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HE MUHAMMADU BUHARI, GCFR
President, Federal Republic of Nigeria
Presidential Villa
Abuja

Your Excellency Sir,

LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE AND APPRECIATION

I was pleasantly surprised to wake up on Sunday morning to the heartwarming news that Your Excellency has graciously conferred on me National Honours in the elevated echelons of *Commander of the Order of the Niger (CON)*. I treasure this prestigious recognition, especially as it comes from no other person than Your Excellency - whom I have long regarded as a father-figure and political mentor.

Your Excellency, I recall your working visit to Kogi State on December 29, 2022, during which you graciously commissioned projects executed by our Administration. I would love to believe that this award represents, in your unique leadership style, an acknowledgement of our service to our people in Kogi State and to the Nigerian nation at large - for only then would it have an enduring significance to me.



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It is therefore with immense joy that I receive it, alongside other deserving and distinguished citizens, and with plenty of gratitude to Your Excellency and my beloved country for the bestowal.

I assure you, Mr. President, that this remarkable honour will serve as added motivation for me to remain dedicated to the pursuit of transformational leadership and good governance in Nigeria.

May God Almighty continue to bestow honours upon Your Excellency.

YAHAYA BELLO
Executive Governor.

