

Press release

AIG-IMOUKHUEDE FOUNDATION CONVENES A SENSITISATION WORKSHOP FOR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MINISTRIES ON THE AIG-IMOUKHUEDE PUBLIC SECTOR PERFORMANCE INDEX

The Aig-Imoukhuede Foundation in partnership with the Nigerian Economic Summit Group (NESG) holds a workshop with Federal Ministries on the Aig-Imoukhuede Public Sector Performance Index, which seeks to measure the impact of the public sector on the overall productivity and economic growth of the Nigerian economy and on the wellbeing of Nigerian citizens.

Federal Government Bureaucrats, Development Partners, and other critical stakeholders converged on Tuesday 30th August 2022 for a workshop to be enlightened on the Aig-Imoukhuede Public Sector Performance Index. The Index will measure the impact of public sector activities on the overall productivity and economic growth of the Nigerian economy and on the well-being of its citizens. It is being developed by the Aig-Imoukhuede Foundation in partnership with the Governance and Institutions Policy Commission (GIPC) of the Nigerian Economic Summit Group (NESG), as part of its work to facilitate the transformation of the Nigerian public sector. The Index is envisioned as a ranking system that will provide data on the performance of specific sectors of the government with a view to informing policy, stimulating research, and encouraging informed debate.

Present at the workshop, were Directors from selected Ministries whose performance will be assessed during the pilot phase of the project. The pilot Ministries were selected based on the impact their performance contributes to the country's key socio-economic conditions including job creation, life expectancy, literacy rates, access to quality health care, GDP growth, infrastructural development, and security. The ten Ministries represented at the workshop were Health; Education; Trade and Investment; Agriculture; Finance, Budget & National Planning; Power; Works & Housing; Transportation; Security and Defence.

Mrs. Ofovwe Aig-Imoukhuede, Executive Vice-Chair of the Foundation stated, "Our goal at the Foundation is to improve public service delivery and the Public Sector Performance Index will facilitate this by comprehensively reviewing the performance of public institutions and providing objective feedback on areas of success and performance gaps that need to be addressed. It will also provide citizens with information about public sector performance in an accessible manner and encourage informed national debate."

ABOUT THE AIG-IMOUKHUEDE FOUNDATION

The Aig-Imoukhuede Foundation is a public sector-focused philanthropic organisation founded by Aigboje and Ofovwe Aig-Imoukhuede to improve the lives of Africans through transformed public service delivery and access to quality primary healthcare.

The Aig-Imoukhuede Foundation accomplishes its mission by supporting the reform initiatives of public sector entities, providing financing, consulting support, and capacity-building programmes and resources for the public sector workforce. The Foundation provides funding and strategic support to drive the work of affiliate organisations such as ABC Health, the Private Sector Health Alliance of Nigeria (PSHAN), the Nigerian Solidarity Support Fund (NSSF) and others.

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