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## PRESS RELEASE

## PARLIAMENT SIGNS BOOK OF CONDOLENCE FOR HON. DR. AIAH DABUNDEH

The Parliament of Sierra Leone has today Thursday 30/09/2021 signed a Book of Condolence in honour of Hon. Dr. Aiah Dabundeh, former Member of Parliament who represented Constituency 020 in Kono District under the ticket of the APC, in the immediate past Parliament.

The ceremony took place at the State Hall of Parliament and a Book of Condolence was blessed by Rev. Fr. Martin Bassie.

Deputy Director of Public Relations in Parliament who doubles as Master of Ceremonies, Sheku Lamin Turay said Hon. Dr. Aiah Dabundeh was a former MP who represented Constituency 020 in Kono District under the ticket of the APC in the last Parliament, he was a fierce debater and a Member of the Health Committee in Parliament.

The occasion was graced by the family of the deceased, current and former Members of Parliament, Hon. Dickson Rogers, Hon. Saa Emerson Lamina, Hon. Ibrahim Ben Kargbo, Hon. Hassan Sesay, Hon. David Bai Conteh (former MP), former Vice President, Chief Samuel Samsuna, former First Lady, Mrs Sia Nyama Koroma, former Mayor of FCC, Mr. Gibson, and Ambassador Yambasu and other distinguished mourners including Staff of Parliament.

Tributes in honour of late Hon. Dr. Aiah Dabundeh were delivered by Hon. Dickson Rogers, Chief Whip in Parliament, Hon. Hassan Sesay, Opposition Whip, Hon. Saa Emerson Lamina, Leader of C4C in Parliament, PC, Kontanday Mbriwa, former Vice President, Chief Samuel Samsuna, his younger brother, Komba Dabundeh, and his daughter, Madam Zainab.

All those who gave tributes recognized his role as a politician, a qualified dentist, a philanthropist, a lovely and caring father, a family pillar, moreso a politician who transcends regional, tribal and political division in the country.

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