



**ISSUED AT THE END OF THE 23rd EMERGENCY
TELECONFERENCE MEETING OF THE NIGERIA GOVERNORS'
FORUM HELD ON MONDAY, 14TH DECEMBER 2020**

The Meeting was convened to deliberate on the prospects of dry-season farming as facilitated by the Anchor Borrowers Program of the Central Bank of Nigeria.

1. The Forum received a presentation from the CBN Governor on the prospects of States regarding proposed 2021 dry season farming as facilitated by the Anchor Borrowers Program, this will increase food sufficiency in the country. The Governors pledged to work with CBN to deliver on the objectives of the program.
2. The Chairman noted that it was the position of the Forum to work closely with CBN on Infraco project and the Nigerian Infrastructure Investment Fund (NIIF) to achieve infrastructure development in the country.
3. The Forum was briefed by the Governor of Edo Mr. Godwin Obaseki on the World Bank State Fiscal Transparency, Accountability and Sustainability (SFTAS) Program for



Results stating that approval of the additional \$750 million SFTAS financing has been secured.

4. The Forum commiserated with the Governor and the people of Katsina State on the recent kidnappings that have rocked the State. The Forum reiterated their full support in these trying times.
5. The Forum also commiserated with the Governor of Lagos State and wished him a speedy recovery.

The meeting held from 5:00pm – 6:00pm.

Governor Kayode Fayemi
Chairman, Nigeria Governors' Forum
14th December 2020