



CENTRAL BANK OF NIGERIA

Press Statement

The attention of the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) has been drawn to a newspaper report that the CBN Governor, Mallam Sanusi Lamido Sanusi CON who was last week Friday, June 8, 2012, conferred by the Kano Emirate Council with the title of Dan Majen Kano, reported for work in his chieftaincy regalia.

For the avoidance of doubt, we want to use this medium to state that the CBN Governor was on a short break, and was not on duty on the said day.

Mallam Sanusi flew into Abuja after the ceremony and when staff got wind of his presence, they persuaded him to pass through the office so that they could see the new Dan Maje.

We would therefore wish to use this opportunity to urge our friends in the media to always cross check their facts before going to press.

Signed:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ugo A. Okoroafor', followed by a stylized flourish.

Ugo A. Okoroafor

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