.B.N. 3064
P.B.N. 3064	90° 20'	648 "	P.B.N. 3063
P.B.N. 3063	0° 11'	142 "	A point on the Southern bank of the Awna River.

Thence the boundary runs in a North-Easterly direction along the Southern bank of the Awna River to its confluence with the Orogun River, thence in a South-easterly direction along the Southern bank of the Orogun River to its junction with the Western side of the Ibadan-Oyo Road, thence in a Southerly direction along the Western side of the Ibadan-Oyo Road and for a distance of 5.250 feet approximately to a concrete pillar marked U.I. thence on a bearing of 261° 05' at a distance of 9.872 feet approximately to a concrete pillar marked U.58 (the starting point).

All Pillars are concrete pillars

All bearings and lengths are approximate

And all bearings are referred to Colony North.

2. Any person claiming to have any right or interest in the said land is required within six weeks from the date of service of this notice to send to the Secretary, Western Provinces, through the Resident, Oyo Province, a statement of his right and interest and of the evidence thereof, and of any claim in respect of such right or interest.

3. The Governor is willing to treat for the acquisition of the said land.

4. Land in respect of which no statement is received is liable to be dealt with as unoccupied land.

5. And notice is hereby given that the Governor intends to enter into possession of the said land at the expiration of six weeks from the date of the Publication of this notice in the Nigeria Gazette.

6. Any person who shall wilfully hinder or obstruct the Governor or any person employed by him from taking possession of the said land or any part thereof is liable, and under the provisions of the Ordinance above-mentioned, on conviction to a fine of twenty-five pounds or to imprisonment for three months.

DATED the 20th day of August, 1948.

T. C. MOSKYN ABRAHAM.

Chief Commissioner. Western Provinces.

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UNIVERSITY RESSETTLEMENT - SCHEDULE OF UNIVERSITY CLAIMS
SURVEY.

	Farmers	Acres	Total	Square Yards
1.	Popoola Osajimi	16.77	26.22	125804.80
2.	-do-	9.45		
3.	Chief Adebiyi	-	5.111	24737.240
4.	Lawani Adegoke	-	16.84	81505.60
5.	Brimoh Olatunji	2.684)		
6.	-do-	119.7)	122.384	532416
7.	Fasanya Ayinla	17.43)		
8.	-do-	1.875)	19.3	93412
9.	Dare Aremu	-	1.688	7831.120
10.	Opadiji Ajadi	-	21.99	106431.60
11.	Dopemu Ayinla	-	19.38	93799.20
12.	Falake Ayinla	-	16.55	80102
13.	Adebite Sode	-	5.479	26518.360
14.	Salawu Morinre	-	2.831	13702.040
15.	Babalola Ojo	13.689)		
16.	-do-	5.628)	20.383	98639.20
17.	"	1.066)		
18.	Ladele Ajao	-	2.096	10144.640
19.	Oluola Ishola	-	3.677	17796.680
20.	Adeleke Akano	-	1.287	-
21.	Kolade Akano	4.449)	4.449	21533.160
22.	Tiamiyu Aluka Akangbe	3.309)	11.069	53569.120
23.	-do-	7.759)		
24.	Akanji Amure	5.369)	10.296	49832.640
25.	-do-	4.927)		
26.	Adejumo Okunlola	-	8.862	42892.080
27.	Ajayi Ayinde	6.655)	19.005	91984.200
28.	-do-	12.35)	-	-
29.	Lamidi Akanmu	-	25.11	12637.240
30.	Folorunso Alabi	2.464)	6.031	29190.040
31.	-do-	3.567)		
32.	Olugbade Akanmu	-	0.184	890.560
33.	Durodola Akanji	-	5.405	26160.200
34.	Adebiyi Alao	-	7.501	363048.840
35.	Ogundipe Ajamu	-	7.317	35414.280
36.	Chief E. Ladapo	4.376)		
37.	-do-	4.229)		
38.	"	0.470)	14.81	71680.40
39.	"	5.736)		
40.	Idowu Adeyemi	1.361)	1.361	6587.240
41.	Sanusi Arika	-	2.758	13348.220
42.	Laleye Alao	16.22)		
43.	-do-	4.376)		
44.	"	88.47)	200.47	970420
45.	"	92.33)		
46.	Adetunbi Asamu	-	3.456	16727.040
47.	Sangoji Aisa	-	12.28	59435.20
48.	Okemolu Ogunbiyi	41.00)	2.427	11616
49.	-do-	0.625)		
50.	Alli Alade	4.229)	4.229	20468.360
51.	Laditi Akanmu	-	1.140	5517.600
52.	E. A. O. Ajagunna	-	0.882	4268.880
53.	Oyare Akanji	1.728)	2.427	11616
54.	-do-	0.699)		
55.	Adebiyi Ajanbata	5.406)	5.405	26160.200
56.	Yesufi Akanbi	-	2.647	12811.480
57.	Gbadamosi Ajayi	XX25M	1.250	6050
58.	Opajimi Alao	-	16.62	80440.80
59.	Ogungbenro Ishola	-	65.23	315713.20
60.	James Adeleke	7.097)	13.3	64372

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	Farmers	Acres	Total	Square Yards
61.	-do-	6.251)		
62.	Gbadaniyi Alao		25.63	124049.20
63.	Salako Akanfe		10.08	48787.20
64.	Akinwumi Akanfe		47.29	228883.60
65.	R. Ola Oke		8.568	41469.12
66.	James Akintola		37.58	181887.20
67.	Onifade Babalola		13.27	64226.80
68.	Aba Nigbe	13.57)	26.00	125840
69.	-do-	12.43)		
70.	Idowu Alabi	10.92)	15.6	75504
71.	-do-	4.560)		
72.	Alagba Dina	-	6.435	31145.400
73.	James Olatunji	3.493)	6.2	3000.80
74.3	-do-	2.721)		
75.	Salawu Akanni	-	10.77	52326.80
76.	Adeniran Ajanbata	-	4.743	22956.120
77.	Adeyemo Oluwo	-	8.053	38976.520
78.	Akanfe Brihoh	-	33.39	161612.60
79.	Raji Adio	-	59.68	288851.20
80.	Ojo	-	17.58	85087.20
81.	Ogunmola Ayinde	-	6.655	32210.200
82.	Sadiku Ishola	-	13.05	73162.00
83.	Aminu Alagbade	-	22.91	102884.40
84.	Oyelakun Alabi	-	16.07	77778.80
85.	Alufa Lawani	5.736)	9.854	47916
86.	-do-	4.118)		
87.	Gbadamosi Ayinde	-	2.795	1222.780
88.	Okunola Babajide Akanbi	-	8.825	42814.000
89.	Oyelani Ajagbe	1.912)	3.787)	18392
90.	-do-	1.875)		
91.	Oyaremi Alabi	-	4.560	22070.400
92.	James Olalere Ajadi	-	1.213	5870.920
93.	Ladipo Atanda	-	1.986	9612.240
94.	Chief Salami Agbaje	-	3.015	14592.600
95.	Lasisi Gbenmola	-	19.82	95928.80
96.	Adeyemo Akanjo	-	7.722	37374.480
97.	Opatayo Aragba	-	1.691	8184.440
98.	Ayoola Akanbi	-	0.478	2314.520
99.	Ireigbe Akinkunmi	-	6.986	3380.240
100.	Gbadamosi Tafa	-	14.93	70241.20
101.	Lasisi Afolabi	-	17.83	85297.20
102.	Adejumo Adigun	11.84)	16.473	79860
103.	-do-	4.633)		
104.	A. L. Carew		1.030	4985.200
105.	Adegun Akojede		30.63	148249.20
106.	Akinwumi Ayinde		21.69	104979.60
107.	Madam Joko Ayoka		5.847	28299.480
108.	Ojo Kondo		6.582	8146.880
109.	Fashoyin Alade	21.500	2.500	12100
110.	D. A. Kehinde		6.619	322337.960
111.	Opadotun		0.552	691.680
112.	Raji Ladipo		33.24	160881.60
113.	Dawonru		22.2	978648
114.	Ibrahim Ishola	21.40	21.40	103576
115.	Gbadamosi Awawole		8.604	41643.360

D. 680/223 of 30th June, 1950.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE IBADAN: ACQUISITION OF SITE UNRESETTLED
FARMERS.

	Acres.
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8. Akinwumi Akande	47.29
9. Onifade Babalola	13.27
10. Aba Nigbe	26.00
11. Iyowu Alabi	15.48
12. Akande Brimoh	33.29
13. Ojo	17.58
14. Oyalakin Alabi	16.07
15. Lasisi Gbenmola	19.82
16. Lasisi Afolabi	17.83
17. Akinwande Ayinde	21.69

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P 217-225 are submitted
please. The main file is
with the computer.

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CR

11/1/73.

It resultant as soon as the m/f is
available.

Mde
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P 217/225 are
re submitted please.

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CR

12/1/73.

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

Vice-Chancellor:

H. ORITSEJLOMI THOMAS, CBE, CON MB, (Birm.) FRCS
Hon. DSc (Ife) Hon. FRCSI

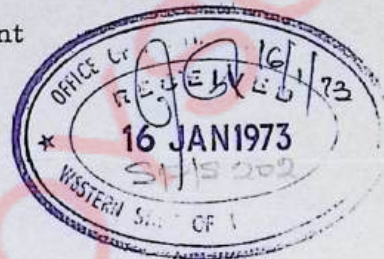


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CONFIDENTIAL

12th January, 1973

Mr. P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government
& Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.



