



OYO STATE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, IBADAN

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

8TH ASSEMBLY
3RD SESSION
NO. 46

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, 3RD MAY, 2018



1.0 The House met at 8. 16a.m. The Deputy Speaker took his seat and read the prayer.

2.0 ROLL-CALL OF MEMBERS:

1.1 Present:

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| (i) Hon. A. Musah | - Deputy Speaker (Saki West), APC |
| (ii) Hon. K.H Subair | - Majority Leader (Ibadan South West I), APC |
| (iii) Hon. W.O. Akinmoyede | - Chief Whip (Lagelu), APC |
| (iv) Hon. J. O. Ojo | - Minority Leader (Oriire) L.P |
| (v) Hon. S. O. Ajanaku | - Chairman Parliamentary Council (Ibadan South West II), APC |
| (vi) Hon. O. A. Oyatokun | - Deputy Majority Leader (Afijio), APC |
| (vii) Hon. J. A. Olaleru | - Deputy Chief Whip, (Kajola), APC |
| (viii) Hon. A.A. Oladipo | - Party Whip (Ibadan North West), APC |
| (ix) Hon. A. K. Oloya | - Party Whip (Ibadan North East I), ACCOF |
| (x) Hon. G. J. Oyekola | - Party Whip (Atiba), L.P |
| (xi) Hon. O. O. Olaleye | - Ibadan North II, APC |
| (xii) Hon. O.S. Akande | - Ogbomoso South, L.P |
| (xiii) Hon. J. Oyebamiji | - Akinyele I, APC |
| (xiv) Hon. B. S. Badmos | - Akinyele II, APC |
| (xv) Hon. (Mrs.) B. O. Oladeji | - Ogbomoso North, LP |
| (xvi) Hon. (Mrs.) B. O. Agbaje | - Ibadan North I, APC |
| (xvii) Hon. P. O. Oyetunji | - Ogo Oluwa/Surulere, LP |
| (xviii) Hon. A. A. Adeleke | - Iseyin/Itesiwaju, APC |
| (xix) Hon. A. Oseni | - Irepo/Olorunsogo, APC |
| (xx) Hon. B. A. Azeez | - Ona Ara, ACCORD |
| (xxi) Hon. S. A. Okunlola | - Iwajowa, APC |

(xxii) Hon. S. O. Oguntade	-	Egbeda, ACCORD
(xxiii) Hon. L. O. Balogun	-	Oorelope, LP
(xxiv) Hon. A.W. Adeoye	-	Ibadan North East II, ACCORD
(xxv) Hon. R.A. Jimoh	-	Ibarapa North/Central, APC
(xxvi) Hon. M. O. Olagunju	-	Oyo East/Oyo West, ACCORD
(xxvii) Hon. S.A. Olalere	-	Ido, A.P.C
(xxviii) Hon A. F. Adesina	-	Ibadan South-East I, ACCORD
(xxix) Hon. M. A. Wahab	-	Oluyole, APC
(xxx) Hon A. A. Ige	-	Ibadan South-East II, ACCORD
(xxxi) Hon. M. A. Sangodipe	-	Saki East/Atisbo, APC

3.0 **SUSPENSION OF ORDERS**

(i) Motion made “that Order IV(1) of the Standing Rules of the Oyo State House of Assembly be suspended to enable the House sit before 10.00 a.m this day” – Hon. K.H. Subair (Ibadan South-West I), Majority Leader.
Motion seconded by Hon. J. O. Ojo (Oriire), Minority Leader.
Question put and agreed to.
Resolved accordingly in the affirmative.

(ii) Motion made “that Order IX Rule 4(12) be suspended to allow Members attend today’s Sitting non-formally dressed” – Hon. K.H. Subair (Ibadan South-West I), Majority Leader.
Motion seconded by Hon. J. O. Ojo (Oriire), Minority Leader.
Question put and agreed to.
Resolved accordingly in the affirmative.

4.0 **APPROVAL OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS:**

Mr. Speaker announced that he had examined the Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 24th April, 2018 and called for comments.
Motion made, “That the Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 24th April, 2018 be adopted” – Hon. K.H Subair (Ibadan SouthWestI), MajorityLeader.
Motion seconded by Hon. J. O. Ojo (Oriire), Minority Leader.
Question put and agreed to.
Resolved accordingly in the affirmative.

