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PARLIAMENT EXTOLS LEADER OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

Following his appointment as a Member of the Bureau of the Organisation of African, Caribbean and Pacific States- European Union (OACPS-EU) Parliament, Members of the Sierra Leone Parliament on Tuesday 27/02/2024 extended their warmest congratulations on the Leader of Government Business.

It could be recalled that Hon. Mathew Sahr Nyuma was appointed to represent the West Africa block to the Bureau of Organisation of African, Caribbean, and Pacific States- European Union (OACPS- EU) joint Parliamentary Assembly in Luanda, Angola.

In his contribution, the Chief Whip of Parliament, Hon. Dickson Rogers, who also doubles as the deputy head of delegation to the OACPS-EU, explained to Parliament what transpired before the appointment of Hon. Mathew Sahr Nyuma. According to Hon Dickson Rogers, they gained huge support from other countries during their campaign adding that, their performance in that Parliament has been very significant. The Chief Whip said they have brought "Laurent to Sierra Leone" for the appointment of Hon. Mathew Sahr Nyuma. He extended thanks and appreciation to all those who supported the delegation, including the Speaker of Parliament and Clerk. He assured the House that they would continue to fly the Sierra Leone flag high

While extending congratulations to the Leader of Government Business on behalf of the Opposition, the Leader of the Opposition, Hon. Abdul Kargbo explained the significance and relevance of the OACPS-EU Bureau. He reiterated that for Sierra Leone to be a member of the Bureau is a landmark improvement. The Opposition Leader commended the Leader of Government Business for making Sierra Leone great at the international level. He thanked Hon. Mathew Sahr Nyuma "I want to assure you of the fullest support of Members of the Opposition in your delegation," he concluded.

Speaking on behalf of the women, the President of the Female Caucus, Hon. Neneh Lebbie said the newly appointed member of the ACP-EU Bureau is someone who has done so much for women. "Hon. Nyuma has always demonstrated love for women," she categorically stated. She heaped praises on the Leader and encouraged him to continue to support women and played for more elevation.

In conclusion, Hon. Mathew Sahr Nyuma also explained their campaign exercise towards victory. He said members of his delegation are doing very well in that Parliament. He expressed heartfelt appreciation to all Members of Parliament and assured them of gaining more elevation in that Parliament

The Rt. Hon. Speaker of Parliament, Hon. Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu also extended his warmest congratulations to the Leader of Government Business for this international appointment.

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