

## FROM THE PUBLISHER

# FG should do the needful so that peace will return to Nigeria

**I**t is evidently clear that Nigerians are going through turbulence time with the impact of the harsh economic policies on ground that is almost making life unbearable for the common man. This coupled with the high level of insecurity that is raging across the country through the criminal activities of bandits, terrorists and kidnappers, has become a nightmare to the citizens who now sleep with their eyes wide open. The primary responsibility of every government is the well being and security of its citizen's lives and properties. Now that it is obvious that the government is not meeting up considering the escalation and wide spread of these criminal activities like kidnappings and killings it becomes imperative that strict measures should be taken to reverse the trend. This is why the call for the declaration of a state of emergency by a vast majority of the citizens of Nigeria is a step in the right direction. If despite all the efforts to tackle the situation, it's still escalating then the only wise and rational thing to do is to declare a state of emergency on insecurity so that every attention, resources, strategies both conventional and unconventional must be deployed within the confines of domestic and international laws to arrest the situation. Nigerians cannot continue to live under fear and insecurity and at the mercy of marauders and bandits who are hell bent on destroying the peace and unity in our dear nation. Without peace and tranquility no nation can develop and until these monsters that are invading our nation are flushed out decisively they will continue to constitute a clog in the wheel of progress for the growth and development of our nation. Government must act now and fast. Nigeria as a sovereign nation cannot allow forces of darkness whether from within or outside to destroy the real fabric of our existence as a nation. That is the essence of true leadership, to combat, destroy and uproot any act or coloration of sabotage that could destroy its sovereignty and put the citizens' lives in jeopardy. This is exactly what the bandits, terrorists and kidnappers are doing to Nigeria and so the Government must summon the political will to flush them out so that once again peace will return to our nation. This takes the cover of our October edition captioned; Heightened Insecurity; State of Emergency Now! Nigerians beg FG.

Your regulars are there for your reading pleasure. We in Development Monitor wish Nigeria and all Nigerians a Happy and prosperous 64 years Anniversary. Our future and destiny is a collective responsibility. All hand must be on deck to achieve the Nigeria of our dream. God bless Nigeria.



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