5.0 **RECOGNITION OF VISITORS**

Mr. Speaker recognized the presence of the following who were in the Chamber to Honour the Late Rt. Hon. Adesina Michael Adeyemo, (Ibarapa East State Constituency) Speaker, Oyo State 8th Assembly (10th June, 2015 to 27th April, 2018):

- (i) His Excellency, Senator Abiola Ajimobi and His Wife, Her Excellency, Chief (Mrs.) Florence Ajimobi.
- (ii) His Excellency, Otunba Moses Alake Adeyemo and His Wife.
- (iii) Members of the State Executive Council.
- (iv) Representatives of the Conference of Speakers from Enugu, Edo, Akwa Ibom, Lagos, Ebonyi, Adamawa, Niger, Kwara, Ondo, Ogun, Delta, Osun and Ekiti State Houses of Assembly.
- (v) His Excellency, the former Executive Governor of Oyo State, Otunba Adebayo Alao Akala.
- (vi) The Chief Judge of the State.
- (vii) Seventh Assembly Honourable Members.
- (viii) Other former Honourable Members of the House of Assembly.
- (ix) Some Honourable Members of the House of Representative from Oyo State.
- (x) Representative of the Oyo State Judiciary.
- (xi) Representative of the Nigeria Bar Association (Ibadan Branch) and
- (xii) Other dignitaries.

6.0 **CORRESPONDENCE:**

The Clerk of the House pursuant to Order II(8) of the Standing Rules of Oyo State House of Assembly read the content of a letter titled "Obituary: Re: Demise of Rt. Hon. A.M. Adeyemo". He informed the House officially of the untimely death of the Speaker of the House, Rt. Hon. Adesina Michael Adeyemo (Ibarapa East) which occurred on Friday, 27th April, 2018.

7.0 **ANNOUNCEMENT**

Mr. Speaker announced the Order of procession at the lying-in state of the Late Speaker, Rt. Hon. A.M. Adeyemo immediately after the Special Session as follows:

- (i) His Excellency, Senator Abiola Ajimobi, Her Excellency, Chief (Mrs.) Florence Ajimobi;
- (ii) His Excellency, Otunba Moses Alake Adeyemo and Her Excellency, Mrs. Alake Adeyemo;
- (iii) wife and family members of the late Speaker;
- (iv) representatives of the Concerence of Speakers;

- (v) Honourable Members;
- (vi) the Chief Judge and members of the Judiciary;
- (vii) representatives of the Nigerian Bar Association (NBA);
- (viii) APC Party Leaders;
- (ix) Friends and well wishers.

8.0 SPECIAL SITTING IN HONOUR OF LATE RT. HON. ADESINA MICHAEL ADEYEMO (IBARAPA EAST), SPEAKER 8TH OYO STATE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY (10TH JUNE, 2015 TO 27TH APRIL, 2018)

(i) OPENING REMARKS:

The Deputy Speaker on behalf of all Honourable Members of the 8th Assembly welcomed everyone to the Special Sitting. He said that the memory of the death of late Rt. Hon. A.M.A. Adeyemo on Friday, 27th April, 2018 would continue to linger. He described the event as unfortunate, an untimely transition to glory which had made him and other Members to be daunted and disturbed.

The Deputy Speaker said that this legislative journey started on 10th June, 2015 with high spirit and all Members looked forward to completing their tenure smoothly in 2019. However, death had taken two Honourable Members of the team. It was firstly late Honourable Dr. Gideon Tunji Aremu who incidentally died on Friday, 1st July, 2016 the same day of the week when his boss also died.

He described the late Speaker as a gentleman to the core, a fine legal practitioner and a patriot in all ramifications, a very astute legislator who was well versed in legislative practice and procedures and he was also a responsible husband and father in spite of the demands of his office.

He reiterated that in spite of the fact that the late Honourable Speaker was not perfect like all human beings, he did his very best to attain admirable levels of accomplishments in life. He asked that God forgive his shortcomings. He further explained that the progress of the House of Assembly was paramount to the late Speaker and he pursued it with great passion and zeal which made the 8th Assembly to have processed many people oriented Resolutions and Bills under his leadership.

He further described the late Speaker, Rt. Hon. Adesina Michael Adeyemo as an amiable, indefatigable and highly revered boss and brother who made remarkable impressions within his Constituency, the State, South-West Zone and Nigeria. He said he was the Vice Chairman, Conference of Speakers in (South-West), humble, generous and a man who demonstrated fear of God in all his doings.

He therefore, commiserated with His Excellency, Senator Abiola Ajimobi, Conference of Speakers, Honourable Members, 8th Assembly, former Honourable Members, OYHA (7th Assembly Forum), his aged parents, children, political associates. He prayed that God comfort everyone and put an end to this kind of occurrence.

(ii) CITATION OF LATE RT. HON. ADESINA MICHAEL ADEYEMO

The Clerk of the House read the Citation of the Late Speaker, Rt. Hon. A.M. Adeyemo.

Late Rt. Hon. Michael Adeyemo was born on the 22nd of Novemebr, 1970 in Lanlate, Ibarape East Local Government of Oyo State. He attended I.M.G. School II, Oke-Ado, Ibadan for his Primary Education, Celestial Church High School, Ibadan (1980 – 1985) for his Secondary Education.