Dear Mr. Odumosu,

Acquisition of Land for the University
of Ibadan

I thank you for your letter of 11th January, 1973. I am grateful for your advice and I am taking consultations along the lines you mentioned. This letter serves as an acknowledgement and I shall keep you informed of progress.

Please convey my thanks to His Excellency the Military Governor for his continued interest in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

H. Oritsejolomi Thomas,
Vice-Chancellor.

US(G)

In view of x p. 217, please endorse p. 215 to S.F.M.G. remarking that HE H.F.M.G. raised the matter with M.G. of this State during the former's last visit here.

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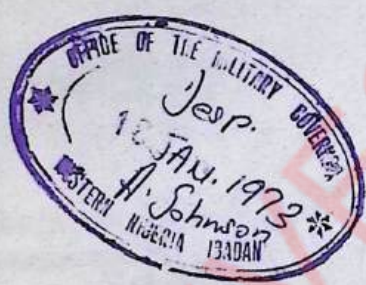
Ref. No.SP/S.202/228
Office of the Military Governor,
Agodi, Ibadan.

Copy to:

18th January, 1973.

The Secretary to the Federal
Military Government,
Cabinet Office,
Lagos.

Overleaf for your information. His Excellency the Head of the Federal Military Government and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces raised the matter with the Military Governor of this State during his (the Head of State) last visit here.



(F. B. A. Conde)
for Secretary to the Military
Government.

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S.M.G. & H.S.,

I have taken action as directed in your minute on p.227. I wish to point out however that the petition on pp.218 to 225 does not relate to the acquisition discussed in the letter on p.215. The petition is about the first (not second) Area of Acquisition and the complaint is that only a fraction of the agreed amount of compensation was paid by Government.

2. You may wish to direct that we call for the comments of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Housing on the petition.


(F. B. A. Conde)
U.S.(G)

18th January, 1973.

yes ps.


23/1

As(G)

Action as in para 2 of minute
above, pl.


24/1

SP/S.202/230.

24 January, 1973.

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Ibadan.

University College, Ibadan-First
Acquisition of Land Compensation
thereof, Re-Raji Ladipo for
Akano Family and others:

P 218
Please refer to a petition dated 3rd January, 1973 which ^{was} addressed to you by Akano family and others. I shall be grateful for your comments on the alleged delay in paying the balance of the compensations due on the petitioners' land which was acquired several years ago for the then University College of Ibadan.



[Signature]

(E. G. Adejumo),

For Secretary to the Military Government and
Head of Service.

S E C R E T

CR;

Despatch & b.u. on 21/2 ✓

[Signature]

24/1

A.S. Above b.u. is submitted
please -

[Signature]

CR

21/2/73

CR,
b.u. again
on 7/3
21/2

ASG

Bu. on p 230 is submitted
please. This file was misplaced
hence the Bu would not be
submitted yesterday. This is
regretted.

(J. L. W. in
CR

8/3/73

SP/S.202/232

8th March, 1973.

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Ibadan.

University College, Ibadan-First Acquisition
of Land Compensation thereof. Re-Raji Ladipo
for Akano Family and others:

I refer to my letter No. SP/S.202/230 of 24th January,
1973 and would be grateful for an early action on the request
made therein.



[Handwritten signature]

(E. G. Adejumo),
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

CR.

Despatches

& b. u. on

29/3 ✓

[Handwritten signature]
8/3.

LS. 158/1/18.

23 March, 1973.

Akano Family and Others,
c/o Lasisi Akano,
Box 3043,
Mapo Hill,
Ibadan.

Gentlemen,

University College, Ibadan - First Acquisition of
Land Compensation thereof, Re-Raji Ladipo for Akano
Family and others

With reference to your letter of 3rd January, 1973, a copy of which was forwarded to this Ministry, I am directed to state that the position of the twelve signatories to the letter in relation to the acquisition of land for the University of Ibadan is as follows:-

- (i) Messrs. Popoola Osajimi, Raji Ladipo, James Adeleke, James Akintola, Adetumbi Asamu, Ireigbe Akinkunmi and Aliyu Alade have been duly paid compensations at an approved rate per acre of £25 in 1962. Their claim fell within the 1st Acquisition of the University of Ibadan.
- (ii) Messrs. Olapade and Emiola Ojeduntan submitted claims on the University of Ibadan second acquisition and have been duly paid in 1964/1966 at the approved rate of £30 per acre.
- (iii) Messrs. Lasisi Alagbede, Olapade Akinlabi and Sunmonu Ajadi lodged no claims in this office in respect of either of the two acquisitions. Any fresh claim is now statute barred.
- (iv) It was never agreed between anyone and this Ministry to pay compensation at a rate of £560 or £180 per acre in 1962 for the acquisition of land for the University of Ibadan as alleged in your letter. Furthermore, no claimant can now claim any additional compensation because the compensation already paid was in full and final discharge of each claim.

Yours faithfully,

ad
(A. Olaiya),
for Permanent Secretary,
Lands Division.

/LA:



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Our Ref. No. LS. 158/1/19.

Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Lands Division,
Ibadan.

23 March, 1973.

Copy to:

The Secretary to the Military
Govt. & Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

For the attention of Mr. E.G. Adejumo

For the attention of Mr. B. Pelu

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allot.
Overleaf for your information reference your letters Nos.
SP/S.202/230 and AD1.221/766 of 24th January, 1973 and 26th
January, 1973 respectively.

(A. Olaiya),
for Permanent Secretary,
Lands Division.

/LA:

U.S.(G)

~~Overleaf and above are submitted
for information pl. ref. pp 229 and 230.~~

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U.S.(G),

Pp.233 and 234 are submitted for information please,
ref. the petition on pp.218-225 and the action subsequently
taken on pp.229 & 230.

2. With regard to the reference made by P.S., M.L. & H. to
2 letters issued from this office on the same subject, 2
copies of the petition had apparently been received here,
one by H.E.M.G. While the other was received in the Open
Registry, and action was taken separately on each of them ~~copies~~.

BA
(E.G. Adejumo),
A.S.(General),

28 March, 1973.

See T.Y.

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28/3

CR,

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BA

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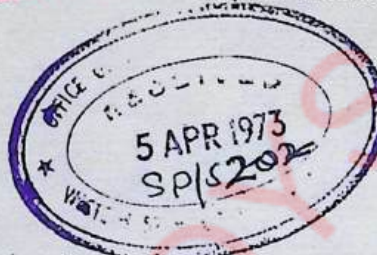
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CABINET OFFICE,
LAGOS,
NIGERIA.

Ref.: 58721/V/594

SECRET

27th March, 1973

The Secretary to the
Military Government,
Western State
Military Governor's Office,
Ibadan.



(For the attention of Mr. F.B.A. Conde)

Acquisition of Land for the University of
Ibadan

eff. P. 237
I am directed to forward the attached copy of letter
No. Le.56/T.2/58 of 16th March 1973 by the Solicitor-General
of the Federation on the above subject, for your information
with reference to your endorsement No. SP/S.202/228 of 18th
January 1973 on the same matter.

O. OLUGBOSI.
for Secretary to the Federal
Military Government.

SECRET

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In file, M.
Mde 594

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See P. 248

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FEDERAL MINISTRY OF JUSTICE

CIVIL LITIGATION & ADVISORY DIVISION

LAGOS NIGERIA

CABINET OFFICE

P.M.B. No. 12517.

Telegrams: SOLICITOR.

Telephone: 22234.



17 MAR 1973

Ref. No. Le.56/T2/58.

SECRET REGISTRY

Date 16th March, 1973.

The Secretary to the Federal Military Government,
Cabinet Office,
LAGOS.

SECRET

ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR THE
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN.

15811
With reference to your letter Ref.No.58721/V/571 of 25th January, 1973, and further to this Ministry's endorsement Ref.No. Le.52/T2/50 of 5th March, 1973, I am directed to quote hereunder an extract from a letter received from the Legal Adviser to the Federal Ministry of Works & Housing on the above matter:-

"In August of 1968, Government instituted the Suit to determine the rightful claimant and there were then 115 claimants. By September of 1969, the number of claimants rose to 256, the previous claims plan to be tendered in Court has to be abolished as it did not contain the said 256 claimants and the Western Region (now State) Ministry of Works and Housing, Lands Division, who throughout the acquisition exercise acted as Agents of the Federal Government were asked to prepare an enlarged claims plan. Through one excuse or the other this has not been done, for example a claims plan was forwarded which would have been of no evidential value as it was blurred. Then on another occasion, the said Western State Ministry stated they had no ink and requested for money from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing to purchase the required ink. Recently the excuse was that the Lands Division had no paper and on the 7th February requested for the sum of N152.28 to purchase the necessary materials to print about 36 copies of an enlarged claims plan for use of the Court. This said sum of N152.28 was taken to Ibadan by hand by the Senior Estate Officer of the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing."

2. I am to add that the suit has now been fixed for hearing on the 13th to the 16th of March, 1973.

R.A. Omotoso (Mrs.)

Principal State Counsel.
for Solicitor-General of the Federation
and Permanent Secretary.

SECRET

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

Head of Department:

PROFESSOR A. A. A. FAYEMI, B.Sc., M.Sc., Ph.D.

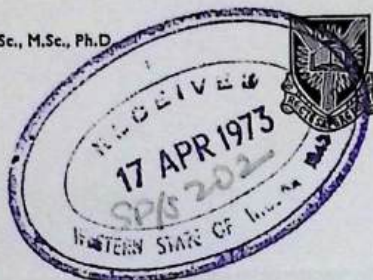
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DEPARTMENT OF AGRONOMY

AG/G/60



13th April, 1973.

Brigadier C.O. Rotimi,
His Excellency,
The Western State Military Governor,
Governor's Office,
Secretariat,
Ibadan.

