Zangon Kataf Project Center

Zangon Kataf lies in Southern Kaduna State and is easily accessible by road after 2 hours drive.

In cooperation with Hon. Mathew Gwazah, who provided the premises, it was possible for A-NI to establish a project center in Zangon Kataf.

Opening ceremony was performed on the 26 May 2005 by Hon. Senator Isaiah Balat who was the Guest of Honour



Hon. Senator Balat on a PC assisted by the Project Manager, Engr. David Kevin



Hon. Senator Balat, Hon. Mathew Gwazah and Magister Banwo



Hon. Senator signing the visitors' book with Hon. Gwazah on his side

The first trainer ist Mr. Bako Baushe, who was trained at the Whelp Project Centre in Kaduna.



The Speech

Greetings to his Excellency Dep-Gov. of Kaduna State, Members of the National and States Houses of Assemblies, Our Royal Fathers, Gentlemen of the Press, distinguished Ladies and Gentlemen. The Austro-Nigerian Initiative is a non-governmental and a non-profit organization based in Vienna, Austria. This organization aims to initiate and promote educational, economical and cultural developmental projects between Austria and Nigeria, hereby creating new perspectives for the people of both countries.

Concerning this donation, we realised that it is always easy to make donations and turn your back but after a certain period of time, thinking in terms of maintenance and repairs the donated equipments turn out to be problems for the recipients of such donations.

In this case, **Austro-Nigerian Initiative** has decided to work differently. We are not only donating but we shall be assisting in the maintenance and repairs of these equipments as well. Interested youths from this LGA shall be trained at our center in Kaduna so that in the near future, they will be capable of solving all technical problems themselves.

These equipments have been donated to us by the Federal Ministry Of Justice Vienna, Austria.

Zangon Kataf is the first step in this model of **partnership for progress**, we hope to reach other LGAs in Kaduna State and other states in Nigeria as soon as we have the necessary support from those areas. I seize this opportunity to humbly thank His Honourable, **Mathew Gwazah** for his idea on this project and for the support and encouragement on this new partnership.

Thank you all for your attention.

This Speech was delivered at Zangon Kataf on the 26 May 2005 by Magister Adenrele Banwo, the Project Coordinator of the A-NI