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## **BRIEF HISTORY OF MRS. V. A. ADEJUMO & CHILDREN EDUCATIONAL EMPOWERMENT**

The non-governmental organization came into existence as a result of the passion for education by the children of Mrs. V. A. Adejumo (Iya Elewure) in the lives of the less-privileges across public primary and secondary schools in Osu and its environs. This educational empowerment foundation is led by Mrs. Victoria A. Adejumo as Chairperson, Prince Adesanya Samuel Adejumo as Chief Executive Officer, Prince Adepoju Moses Adejumo as Secretary, and Mrs. Adetola Comfort Fatudimu (nee Adejumo) as a Member.

The children considered the efforts and the Grace of God over the life of their mother in the pursuit of their education and decided to honour her by establishing the NGO in the month of June 2022 with the sole aim of empowering education in the lives of the children facing educational challenges such as writing materials, payment of term school fees, wears, among others. As of today, within the space of three (3) years that the foundation came into existence, eight (8) editions of educational empowerment have been carried out across all public primary and secondary schools in Osu including the Nigeria Police Children School Osu, these editions also covered other primary and secondary schools in Atakunmosa West like Alakowe, Itamerin, Iloba, Iwaro, Ibodi, Igila, Itagunmodi, and Iyere

In addition, the NGO looked into the aspect of security and safety of Osu town, especially when robbery and vandalization of community properties such as transformer cables and gadgets are on the increase, and decided to provide and install numerous numbers of solar lights within the nooks and crannies of Osu town coupled with the construction of the security post that we are commissioning and officially handing it over to the Osu divisional police headquarters on this today 12<sup>th</sup> of June, 2025.

The empowerment foundation, within her capacity, is determined to empower the education of future generations and the development of Osu and its environs because "*whatsoever a man becomes in life, he should not forget history and the beginning*".

Let us come together in unity and oneness to develop and make Osu great. Remember, the development and upliftment of this ancient town is a collective responsibility of us all.

Thanks for listening, and God bless you all.

Signed Prince Adepoju M. ADEJUMO Secretary