*See US(G)
* This is st. new.
Pse. connect with
previous correspondence
on the matter.*

His Excellency,

I am writing to ask if you would be kind enough to spare a few minutes any day next week to grant me and our Farm Director an audience.

I would like to discuss with you our long-standing problem of the acquisition of land for the Faculty of Agriculture, Forestry and Veterinary Science.

Thank you Sir,

Yours faithfully,

A.A.A. Fayemi
A.A.A. Fayemi,
Dean,

Faculty of Agric., For. and Vet. Science.

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S.M.G. & H.S.,

With reference to H.E.'s minute on p.238, it is correct that we are already familiar with the problem which the Dean of the Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ibadan wants to discuss with H.E. It is about the difficulties the University has been experiencing over what is known as its "second area of acquisition". A legal suit to determine the rightful owners of the land has been pending in the State High Court for a long time and the inhabitants of this area of acquisition have refused to vacate the land with the result that the University has been unable to make use of it.

2. Professor Edington, the then acting Vice-Chancellor of the University, discussed the matter with H.E. in May last year, vide papers on pp.181 - 193. With him at the discussion were Professor Oyenuga of the University's Faculty of Agriculture and Mr. Okudu who was then acting as the Registrar. Following this discussion, an approach was made to the Chief Justice with a view to his using his good offices to ensure that the suit pending in court is disposed off early - pp.209-213 referred. We later on briefed the present Vice-Chancellor, Professor Thomas, on the matter - vide p. 215 and suggested that he might wish to enlist the active co-operation of the Federal Ministries of Works and Housing and of Justice in seeing to it that the Government side of the case is got ^{ready} ~~made~~. We recently received pp.236-237 from the Cabinet Office in Lagos and if the statements attributed on p.237 to the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing are correct, then it means that our own Ministry of Lands and Housing has a share of the blame in the delay over the disposal of the case in court.

3. I submit that it is most unlikely that Professor Fayemi has ^{anything new} ~~to~~ say on this matter. He is probably not aware (having been appointed Dean not too long ago) that the Vice-Chancellor is handling the matter and that ~~the~~ Government is continuing its efforts to resolve the issue as expeditiously as possible.

4. I respectfully suggest that Professor Fayemi be politely informed that it is not considered necessary to grant his request (for an interview with H.E.) since the matter to be discussed is already receiving H.E.'s close attention and has been the subject of recent correspondence between this Office and the Vice-Chancellor's Office. You may also wish to approve that the attention of P.S.M.L. & H. be drawn to the comments of the Federal

Ministry of Works and Housing on p.237 and that we ask him for his own comments.

Abc
(F. B. A. Conde)
U.S.(G)

27/4/73

Y.E.

I submit above min. and wd.
be glad if Y.E. wd. kindly agree
that letter at p.238 be replied
as recommended in para 4 above.

smc 3/5

Agreed.

4/5
14/5

SP/S.202/241

241
8th May, 1973.

Professor A. A. A. Fayemi,
Dean of the Faculty of Agriculture,
Forestry and Veterinary Science,
University of Ibadan,
Ibadan.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Military Governor to refer to your letter No. AG/G/60 of 13th April, 1973 and to inform you that he is very much aware of the difficulties the University of Ibadan has been experiencing over taking effective possession of the piece of land known as its "second area of acquisition".

In May last year, Professor Edington, who was then acting as the University's Vice-Chancellor, called on His Excellency to discuss the matter. With him at the discussion were Professor Oyenuga of the Faculty of Agriculture and Mr. Okudu the then Acting Registrar. As a follow-up to the discussions held then, efforts have been made, and are still being made, to ensure that the legal suit to determine the rightful owners of the land is disposed of early.

I am to assure you that the matter is still receiving His Excellency's close attention and that it has in fact been the subject of recent correspondence with Professor Thomas the Vice-Chancellor.

In the light of the foregoing, it is hoped that you will no longer consider it necessary to seek an audience with His Excellency.

Yours faithfully,



(F. B. A. Conde)
for Secretary to the Military
Government & Head of Service.



SP/S.202/242

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10 May, 1973.

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands & Housing,
Ibadan.

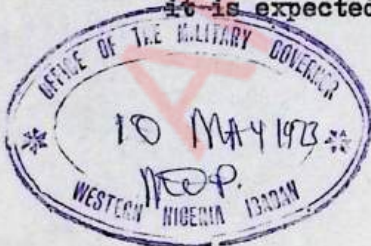
Acquisition of land for the University of Ibadan

You are no doubt aware that the University of Ibadan has been very anxious to take effective possession of the land known as its "second area of acquisition". The matter has been the subject of recent discussions between senior officials of the University and the Government of this State, and as a result, moves have been made to get the High Court to dispose of the long-standing suit to determine the rightful owners of the land.

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2. In the course of an exchange of correspondence between this Office and the Cabinet Office in Lagos, the latter made available to us the following comments attributed to the Legal Adviser to the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing.

P. 244
"In August of 1968, Government instituted the Suit to determine the rightful claimant and there were then 115 claimants. By September of 1969, the number of claimants rose to 256, the previous claims plan to be tendered in Court has to be abolished as it did not contain the said 256 claimants and the Western Region (now State) Ministry of Works and Housing, Lands Division, who throughout the acquisition exercise acted as Agents of the Federal Government were asked to prepare an enlarged claims plan. Through one excuse or the other this has not been done, for example a claims plan was forwarded which would have been of no evidential value as it was blurred. Then on another occasion, the said Western State Ministry stated they had no ink and requested for money from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing to purchase the required ink. Recently the excuse was that the Lands Division had no paper and on the 7th February requested for the sum of N152.28 to purchase the necessary materials to print about 36 copies of an enlarged claims plan for use of the Court. This said sum of N152.18 was taken to Ibadan by hand by the Senior Estate Officer of the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing."

Have you any comments, please, on the impression given in the quoted Extract that your Ministry has not been giving as much cooperation as it is expected to do.




(F. B. A. Conde)
for Secretary to the Military
Government & Head of Service.

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MINISTRY OF LANDS



AND HOUSING

LANDS DIVISION
WESTERN STATE OF NIGERIA

Your Ref. No.....

Further communications on this
subject should be addressed to the
Permanent Secretary quoting

Our Ref. No. LS.158/A Vol.III/436



Date 20th June, 1973.

The Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Agodi, Ibadan.

(For the Attention of Mr. F.B.A. Conde)

Acquisition of Land for the University
of Ibadan

P. 242 With reference to your letter No. SP/S.202/242 of 10th May, 1973 the request of the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing for plans came at a time when the relevant financial provision in this Ministry could not accommodate it. The Survey Division had no alternative but to call on that Ministry to provide funds to purchase the necessary materials.

2. Following a request by this Ministry, the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing forwarded a cheque which was prepared in the name of the Permanent Secretary to cover the amount required for the plans. As the cheque could not be utilised in that way, it was returned with a request that another should be issued in the name of the Surveyor-General. The new cheque has not been received.

3. It is regretted that up till now the financial position has not improved in that the available financial provision is for specific commitments which do not include the plans in question. If the enlarged plans are still required, the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing should forward a cheque for N152.18 in the name of the Surveyor-General of this State.

(S.O. Oyediran)
for Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing.

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Please look into p. 244 which seems, regrettably, to have eluded my attention for some time.

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U. S. (G),

Page 244 is the reply of the PS, ML & H, to our letter on page 242 in which we requested to know from that Ministry why it has not co-operated with the Unibadan authorities over the acquisition of land around the University. There had been a long-standing legal suit in the State High Court over the land - please see your predecessor's submission to HEMG on the matter as at pp.239 - 40.

2. According to the Chief Lands Officer in the ML & H, his men cannot continue with the job unless enough money is provided by the Federal Government (£152.18) to meet the cost of preparing the needed survey plans. A cheque issued by the Federal Gov't in the name of the PS, ML & H, for the purpose could not be utilized and our State Lands & Housing Department has requested that the Federal Gov't prepares a new cheque in the name of the Surveyor-General. This has not been done.

3. From the fore-going it appears difficult to hold our ML & H responsible for the delay provided of course that its side of the case represents the true position. However, and not to continue making an ado about nothing, I suggest we inform the Uniban authorities of the position as indicated by our own Department and ask the ML & H to get Lagos to provide the money needed so that the survey plans could be prepared without any further delay.

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(S. Olaiya Oni),

A. S. (G),

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Please write to the Cabinet Office, Lagos, w.r.t. pp. 236 & 237 giving the substance of paras. 2 & 3 p. 244 and request that the Fed. M.W. & H. be prevailed upon to send another cheque as required. Copy Fed. M.W. & H. f.n. urgent action and our R.H. & H. for closer liaison and cooperation. I shd like to see draft b/y it issues.

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Your minute of 20th of p. 246.

One draft, now at S.C., S.F.C., please.

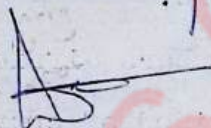


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Please issue as amended, and
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SP/S.202/248

28th August, 1973

The Secretary to the Federal Military
Government,
Cabinet Office,
LAGOS.

Acquisition of Land for the University of Ibadan

I am directed to refer to your letter No. 58721/V/594 of 27th March, 1973 and to apologise for the delay in sending a reply. Enquiries have been made from our Ministry of Lands and Housing and it has been found that the situation described in the attachment to your letter under reference was brought about by apparent misunderstanding between that Ministry and the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing. The request for plans came at a time when there was no vote available for the execution of such projects. Individual votes available to the Ministry are by their nature very specific and could not have accommodated the type of request from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing without raising substantial audit queries. Even then, at the time the request was made, most of the votes had become depleted.

