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TO: ALL NIGERIAN COMMUNITY LEADERS AND UK MEDIA ORGANISATIONS

Dear Sir/Madam,

INVITATION TO THE THIRD EDITION OF THE AFRICAN ARTS AND CRAFTS EXPO HOLDING IN ABUJA, 28TH MAY TO 12TH JUNE, 2010

I am directed to inform the Nigerian Community in the United Kingdom, through the underlisted Nigerian Community Leaders and Media Organisations, that the Federal Ministry of Culture, Tourism and National Orientation has invited interested participants to attend the 3rd edition of the African Arts and Crafts Expo holding in Abuja from 28th May to 12th June 2010. The theme of the Expo is **“GROWING THE RURAL ECONOMY THROUGH THE CRAFTS INDUSTRY”**.

2. The event will be declared open by His Excellency Dr. Goodluck Ebere Jonathan, GCON, Acting President and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces of the Federal Republic of Nigeria. The Expo will also provide the window of opportunities, particularly, for African countries to develop and tap the economic potentials that bound in the arts, culture and tourism industry in Nigeria.

3. Your assistance in disseminating this piece of information will be sincerely appreciated, please.

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