He also attended the following Higher Institutions:

Federal College of Education, Kotangora	-	1986 – 1989
University of Port-Harcourt	-	1992 – 1997
University of Ibadan	-	1995 – 2001
Nigeria Law School	-	2003 – 2004
University of Ibadan	-	(LLM in view)

He bagged the following awards:

Award of Honour N.B.A. (Ibadan Branch);

Award of Honour ASEN (University of Ibadan);

Award of Excellence, Federal College of Education (Special), Oyo;

Award of Peace, Centre for Conflict Management and Sustainable Development; and

Award of Patriotism, Oyo State Vigilante Patrol Team.

He was a member of Nigeria Bar Association and also International Bar Association.

He was the Deputy Chief Whip in the 7th Assembly (2011 – 2015) and the Rt. Honourable Speaker of the Oyo State House of Assembly from June, 10th 2015 until April, 27th 2018. He was Vice Chairman, Conference of Speakers (South-West) zone. He was also the Chairman, 1999 Constitution Review Committee of the Nigeria Conference of Speakers.

He was the Assistant Secretary, Nigeria Bar Association, Ibadan Branch and also held the Auditor position of same.

He was married and blessed with children.

(iii) **LIFE AND TIME OF LATE RT. HON. A.M. ADEYEMO**

A video-clip of the life and times of late Rt. Hon. A.M. Adeyemo was shown. The video clip reflected his genuineness, dedication service, love for his people and family members. His immense and valuable contributions to the business and progress of the legislature were also clearly depicted.

(iv) **TRIBUTES**

- (a) Representatives of Honourable Members of the 8th Oyo State House of Assembly eulogized the late Rt. Honourable Speaker. He was noted to be committed demonstrated,perseverance, visionary, a team player, goal getter, a committed christian, a democrat and a man of peace.
- (b) The Representative of the Conference of Speakers of State Legislatives, the Speaker of Enugu State House of Assembly and the Deputy Chairman of the Forum, Right Honourable Ubosi Uchenna Edward also eulogized late Rt. Honourable A.M.A Adeyemo and commiserated with His Excellency, Senator Abiola Ajimobi, Oyo State Legislature, the Constituents of Hon. AMA, his family members and other well wishers.
- (c) The representative of the Nigerian Bar Association, Barrister Agbaje described the late Honourable Speaker as a distinguished Barrister whose contributiosn to the development of the legal profession was invaluable.
- (d) His Lordship, the Chief Judge of Oyo State, Justice Mukhtar Abimbola in his tribute, eulogized the late Right Honourable Speaker AMA. He highlighted his immense contributions to the development of the Judiciary and administration of Justice in the State. he prayed that God would grant him eternal rest.
- (e) Honourable A.F. Farinto on behalf of the 7th Oyo State House of Assembly forum expressed great grieve over his untimely demise and prayed that God will grant everyone under his sphere of influence the fortitude to bear the irreparable loss.
- (f) Hon. Mojeed Olaoya, the Secretary and representative of the All Progressive Congress (APC) described the demise of Rt. Honourable AMA as a great loss to the State, the incumbent administration and the entire State. He was describe as a peace maker and a worthy ambassador of the APC.

(v) **TRIBUTE BY HIS EXCELLENCY, SENATOR ABIOLA AJIMOBİ, THE EXECUTIVE GOVERNOR OF OYO STATE**

The Governor described the passage of Rt. Hon. A.M. Adeyemo as a deep personal loss to him and a great loss to the State and his administration. He described the Speaker's demise as sudden and unexpected which has created gaping wound that would take time to heal.

The late Speaker took every issue with equanimity. He was averred to be brilliant, eloquent, intelligent, diligent and the most patriotic Speaker His Excellency had ever worked within his entire political sojourn.

The Governor further noted particularly that the late Speaker was a peacemaker, bridge-builder and great stabilizer who ensured that the relationship between the Executive and the Legislature was not only cordial, profoundly sturdy but never condescending. He would be remembered for his legacies of humility, selflessness, integrity, patriotism, diligence, hardwork, Godliness and the "Omoluabi" virtues.

He then prayed for the repose of the soul of the departed Speaker.

9.0 **VOTE OF THANKS**

The younger brother of late Rt. Hon. AMA, Mr. Dele Adeyemo appreciated God for his sustenance even though the development was unexpected. He also appreciated His Excellency, Senator Abiola Ajimobi and his team for support, encouragement and most especially for facilitating a befitting burial programme for the departed Honourable Speaker. He prayed that God will avert the re-occurrence of such a tragedy in Oyo State.

10.0 **ADJOURNMENT:**

"That this Honourable House do now adjourn till Thursday, 15th May, 2018 at 10.00 a.m. - Hon. K.H. Subair (Ibadan South-West I), Majority Leader.

Adjourned accordingly at 9.40 a.m.

Hon. A. Musah
Deputy Speaker