2. This was the reason why a request had to be made for funds from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing. Unfortunately, because of accounting difficulties, the cheque brought by the Senior Estate Officer could not be utilised for the purpose intended as it was prepared in the name of the Permanent Secretary. For this reason, the cheque was returned and a request was made for the issue of a fresh one in the name of the Surveyor-General, Western State. The position now is that no new cheque has been received by the Ministry of Lands and Housing. It is necessary, therefore, if the enlarged plans are still required, that the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing should forward a cheque for ₦152.28 drawn in favour of the Surveyor-General, Western State, and efforts will be made to expedite action at this end.



Copy to:-

The Permanent Secretary,
Federal Ministry of Works and Housing,
LAGOS.

(E. O. Okusanya)
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.
Ref. No.SP/S.202/248A

Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan: 28th August, 1973

Above for information and urgent action, please.

(E. O. Okusanya)
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

Ref. No. SP/S.202/248B

Office of the Military Governor,
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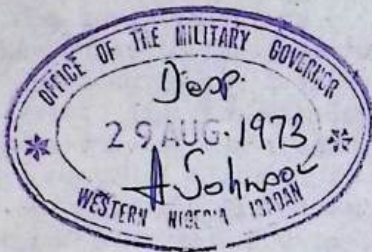
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The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Lands Division,
Ibadan.

Overleaf for information. It will be appreciated if
you give the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing closer liaison
and co-operation.

2. Your letter No. LS.158/A Vol.III/436 of 20th June, 1973 refers.

(E. O. Okusanya)
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.



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28 September, 1973

The Secretary to the Federal
Military Government,
Cabinet Office,
LAGOS.

Acquisition of Land for the University of Ibadan

May I know what action has been taken on my letter
No. SP/S.202/248 of 28th August, 1973.



(O. A. Adekola)
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

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UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, NIGERIA

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

1948-1973

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Vice-Chancellor:

H. ORITSEJOLOMI THOMAS, CBE, CON, MB (Birm.), FRCS,
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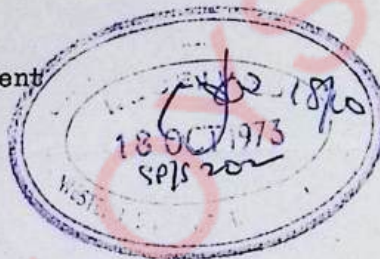
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15 October, 1973.

Mr P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Secretariat,
Ibadan.



Dear Mr Odumosu,

This year, the University of Ibadan is celebrating its 25th Anniversary. A 10-day programme of events, which will culminate in the Graduation Ceremony for higher and honorary degrees on Saturday, 17 November, has been planned. Immediately after this Ceremony, the launching of the Endowment Fund and Benefactions will be held. I have great pleasure in inviting you to these ceremonies.

Award of honorary degrees of the University will be made to these distinguished men:

His Imperial Majesty, Emperor Haile Sellasie I
of Ethiopia;

Dr Ishaya Audu, Vice-Chancellor, Ahmadu
Bello University, Zaria;

Professor C.W.L. Bevan, Principal, University
College of South Wales, Cardiff; and

Mr M.O. Omolayole, Vice-Chairman, Lever Brothers
(Nigeria) Limited, Lagos.

It is my hope that you will do the University the honour of attending the two ceremonies and the graduation luncheon that follows it. The official invitation cards will be sent as soon as I know that you will be able to attend.

Yours sincerely,

H. Oritsejomi Thomas
Vice-Chancellor

SP/S.202/252

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18 October, 1973.

Professor H. Oritsejomi Thomas,
Vice-Chancellor,
University of Ibadan,
IBADAN,
Nigeria.

Dear Prof. Thomas,

Thank you for your letter No. VC/GF.1/2 dated 15th October, 1973, inviting me to the Graduation Ceremony for higher and honorary degrees of your University on Saturday, 17th November, to be followed by the launching of the Endowment Fund and Benefactions of the University. I accept your kind invitation with great pleasure and look forward to the official invitation cards.

Yours sincerely,

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(P. T. ODUMOSU),
Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.



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His Excellency Brigadier Oluwole Rotimi,
Military Governor, Western State.

Your Excellency

Endowment Fund

12 October, 1973



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It will be recalled that earlier on in the life of this University an endowment fund was launched. Although many Nigerians were able to contribute to it, a major portion of the contributions came from outside the country. Nigerians now have a better opportunity to make generous donations to their oldest institution of higher learning. On behalf of Senate and Council of the University we invite you to make your donation to the fund.

Please make donations payable to the Vice-Chancellor, University of Ibadan. All donations will be acknowledged and duly receipted.

We count on you for support and look forward to your generous response.

Yours sincerely,

Kashim Ibrahim
Chancellor

S. L. A. Manuwa
Pro-Chancellor

H. Oritsejolomi Thomas
Vice-Chancellor

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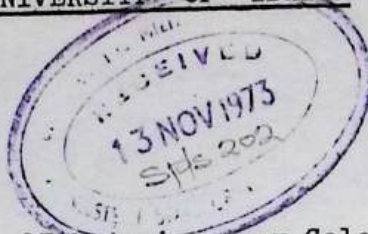
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Sir/Madam,

25th Anniversary Celebrations
Launching of the Book:

"The University of Ibadan, 1948-73: A
History of the First Twenty-Five Years"

The launching of the above-named book which was scheduled for Wednesday, 7 November 1973 will now take place at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday, 10 November, at the Exhibition Site (near the Chapel of the Resurrection). The launching will be followed by the opening of the Exhibition on "25 Years of Progress" of the University.

Any inconvenience caused by these changes is regretted.

Yours sincerely,

T.O. Okusanya
T.O. Okusanya,
Administrative Officer
(Vice-Chancellor's Office).

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Mr. P.T. Odumosu,
Secretary to the Military Government & Head of Service,
Military Governor's Office,
Western State,
Ibadan.

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28 January, 1974

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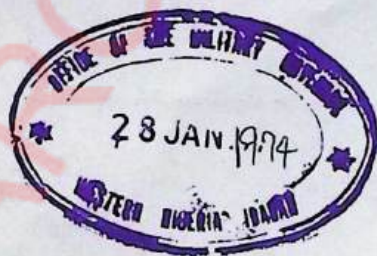
(For the attention of Mr. O. Olugbosi)

Acquisition of Land for the University of Ibadan

May I refer to my letter No. SP/S.202/248 of 28th
August, 1973 and subsequent reminder No. SP/S.202/250 of
28th September, 1973 and ask for the favour of an early reply.

(O. A. Adekola)
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

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Ref. No. 58721/T.2/40

Date 19th March, 1974

The Secretary to the
Military Government,
Western State,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.



For the attention of Mr. O.A. Adekola

Acquisition of Land for the University of Ibadan

P. 248
I am directed to refer to your letter No. SP/S.202/248 of 25th August 1973 and subsequent reminders on the above subject and to say that the matter is being attended to.

2. Further correspondence will be addressed to you in due course.

[Signature]
O. OLUGBOSI.

for Secretary to the Federal
Military Government.

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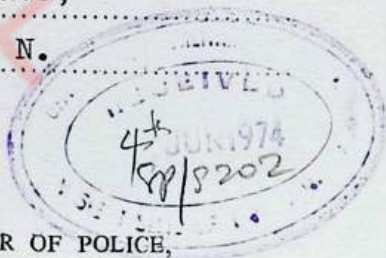
His Excellency Brig. O. Rotimi,
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The Military Governor,
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Western State,
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With the compliments of

THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
NIGERIA POLICE FORCE,
STATE HEADQUARTERS,
ELEIYELE—IBADAN,
WESTERN STATE.

4th February, 1974.

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Mr. T. A. Fagbola, NPM.,
Deputy Inspector-General of Police,
Force Headquarters,
Lagos.

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Illegal Procession and Disturbances
By The Students on 1st February, 1974
Re: Adekunle Adepeju Memorial Day

Please recall my CB.2071/W/T of 1st February, 1974.

2. On the morning of 1st February, 1974, I deployed my men to strategic positions as indicated in my above quoted letter. My SB men on the ground reported to me on telephone, about 0900 hours, the Memorial Service in the Campus had commenced and at 0950 hours, further reported the Service was over and the students were embussing in readiness for the procession to late Adekunle Adepeju's grave. At 1100 hours, ACPOL Bakare (O.C. SB) informed me, on the telephone, he had received report from his detectives along the route, that the students alighted from their buses just by the Ibadan Boys High School, Oke-Ado and were processing, contrary to their earlier undertaking.

3. To avoid any later accusation of Police provocation, I left the office 1112 hours in my staff car with my driver and orderly, none of the three of us with a steel helmet, a baton or any riot equipment, at all. On my way out of the SHQ. compound, I picked one PMF man from the Smoke Pistol Section, in case. To emphasise further, that as though I was going on a peaceful mission, besides the PMF Constable having a steel helmet, the smoke pistol and seven smoke grenades, he did not even hold his respirator. I drove to Oke-Ado via Dugbe and from Oke-Ado Market, noticed that the I.C.C. and Ibadan University buses supposed to be conveying the students were empty and moving at a snail speed. I overtook them using the siren to clear the road and soon found the students trekking towards Molete direction. I overtook them and caught up with the first line of the students' demonstrators opposite the United Missionary College, Oke-Ado, Ibadan, a distance of 300 yards from the Molete/Lagos Road junction.

