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Central Bank of Nigeria

Press Statement

CBN Appoints Acting Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer of Keystone Bank Limited

The Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN), in exercise of powers conferred on it by the Banks and Other Financial Institutions Act, 2020, has appointed Mr Murtala Mohammed as Acting Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer of Keystone Bank Limited, succeeding Mr Hassan Imam, with effect from November 26, 2026.

The appointment is consistent with the CBN's mandate to promote a safe, sound and stable financial system.

The CBN wishes to reassure depositors, customers and other stakeholders that Keystone Bank Limited remains fully operational, with banking services continuing as normal and depositors' funds remaining secure.

The CBN remains committed to safeguarding depositors' interests and ensuring the continued soundness and stability of Nigeria's banking sector.

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