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Government Notice No. 1898

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Government Notice No. 1899

SPECIAL REPUBLIC DAY HONOURS

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Ministers in Nigeria, to signify her intention of conferring the Honour of Knighthood upon the following:

To be Knight Commanders of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (K.B.E.):

ADETOUNKOBO ADEMOLE
LEONARD CHARLES DALKY

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Ministers in Nigeria, to give orders for the following appointments:

To be Companions of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (C.B.E.):

LOUIS OROK EDIET
IAN SABRY PROUD

To be Officers of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (O.B.E.):

JAMES O'SULLIVAN
JOHN LYNCH

By His Excellency's Command,

A. K. DISIT
Secretary to the Governor-General

Lagos, 30th September 1963.
Remission of Sentences

WHEREAS it has been recommended to His Excellency the President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria by the Minister of Defence being the member of the Council of Ministers designated to advise him in that behalf that it is in the public interest that certain persons who have been convicted of various offences and are serving prison sentences of not less than one month by reason only of the fact that they had no means to pay the requisite fines imposed upon them should be released from prison if they have served half of their prison sentences on the 1st of October, 1963.

NOW THEREFORE in exercise of the powers conferred upon me in that behalf by Section 101 of the Constitution of the Federation and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf I, Nnamdi Azikiwe, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, do hereby remit the unexpired term of the sentences imposed on such persons.


Nnamdi Azikiwe
President
Federal Republic of Nigeria

Remission of Sentence

WHEREAS Patrick Jacob Osoba was duly convicted of the offence of stealing and failing to make or cause to be made a full and true entry in the books of the Merchants Bank of certain transactions with intent to defraud the said Bank on the 7th of March, 1960.

AND WHEREAS it has been recommended to His Excellency the President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria by the Minister of Defence being the member of the Council of Ministers designated to advise him in that behalf that it is in the public interest that the sentence of the said person be remitted.

NOW THEREFORE in exercise of the powers conferred upon me in that behalf by Section 101 of the Constitution of the Federation and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf I, Nnamdi Azikiwe, President of the Republic of Nigeria, do hereby remit the unexpired term of the sentence imposed on the said Patrick Jacob Osoba.


Nnamdi Azikiwe
President
Federal Republic of Nigeria
### Schedule of Bills Presented for Assent

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I certify, in accordance with section 2 of the Acts Authentication Act, 1961, that this Schedule is a true and correct record.

B. ADE MANUWA,  
Clerk of the Parliaments

I assent.

NNAMDI AZIKIWE  
Governor-General

Dated this 27th day of September, 1963.