4. Before catching up with the demonstrating/processing students and unknown to me, they had, about 1100 hours, at the junction of Ososami/Oke-Ado (Ijebu Bye Pass) Roads, confronted the driver of the Western State Police Sports bus, who had driven into the frontage of a Police hired quarters around the area, to avoid them. They warned him to alight from the vehicle or get burnt with it. The driver, No.31832 PC. Eosede Shittu, abandoned the vehicle and stood afar off, whilst the students struck matches and threw same into the bus. Fortunately, it was only the passengers' seat next to the driver's that got totally burnt before members of the public around helped to put the fire off. In addition, the students had smashed the front windscreen

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of the bus leaving behind therein, an iron rod, with which they did the havoc. Attached, herewith, are two photographs showing the smashed windscreen and the burnt seat of the bus.

5. Para. 4 above and the WNTV (2130 hrs.) news film of the incident will show clearly, the students had alighted from their buses, had become riotous and were trekking before I caught up with them. The University Officials detailed to follow the bus procession, (especially Mr. Babalola, the Students Affairs Officer, one Francis Iredia, a U.I. bus driver in the entourage) and well-meaning members of the public around will testify to this.

6. In continuation of my paragraph 3 above, I stopped my car some 50 yards ahead of the first line of the demonstrators, alighted and went to them, followed by my orderly and the PMF smoke pistol man in my company. I stopped them, appealed to them, saying "Ladies and Gentlemen, please honour your pledge. You had undertaken you would not process (on foot); that you would leave your campus in buses, travel straight to the grave side at St. Annes Cemetary and return to your campus in the same convoy of buses. I also reminded them that they had ~~to~~ put out a release on cyclostyled pink sheets of paper that same morning, in which they said they had dropped from their programme the idea of trekking or demonstrating. Some three demonstrators, in the first front line, behaved with great maturity and tried to appeal to me to allow them continue. I rejected this plea. In no time, some of the demonstrators became furious, making all kinds of scathing accusations about "Autocratic Government, Murderers, Police State and the like; at the same time, most of them throwing their fists in my direction, as an indication they were ready for a confrontation. No sooner, than I noticed that stones, empty bottles and the like were being hauled against me and the three men with me. The stones smashed the rear wind-screen of my car and some of the missiles met my car on all sides, except the front, which faced Molete direction. In no time too, some of the student demonstrators started to hit me from all sides and in actual fact, one of them punched my left ear! Another tugged at my lanyard, while yet another tried to remove my left shoulder flap, ostensibly with a view to snatching my badges of rank.

7. Noticing how violent and unreasoning they had become and in particular, that many of them were carrying wooden swords, I retreated with my men towards Molete and ordered the PMF man to fire smoke grenades into their midst. This had the desired effect, making them retreat too (away from Molete) scattering all over the place, into various side openings and particularly, a primary school compound on the left, facing Molete. Some intransigent ones broke through the smoke and pursued me, particularly, whilst the others from a distance continued to haul stones, empty bottles and other missiles, some of which no matter how we dodged, met one or the other of the four of us.

8. Among these intransigent ones are two cases worthy of note:

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(i) Adetunji Adepeju: This, I understand is a brother to the late Adekunle Adepeju, who was being remembered according to them. He is not a U.I. student but a laboratory technologist at the Adeoyo Hospital. He was not only in the front line among the militant group on this demonstration, but also wore the black singlet, with the inscription across the chest, "Kunle Adepeju", which was the uniform for the day. As I retreated, he followed me and kept on shouting and tugging at my uniform saying "I am brother to Kunle Adepeju whom you, people, killed three years ago. Kill me now too. You murderers". I did not listen to him at first, until he too dislodged my cap and gave me a blow at the back of the neck. Unfortunately for him, whilst harrassing me in this way, the FMF Unit, led by Supol Oshodi, got to the scene and naturally, he was the first to be "dealt" with and arrested by the FMF boys. Sometime later, when the whole scene had subsided a bit, someone apparently summoned his mother to the scene and seeing her emotional weeping and recalling it was only two years ago she lost the senior brother in similar circumstances, I urged her to ask her son what he said and did to me. His reply, then that he had become sober, was "I was possessed". Curiously enough, later in the evening at the Central Police Station, the stupid father started alleging that the boy was just coming out of a Church service when the Police beat him up. There again, I urged the father to ask him what he said and did to me at the scene. When he heard this, he 'shut his trap'. It is significant to note that there is no church around the area of this confrontation and one might ask, what church service was being held about 1130 hours at Oke-Ado area. The mother, in her sober moment, eventually confessed that all her son told her earlier in the day, was that he was leaving home to attend the Memorial Service for his late brother at the U.I. campus. Besides, when the Vice-Chancellor, the Acting Registrar and the Deputy Vice-Chancellor of the U.I., in that succession, eventually met us at the scene, I equally urged them to ask him what he said and did to me and his answer in each case was an apology for all that happened and that "he was possessed" during the period. He is still being held in custody here, after his treatment, for his detention order along with some others whom I shall refer to below.

(ii) Oshodi: (f.n.u.) Just before my encounter with Adetunji Adepeju, this Oshodi one of the militant students wearing the uniform for the day, accosted me boasting he knew me very well; that we both came from Lagos and he would show me pepper", all along pointing his fingers at my nose. I told him his senior brothers who are lawyers and doctors would not talk to me in that vein, where-upon he tugged at the leather stripe of my cap, snapping same and throwing the cap on the floor. I pushed him away, but came back and pushed me in return on the chest. He, however, managed to escape, no sooner the FMF Unit arrived. He has been identified as a student of the U.I., but has since escaped from the Campus. I will identify him anywhere when things return to normal, pick him up and deal with him deservedly.

9. With the arrival of the FMF Unit and the dispersal of the demonstrating students in all directions, about 10 were arrested on the spot. In the process, a Leventis Departmental Stores nearby, had to be broken into to effect the arrest of some of them who had run inside for

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shelter. I soft-pedalled, bearing the insults and assaults with restraint before the IMF Unit arrived, realising the four of us were totally out-numbered and it will be foolhardy to fight back in such a situation. All the four of us should have been mauled. In the process too, the IMF PC with me had his smoke pistol and steel helmet snatched and carried away. It is a good thing he had expended all the seven smoke cartridges with him, before they carried the pistol away. Attached, herewith, please find photographs of the scene, littered with their missiles, the wreaths they abandoned and the rear windscreen of my car NPF 522 they smashed.

10. There and then, I despatched some IMF and Provincial Units to the U.I. Campus vicinity, to seal off the gates and screen students returning there, so as to arrest those they were convinced had taken part in the illegal demonstration and the confrontation with me. I also despatched other patrol teams around the town in search of the escaping students. In the meantime, ACPOL Bakare (SB) in an attempt to restrain one of the students from smashing the windscreen of a Police landrover (with only the driver in the vehicle) around Oke-Ado, was mobbed by about twenty students and came off with an injured and bleeding upper lip. Here too, it is pertinent to stress that SB detectives on the ground moving incognito up and down Oke-Ado road, reported seeing some of the students with bottles, suspected to contain incendiary, and also with matches.

11. When the area at Oke-Ado/Ijebu Bye Pass had returned to perfect normal, I departed, about 1445 hours, with a half IMF Unit with me and CID photographers to the U.I., visiting the various Units, manning the gates in search of demonstrating students trying to return to the Campus. Some arrests were made by the various Units and the case of one who had vigorously protested his innocence and non-participation in the demonstration early in the day, is worthy of note. On a thorough search of him he was found to have tucked his "uniform" into the bottom of his trousers. Another one was noticed with particles of dust and grass on his cxy-put with his shirt and trousers soiled at the back. On close interrogation, he was found to have tumbled over, whilst escaping from the scene. I returned to the Central Police Station at 1520 hours and found after proper checking, 103 men and women had been arrested from various parts of the town.

12. I need deprecate, in very strong terms, the deplorable role played by Professor Oyenuga, the Deputy Vice-Chancellor in the whole episode. At the scene of the confrontation, notwithstanding my explanation to him of all that happened, he was more concerned with getting immediate medical attention for the injured students, than expressing his strong disapproval for their misconduct and their flouting of Police Orders. He urged that the injured ones, amongst those arrested and kept with me in a Police lorry, be released to him to take to the U.I. Medical Centre for treatment. I pointed out to him I would rather send them to the Military Hospital, three doctors of whom I had radioed the Westops to contact to be in readiness to treat them. I rejected his offer to take them in his car to the Military Hospital, but conceded to him the privilege to follow them there. After the treatment of these - about ten including some arrested at some other spots - they were escorted to the Central Police Station. Before I got to the Central Police Station, Professor Oyenuga had been insisting that these students be

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released to him for better medical attention at the U.I. Medical Centre. When he was told by Acpols Bakare and Oyegbade his request could not be acceded to except with my approval, he was alleged to have repeated in fury that if he spoke to the DIG about them, he would immediately order their release. On my getting to the CPS, he would not repeat this boasts but appealed to me the students were very bad-off and would require to be kept in hospital bed for sometime. Lest, we were in future accused of so many things, if anything untoward happened to any of them, I released them to him against his guarantee of their production immediately they got well. It was after his departure, that the most senior Military Hospital Doctor confided in me that there was nothing so serious with any of them. Later that evening when I asked Supol Ogundare to go to the campus to ask the Prof. to return them, none of the eight he took away to the U.I. Medical Centre was anywhere to be found there. The Vice Chancellor was alarmed at this despicable trickery and himself looked for Prof. Oyenuga; but he was nowhere to be found in the campus throughout that night, till the afternoon of 2/2/74, when he was located at the University of Ife campus. He was recalled by the Vice Chancellor and of the eight released to him, only three have so far been produced to us. Their whereabouts of the other five are yet unknown; but it is certain they are no more in the campus. Of the other two, Adetunji Adepeju was taken to the Adeoyo Hospital, where his father insisted he would have better treatment, being a staff of the Hospital. The Doctor treating him, incidentally a friend, had informed me today he had given him enough treatment and there was no more need for keeping him in a hospital bed. He has been handed to us and is now in custody. The other one - Ralph Kenneth of the U.I. who was supposed to have been taken into the U.I. Medical Centre by Prof. Oyenuga - was yesterday (2/2/74) discovered at the Adeoyo Hospital; and when he and his collaborators found the Police had discovered the trick, he got transferred, at his own instance, to Dr. Jaja's Private Clinic. He also had been retrieved from this Clinic and is in custody now.

