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Interview with Arch. Darius Dickson Ishaku

Arch. Darius Dickson Ishaku, is an Architect and the Executive Governor of Taraba State in the North Eastern part of Nigeria.



Darius Ishaku

E-Newsletter: Sir, as a seasoned professional, please tell us the challenges of infrastructure in your jurisdiction.

Ishaku: Well Taraba in the north eastern part of the country is one of the remote states. We lack infrastructures in all ramifications particularly in roads, electricity, water supply, you can name them. But my administration is focusing on roads, electricity and water supply infrastructures. For now we are trying to build small Hydro Power Plants. We have commissioned a 400KW power plant. We are looking at small hydro power plants of quarter megawatt, half megawatt, one megawatt and possibly maximum of one point five megawatts so that we can be able to provide power off grid to small scale indus-

tries so as to boost the economy of the rural populace. This is one of the things we are doing. Then for the rural roads and rural water supply, we are on them. We have sank over 60 bore holes and we are still counting.

E-Newsletter: What is your advise in terms of infrastructures to your colleagues?

Ishaku: Well my advise to my colleagues is that we should emphasized on rural development by providing simple infrastructures like water, roads, and electricity. Once these three infrastructures are delivered to the rural people they will be able to pick up and it will become sustainable development at the rural level which is what I think we desire now.

E-Newsletter: Thank you sir.



The Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch General Meeting / Technical Evening held on Thursday 26th May 2016 at the Branch secretariat. The meeting was chaired by the Branch Chairman Engr. Emmanuel Idoniboye, (2nd right). A presentation on "Authority & Responsibility Level: Roles In Project Success" was made by Engr. Nwogbo Anthony Osita, FNSE (left).



Cross section of members of the Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch during the General Meeting / Technical Evening held on Thursday 26th May 2016 at the Branch secretariat. The meeting was chaired by the Branch Chairman Engr. Emmanuel Idoniboye, MNSE. A technical presentation titled “Authority & Responsibility Level: Roles In Project Success” was made by Engr. Nwogbo Anthony Osita, FNSE. During the meeting a minute of silence was observed in honour of late Mrs. Christabel Amiete Beredugo the spouse of Engr. Prof. Y. O. Beredugo, FNSE, OFR.



On Monday 23rd May 2016 the Executive Committee of the Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch led by the Branch Chairman Engr. Emmanuel Idoniboye, MNSE (4th from left), paid a condolence visit to Engr. Prof. Y. O. Beredugo, FNSE, OFR (7th from left), on the passing on to glory of his wife late Mrs. Christabel Amiete Beredugo.

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