SPEECH 14th April, 2024.

At about the time of the morning on Saturday 13th of April, 2024. It was the Muslim week end Holiday. We received report that a group of Harmed Men had stormed the Oyo State Government Secretariat, Agodi, Ibadan, Oyo State.

Upon the receipt of the report, the Nigerian Security troops immediately mobilized to the scene and cordoned off the secretariat.

We later understood who these harmed Men were, after Nigerian Security engaged them, they were observed to be Dupe Onitiri-Abiola ( The Widow of Late M.K.O Abiola) agitator group in Military Camouflage and red berets, who invaded the secretariat in buses and bike.

The invader spelt out their name to be DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE YORUBA, a group under Mrs. Dupe Onitiri-Abiola.

We will like to make a clear expression here, that YORUBA NATION Movement has nothing to do with Mrs. Dupe Onitiri-Abiola and group.

1. Their Organization is different from our movement. We are Yoruba Nation Self-Determination Movement (YSDM), our Yoruba Nation is registered by UNPO under Prof. Adebanji Akintoye.

Their Organization is Democratic Republic of the Yoruba (DRY) under Mrs. Dupe Onitiri-Abiola

1. The Administrative Managements are different, the people in the Yoruba Nation are law abiding Yoruba people with polite orientation.

But, the Democratic Republic people of Dupe Onitiri are arrogant and rude, aggressive and militarize.

1. The Official Media platforms of communication are different. Yoruba Nation under Adebanji Akintoye uses the Yoruba World Media, streaming from U.K

While, Democratic Republic under Mrs. Dupe Onitiri-Abiola uses the Ijinle Marcus Media, streaming from Turkeya.

It will not be funny for any reporting Nigerian Media to link or report the Oyo Secretariat invasion with the YORUBA NATION. Ignorant is not an excuse, a journalist must do his/her due diligence before reporting story. Any media who linked Yoruba Nation to the dastard act will face the Court of Law for Defamation, and if print Media; will be charge for Libel. There is a big difference between YORUBA NATION organization and so called DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE YORUBA organization.

While the incident was going on, Professor Adebanji Akintoye and Chief Dr. Sunday Adeyemo (Igboho Oosha) came on air to condemn and debunk support for the dastard act of invasion. In the evening Mrs. Dupe Onitiri-Abiola was on air to confirm and acclaim organizer of the invasion and the attack. She called them her (ADELE) in Yoruba translation: Her interim Government.

We therefor asking the Nigerian Government both State and Federal to declare Mrs. Dupe Onitiri-Abiola wanted. If not for any charges, but to come and explain reason for the invasion on a weekend Holiday.

We stand as Yoruba Nation, and our Self-determination is an inalienable right in which Nigerian Government is a signatory to same under United Nation Chapter.

We are not terrorist, neither are we secessionist. Our right for Self-determination shall not be undermined, not for any unwarranted assessment of any other Yoruba Group that are alien to our movement.

Thank you.

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