7268-267 13. Students of the University of Lagos who had taken part in the demonstration, but managed to escape were arrested at the State Headquarters here on 2/2/74, when they had the impudence to come to demand from me the whereabouts of one of their delegates, whom they claimed they saw the Police arrest. Attached herewith, therefore, is a list of those in custody here not sent to Lagos with the other ninety-three on 1/2/74 and for whom detention orders are now being requested not to keep them too long here. Those indicated amongst them as not yet produced by Prof. Oyenuga, should also have their detention orders issued in readiness against their rearrest.

14. On the whole, during the operation by all the units committed, put together, a total of fifty-six (56) smoke catridges, twenty (20) long range shells and nineteen (19) hand grenades were expended.

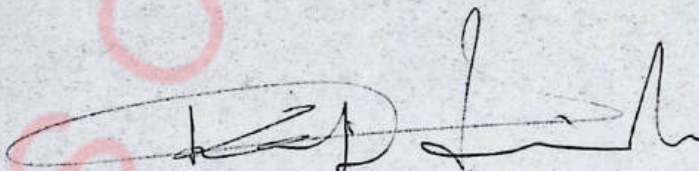
7270 15. I have brought you up-to-date of the events since then, by my signals CJ.4151/W/Vol.3/282 DTO: 011300/02, CJ.4151/W/Vol.3/286 DTO: 011730/2 and CJ.4151/W/Vol.3/T DTO: 031415/2. You would also have heard of the decision of the Senate to close down the University to the students, with immediate effect and until further notice, first broadcast on both the W.N.B.S. and West N.B.C. at 2100 hours date. A copy of the University's Special Notice in this regard is attached herewith. My men have taken position round the University Campus, especially at the U.I. Police Station in readiness to answer any call by the Vice Chancellor to deal with any high-handedness or resort to violence by the students inside or outside the University campus. Police patrols are also all over the city, to deal firmly with any students or member of the public, taking advantage of the situation. The Unit from Mopol 7 which had been

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escorting the Commander-In-Chief on his present tour of the North Western State has also returned to base on the orders of the IGP. One Provincial riot unit has also been ordered to reach here tomorrow morning, unfailingly, from Abeokuta and Ijebu Provincial Police Commands.

16. I cannot end this report without commending the maturity, unique understanding and tremendous goodwill towards the Police by the Vice Chancellor, Prof. O. Thomas, who was not only in constant consultation with me on every development, but also called at my office twice a day since this episode commenced. He has condemned, in no uncertain terms, his students for their irrational behaviour and commended even to the Senate today (3/2/74), the unique restraint with which the Police handled the whole situation, without which blood would have been flowing till now.

17. Two reports regarding the manhandling of a Doctor Shoyanwo, Lecturer in the University of Ibadan and a Mr. Oshindipe, a State Counsel, by my policemen are under investigation. I need mention, however, that when I sent Acpol Oyegbade and Supol Ogundare to interview Doctor Shoyanwo on his sick bed at the U.C.H. this evening between 2115 and 2205 hours, he treated them with contempt refusing to have "anything to do with any policeman". It is gratifying, however, the officers saw him afar, pacing around in his side ward, with a not-to-big plaster on the left side of his head. I am yet to see Mr. Oshindipe to hear details of his report before necessary investigation and any action I consider deemed fit.



(K. O. TINUBU)
AG. COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
WESTERN STATE.

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NAMES OF THE U. I. STUDENTS

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| 1. Emmanuel Egbe | 44. Ayodeji Fakolade |
| 2. Des Wilson | 45. Ajibade Lawrence |
| 3. Tunde Thomas | 46. Emeka Obiaye |
| 4. Wole Akinnuga | 47. Oluwole Shode |
| 5. Okoroh Victor | 48. Atofarati Richard |
| 6. Sola Adeyemi | 49. Fadipe Dayo |
| 7. Fomsit Driton | 50. Salilu Maliki |
| 8. Biodun Olubajo | 51. Ayoola Folarin |
| 9. Mlanga Michael | 52. Mezie Chukwunwike |
| 10. Enunuaye Solomon | 53. Bassey Offiong |
| 11. Ndubilo Boniface | 54. Yemi Sonuga |
| 12. Oboh Francis | 55. Irema Azodeh |
| 13. Dupe Mayangbe (f) | 56. Tunde Tijani |
| 14. Adelaja Olatunde | 57. Olu Oparison |
| 15. Tebu Ebitimi | 58. Yinka Ogunbekun (f) |
| 16. Eseka Emmanuel | 59. Dupe Adesigbin (f) |
| 17. Adunkunle Ajose | 60. John Olawoyin |
| 18. Ameh Johnson | 61. Gabriel Olushola, Oloyede |
| 19. Umejei Ezekeil | 62. Joseph Munis |
| 20. Mike Agbomire | 63. Abuwa Omoeno |
| 21. Obasule Abdul | 64. Toju Ejueyitchie |
| 22. Dayo Sofekun | 65. Vincent Aderibigbe |
| 23. Ayodeji Bakare | 66. Ibikepamo Badmus |
| 24. Onyebuchi Esonu | 67. Adelola Joseph Adedeji |
| 25. Victor Sholanke | 68. Ukhi Preston |
| 26. Medaidu Babalola Stephen Ojo | 69. Celerina Otobo |
| 27. Abdul Kareem Adebimpe | 70. Akinyemi Joseph |
| 28. John Ogunleye | 71. Fidelia Okeke (f) |
| 29. Osagede James | 72. Bridget Rapu (f) |
| 30. Oyibo Samuel | 73. Okupe Doyin |
| 31. Oluwole Ogunsheye | 74. Alero Ogisi (f) |
| 32. Adewunmi Agbede | 75. Robo Okiy (f) |
| 33. Oluwole Agbede | 76. Felix Abiodun |
| 34. Samuel Omotosho | 77. Shohu Haruna Bawa |
| 35. Adeshida Alaba | 78. Inan Udo Udoma |
| 36. David Oluwole Banjo | 79. Alabi Soji |
| 37. Japan Lemi | 80. Lawrence Omotunde |
| 38. Olumide Bakare | 81. Francis Kudaya |
| 39. Anehang John | 82. Arthur Kgosidintsi |
| 40. Akon John | 83. Tokunbo Osere Alias Benjamin Oguntuashe |
| 41. Thompson Sule | 84. Alli Adekunle |
| 42. Ogunshina James | 85. Achineku Nyor |
| 43. Akinsoyinu Akintunde | 86. Fayanju Sebastian |

87. Acho Ityotom Timothy
88. Olusegun Fapohunda
89. Oladapo Oguntolu
90. Emmanuel Ofuasia
91. Fred Akhikpemelo
92. Bitrus Jat.
93. Anthony Yinka Joseph

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From the Office of the Vice-Chancellor

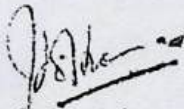
February 3, 1974

SPECIAL NOTICE

At an Emergency Meeting of Senate held today, Sunday, February 3, 1974, from 4.00 to 6.30 p.m., I was advised by Senate, in the interest of the entire University, to close the University to students with immediate effect and until further notice. I have accepted the advice of Senate and I hereby declare the University closed to students until further notice.

Students whose homes are outside Ibadan City may not be able to leave the campus this evening. Such students may remain in residence (that is, in their respective halls of residence with the permission of their Hall Masters/Mistress) until 8.00 a.m. tomorrow, Monday, February 4, 1974.

I will continue to make every effort to see that the situation is restored to normal as soon as possible.


H. Oritsejolomi Thomas
Vice-Chancellor

Distribution:

S/NO.	FULL NAMES		FACULTY	INSTITUTION
	Emmanuel EGBE	Student	Arts	Unibadan
2.	Des WILSON	"	Arts	"
3.	Tunde THOMAS	"	Science	"
4.	Wole AKINNUGA	"	Agric.	"
5.	Okorh VICTOR	"	Education	"
6.	Sola ADEYEMI	"	Social Sciences	"
7.	Femisit DRITON	"	Medicine	"
8.	Biodun OLUBAJO	"	Education	"
9.	Mlanga MICHAEL	"	Agric	"
10.	Enunuaaye SOLOMON	"	Arts	"
11.	Naubile BONIFACE	"	Arts	"
12.	Oboh FRANCIS	"	Arts	"
13.	Dupe MAYUNGBE (f)	"	Education	"
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15.	Etebu EBITIMI	"	Agric Science	"
16.	Esaka EMMANUEL	"	Science	"
17.	Adokunle AJOSE	"	Applied Science	"
18.	Aneh JOHNSON	"	" "	"
19.	Umeji EZEKIEL	"	Mass Communi-	UNILAG.
20.	Mike AGBOMIRE	"	Agric	UNIBADAN
21.	Obasule ABDUL	"	Education	"
22.	Dayo SOFEKUN	"	Town Planning	POLYTECHNIC
23.	Ayodeji BAKARE	"	Medicine	UNIBADAN
24.	Onyebuchi ESONU	"	Medicine	"
25.	Victor SHOLANKE	"	Medicine	"
26.	Abdul Kareem ADEBIMPE	"	Social Science	"
27.	Osagade JAMES	"	Nursing	"
28.	Oyibo SAMUEL	"	Science	"
29.	Adewunmi AGBEDE	"	Vet Medicine	"
30.	Oluwole AGBEDE	"	Geology	"
31.	Samuel OMOTOSHO	"	Social Science	"
32.	David Oluwole BANJO	"	Medicine	"
33.	Japan LEMI	"	Forestry	"
34.	Olumide BAKARE	Artist	School of Drama	"
35.	Anchang JOHN	Student	Forestry	"
36.	Akeh JOHN	"	Science	"
37.	Thompson SULE	"	Vet. Medicine	"
38.	Ogunsina JAMES (Research)	"	Arts	"
39.	Akinsoyinu AKINTUNDE (Research)	"	Agric.	"
40.	Ayodele FAKOLADE	"	Science	"
41.	Ajibade LAWRENCE	"	Agric	"
42.	Emeka OBIAYE	"	Engineering	"
43.	Oluwole SHODE	"	Science	"
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47.	Ayeola POLARIN	"	Medicine	"
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49.	Bassey OFFIONG	"	Social Science	"
50.	Yemi SONUGA	"	Science	"
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53.	Olu OPARISON	"	Science	"
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57.	Gabriel Olusola OLOYEDE	"	Agric.	"
58.	Joseph MUNIS	"	Agric.	"
59.	Abuwa OMOENO	"	Agric	"
60.	Toju EJUEYITCHIE	"	Agric	"
61.	Vincent ADERIBIGBE	"	Science	"
62.	Ibikemamo BADMUS	"	Science	"
63.	Adelola Joseph ADEDEJI	"	Education	"
64.	Ukoli PRESTON	"	Medicine	"
65.	Celerina OTOBO (f)	"	Arts	"
66.	Alinyemi JOSEPH	"	Vet. Medicine	"
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70.	Alero OGISI (f)	"	Arts	"
71.	Robo OKIY (f)	"	Arts	"
72.	Felix ABIODUN	"	Arts	"
73.	Shehu Haruna BAWA	"	Social Science	"
74.	Inan Udo-UDOMA	"	Science	"
75.	Alabi BOJI	"	Science	"
76.	Lawrence OMOTUNDE	"	Agric	"
77.	Francis KUDAYA	"	Social Science	"
78.	Arthur KGOSIDINTSI	"	Agric	"
79.	Tokunbo OSERE (@ Benj. OGUNTUASE)	"	Science	"
80.	Alli ADEKUNLE	"	Agric	"
81.	Achineku NYOR	"	Medicine	"
82.	Feyanju SEBASTIAN	"	Science	"
83.	Acho Ityotom THIMOTHY	"	Medicine	"
84.	Olusegun FAPOHUNDA	"	Engineering	POLYTECHNIC
85.	Anthony Yinka JOSEPH	"	Agric	UNIBADAN
86.	Oladapo OGUNTOLU	"	Accountancy	POLYTECHNIC
87.	Fred AKHIKPEMELO	"	Science	UNIBADAN
88.	Bitrus JAT	"	Administration	ABU, Zaria.
89.	Wole OLANIPEKUN	"		UNILAG.
90.	Bode FADEYI	"		UNILAG.

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91.	Babalola ADESANYA	Student	UNILAG
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93.	Adelinoyi IBRAHIM	"	"
94.	Clement S. BELLO	"	"
95.	Issac JANGBO	"	"
96.	Femi LAWANSON	"	UNIBADAN
97.	Wale AJAYI	"	"
98.	Francis IKEDIA	"	"
99.	Uche EKKINNE	"	"

THOSE RETURNED FROM LAGOS FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION

BY THE STATE C.I.D.

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| 1. | Adesida ALABA | U.I. Agbawe |
| 2. | Emmanuel OFUASIA | of Kongi Layout Bodija Ibadan |
| 3. | John OGUNLEYE | of Oniyarrin, Ibadan |
| 4. | Modaidun Babalola Stephen OJO | Ministry of Works & Transport
Waste Disposal Board. |
| 5. | Oluwale OGUNSUYI | Mokola Housing Estate Avenue Ibadan. |

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Ref. No. 58721/V/657

Date 3rd June, 1974.

Secretary to the Military Government,
Western State,
Ibadan.

(For the attention of Mr. E. O. Okusanya)



Acquisition of Land for the University of Ibadan

I refer to your letter No. SP/S.202/248 of 28th August, 1973, and the subsequent reminders, and regret that it has taken this long to send a reply.

2. Enquiries at this end reveal that contrary to the impression created by your Ministry of Lands and Housing which seemed to have blamed the delay on the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing, the fact is that the payment in question had been made since 19th March, 1973, for which Revenue Collector's Receipt No. 058861 had been duly issued.
3. As regards the question of accounting difficulties raised in your paragraph 2, I should say with due sense of responsibility that this Office does not readily appreciate what the problem is. In so far as the Federal Government is concerned, our accredited agent in respect of this matter is the Western State Ministry of Lands and Housing, and as the Accounting Officer, it is proper that the relevant A.I.E. raised should be in favour of the Permanent Secretary. However, having received this money from the Federal Government, it is up to him to sub-allocate or apply the funds, and from our own point of view, how he does it at his level should be a matter of internal arrangement between him and the Surveyor-General.
4. Had this been done, a good deal of time would have been saved, and indeed, in the light of the concern already shown about this matter at the highest levels of both the Federal and the State Governments it seems clear that we officials have a duty to prevent this matter from stalling, more so, when the payment involved was a paltry ₦152.28k.
5. In the circumstances, it would be appreciated if you would use your good offices with the responsible arms of your Government so as to ensure prompt disposal of this matter.
6. This letter is being copied to the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing, as well as the Federal Ministry of Education which, as you appreciate, now has direct responsibility for Higher Education.

(B. Kolawole)

for Secretary to the Federal
Military Government.

P.S.O.M.G.

You will please recall that sometime ago the University of Ibadan sought H.E's assistance in getting the suit filed on the University of Ibadan second land acquisition disposed of as quickly as possible. This matter was subject of correspondence between this office and Ministry of Lands and Housing and, later, ~~the~~ the Cabinet Office, Lagos in which attempts were made to find out what had prevented an accelerated hearing of the case. In all these correspondence, it was established that the relevant claims plans were not submitted to the court in time but both our M.L. & H. and F.M.W. & H. had one excuse or the other to exonerate themselves from blame.

2. The latest on this matter is the letter from Secretary, F.M.G. at p. 274 which informs us that the sum of N152.28 which M.L. & H. needed to prepare the required plans had been paid since 19th March, 1973. In his comments on the explanation offered for the inability of M.L. & H. to prepare the plans in good time, S. F.M.G. stated that he could not see the accounting difficulties which had made it impossible for the Ministry to utilise the A.I.E. made available earlier on.

3. It does not appear that the letter calls for further action except probably to ask P.S., M.L. & H. to confirm that the plans had since been prepared and made available to the court.

XX
M
(E. G. Adejumo)
A.S. (H.S.)

18th June, 1974.

AS(H.S.)

As proposed in XX above, pl. We shall then be in a position to confirm same to SFM.G.

2. I think we shd let PSTLH see a copy of p. 274 also.

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Ref. No. SP/S.202/276

Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

19 June, 1974.

Copy to:-

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Ibadan.

Overleaf for information.

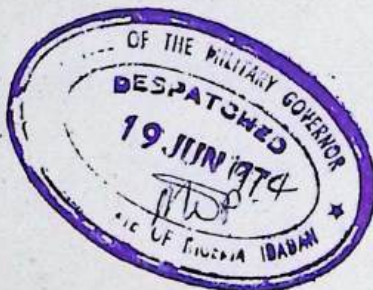
2. I should be grateful if you would confirm that the plans in question had since been prepared and made available to the court.

PA
(E. G. Adejumo)
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

Despatches and b.u. on 10/7 ✓

PA

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AS(US)

*B. U. on this page is submitted
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// July, 1974

The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Lands and Housing,
Ibadan.

Acquisition of Land for the
University of Ibadan

Please refer to my endorsement No. SP/S.202/276
of 19th June, 1974 and let me have your reply in due course.

M

(E. G. Adejumo)
for Secretary to the Military Government
and Head of Service.

Despatches & b.u. 2/8. ✓

M

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MINISTRY OF LANDS

AND HOUSING

LANDS DIVISION
WESTERN STATE OF NIGERIA

Your Ref. No. SP/S.202

Further communications on this
subject should be addressed to the
Permanent Secretary quoting

Our Ref. No. LS.158/Vol.IV/835.



Date 31st July, 1974.

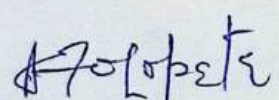
The Secretary to the Military
Government and Head of Service,
Office of the Military Governor,
Ibadan.

Acquisition of Land for the University
of Ibadan.

P.276.

I am directed to refer to your endorsement No.
SP/S.202/276 of 19th June, 1974 and to confirm that copies
of U. I. 2nd Acquisition Claims plan have been supplied
to the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing. One Mr.
O. Akinyemi collected 36 copies of the Plan No. IB 1042A
from this office on behalf of the Chief Federal Lands
Officer on 11th October, 1972.

/MSO:


(I. T. Olopete),
for Permanent Secretary.

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MINISTRY OF LANDS

AND HOUSING

ADMINISTRATION AND GENERAL DIVISION
~~SURVEY DIVISION~~
 WESTERN STATE OF NIGERIA

Your Ref. No.....

Further communications on this subject should be addressed to the Permanent Secretary quoting

Our Ref No. LS.158/S.1 Vol.5/323Date 11 February, 1975.

The Secretary to the Military Government
 and Head of Service,
 Office of the Military Governor,
 Ibadan.



Acquisition of Land by the
University of Ibadan

The Federal Government acquired a parcel of land adjacent to the University of Ibadan and for the use of the University but it has been found difficult by the University to enter into physical possession of the land. In May 1972, the then Acting Vice Chancellor of the University sought the assistance of His Excellency, the Military Governor, to enable the University to enter the land. I refer to your endorsement No. SP/S.202/191A of 3rd May 1972. The meeting was held on 9th May 1972.

2. It is understood that the Commissioner for Lands and Housing and the Commissioner of Local Government and Chieftaincy Affairs were to meet the Olubadan on the issue but this was not fruitful and that His Excellency the Military Governor was going to influence a quick disposal of the case in court over conflicting claims by various people. It is alleged that consequently, the hearing of the case commenced but seems to have fizzled out and, as of now, case has only been partly heard.

3. The University authorities continue to show great concern about this matter and held a meeting with me on the 29th January 1975 to discuss the matter among other issues. The meeting agreed that the matter be again brought to the attention of His Excellency with a view to the High Court disposing of the court case very quickly. Another approach is to be made to the Olubadan with a view to his persuading the land owners to allow the University to enter into part of the land pending settlement of claims in the High Court.

4. Could you please bring this to the attention of His Excellency for any possible assistance in respect of the early disposal of the case in court.

AKande
 (C. S. O. AKande),
 Permanent Secretary.

AS. (G.)

ref. the issues raised in the above letter, can you this week-end please go through file carefully, and reconstruct the story for me up to date. You will find the brief at p. 196 helpful.

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PSOMG,

Your minute at the bottom of page 279 refers, please.

2. I have gone through the file and hereunder is a summary of the story:

'It is about the difficulties the University of Ibadan has for some-time now been experiencing over what is known as its "second area of acquisition". This area which is said to be about 1,271 acres of land is North of the present area occupied by the University was acquired in 1953. The University later paid compensation to a number of individual claimants. However, ^{when} the University wanted to utilize the area acquired, it encountered some resistance from the villagers occupying the area. It was later learnt that one Mogaji Toki and Lasisi Akano might not be the true owners of the land for which they had claimed and received compensation. The University then sought the help of the Western State Government to enable it acquire the land. Representations were made to His Excellency the Military Governor and the University authorities also held a meeting with officials of the Ministry of Lands and Housing. Later, following an advice from the Ministry of Justice, the conflicting claims between Mogaji Toki and Lasisi Akano respectively on one hand and the alleged rightful owners on the other were referred to the High Court of Justice for a decision in order to ascertain the true owners of the land. When it appeared that this case in court was dragging on for too long, an approach was made to the Chief Justice of the Western State by this office, on the directives of HEMG, to expedite action on the suit. In his letter at page 212, the Chief Justice wrote to say that delay in concluding the case was due to the fact that the Federal Authorities were not showing enough interest in the case. This office then addressed a letter at page 215 to the Vice-Chancellor, University of Ibadan informing him of efforts so far made by Government to help the University in acquiring the area of land and also the observations of the Chief Justice. The University Authority was therefore advised to put pressure on the Federal Ministries concerned with the case to expedite necessary action. The letter to the University was also copied to the SFMG in Lagos.

The SFMG in replying to our letter forwarded a photocopy of a letter addressed to him by the Federal Ministry of Justice in which it was alleged that the delay in producing the claims plan in respect of the land required by the Court was being caused by our Ministry of Lands and Housing. (vide pp. 236 - 237.) The allegation contained in the letter from the Federal Ministry of Justice was then referred to our Ministry of Lands and Housing for comments. After some allegations and counter allegations to shift the blame for the delay in producing the claims plans between our Ministry of Lands and Housing and the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing, our Ministry of Lands and Housing was able to report at page 278 that the Claims plans had been supplied to the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing. It was reported that one Mr. O. Akinyemi from the Federal Ministry of Works and Housing collected 36 copies of the Plan on 11th October, 1972. Regretably no further action was taken on the letter from our Ministry of Lands and Housing and thus the matter had rested since then. Now our Ministry of Lands and Housing has written to reopen the issue at page 279 informing us that the University authorities continue to show great interest in the matter and requesting that an approach be made to HEMG for early disposal of the case in court.

3. I think that the fact that no action was taken on page 278 had led to a breakdown in communication between this office and the Ministries (our own and Federal) concerned and this has no doubt prevented any further action being taken on the matter. It is my humble opinion that once we had consented to help the University in acquiring the land we should keep on pursuing the matter until it is concluded.

4. I will therefore wish to respectfully suggest that we start to pursue the matter from where we left off at page 278. First, a copy of page 278 will have to be forwarded to the Federal Cabinet Office as a reply to its page 274. The Cabinet Office will also be advised that now that the claims plan had been made, one will expect it to put the necessary pressure on the Federal Ministries of Works and Housing and of Justice to expedite necessary action to quicken the disposal of the case in court. It will also be advisable we forward again a copy of

our page 215 along with the letter (for ease of reference) and invite attention ~~to~~ Chief Justice's comments as stated at paragraph 3 therein for necessary action by the Federal Ministry of Justice. We will also request the Federal Cabinet Office to keep us informed of whatever action taken on the matter and then as soon as we hear from Lagos we will then know whether or not to make another approach to the Chief Justice to help in expediting action on the case in court. In the meantime we can reply our Ministry of Lands and Housing that we have again taken up the matter with the Federal Authorities. Also the Ministry will be requested to take prompt action in approaching the Olubadan with a view to his persuading the land owners to allow the University to enter into part of the land pending settlement of claims in the High Court. While such an approach may not only achieve its aim, it may also help in preparing the minds of the people to accept peacefully the court judgement on the matter.

5. I wish to humbly apologise for submitting this file just now, this is due to the fact that I spent most of yesterday and today at the Cocoa House where I was in attendance at the interview being held to appoint an Agricultural Analyst for the EPPU.

6. Foregoing is respectfully submitted for your information and you may wish to consider my paragraph 4 above, please.

Femi Osunro
(Femi Osunro)

A. S. (G),

27/5/75.

AS (GA)

Kindly proceed with
action as outlined in yr.
para. 4 above.

AS 31/7

See P283

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Date: 2/5/75

~~The Permanent Secretary, to the Military Governor,~~
Ministry of Military Governor's Office
Ibadan,
Western State of Nigeria.

Dear Sir,

Application for transport aid.

I have the great pleasure to inform you, Sir, that the University of Ibadan Medical Students' Association will be holding the 6th Annual Health Campaign Week starting from the 7th till 11th of May, 1975.

During this period, we undertake activities which are directed towards educating the public about various aspects of health and diseases. The programme of activities include launching ceremony, film Shows, demonstrations, exhibitions, home and school visit and symposium.

Since this project is entirely voluntary and extracurricular, we run it purely from the funds accruing from students contribution, donations from individuals, companies and organisations, and various ministries.

Most of our plans are working out well, but we have difficulty in getting enough buses to convey the students (about 600 in number) to the areas of campaign daily during the period.

On behalf of the entire members of the University of Ibadan Medical Students Association, and all genuinely concerned with promotion of health in this state, I humbly request you, Sir, to help by making available, during the stated period, one or two buses, with driver, and if possible microphones and public address systems.

An invitation card to the launching ceremony and the programme of events are attached.

Yours faithfully,

Kayode ODEMDE, (Chairman)
Organising Committee,
Health Campaign Week.

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in mail: -

PAS (Dr. Adelaye)

Please discuss.

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P r o g r a m m e

Wednesday 7th May

11.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.

(1) Press Conference, ABH, UCH.

(2) Film Show to Students.

New Medical School Lecture Theatre 8 - 10 p.m.

Thursday 8th May

(1) Launching Ceremony 1.00 p.m. - 3.30 p.m.

(2) Exhibitions and Demonstrations 3.30 p.m. - 6.00 p.m.

Friday 9th May

(1) School Visit 9.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon

(2) Health Talk 9.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon

(3) Night Films 7.00 p.m. - 11.00 p.m.

Saturday 10th May

(1) • Demonstrations 9.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon

(2) Inter-School Quiz competition 4.00 p.m. - 6.30 p.m.

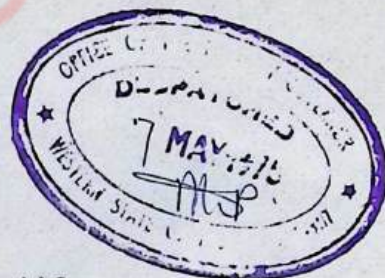
Sunday 11th May

Symposium - Family Planning and Population Control. 7.30 - 10 p.m.

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7th May, 1975

The Chairman,
Organising Committee,
Health Campaign Week,
Alexander Brown Hall,
University College Hospital,
Ibadan.



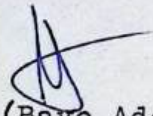
Sir,

Application for Transport Aid

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With reference to your letter of 2nd May, 1975 I am directed to inform you that much as this office is willing to assist your Committee in your Health Campaign Programme, no serviceable vehicle is at present available to give out.

2. We regret our inability to offer the assistance required.

Yours faithfully,


(Bayo Adedokun)

for Secretary to the Military
Government & Head of Service

CR,

Pl. despatch by hand.

Headed 7/5/75.
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Letter disp.
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for 7/7

CR Pl. dispose suitably.
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