

## **REMARKS BY RT HON HENRY NWAUBA**

### **EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, NATIONAL ASSEMBLY LIBRARY AT THE EXECUTIVE WORKSHOP & STRATEGIC ADVISORY CURRICULUM**

#### **Advancing Nigeria's Strategic Interests: A Solutions-Driven Approach to U.S.–Nigeria Relations**

Distinguished partners and participants, I am pleased to welcome you to the National Assembly Library and Resource Center. This facility was designed to serve as a home for informed dialogue, policy reflection, and collaborative learning. It is a place where ideas are refined, and where research supports the work of our nation's legislators, advisors, and partners.

As you gather here for this high level engagement, the Library stands ready to support conversations that focus on Nigeria's role in today's shifting global environment. The theme you are examining, especially within the context of America First, reminds us that every nation must constantly reassess how it engages with global powers, how it protects its interests, and how it positions itself for economic and diplomatic advantage. This conversation aligns with the kind of policy work this Library was created to encourage.

In the past months, we have strengthened our resources, expanded access to parliamentary records and global research materials, and improved our media and documentation systems. We have also created a growing platform for policy dialogues, expert roundtables, and research support services that enrich legislative decision making. We remain open to partnerships that will enhance these milestones.

Through these efforts, the Library has become a space where complex issues can be studied with clarity, and where stakeholders like you can engage in thoughtful discussions that shape better governance outcomes. The work you are doing here fits perfectly into that vision.

I encourage you to fully explore the space, interact with our resources, and take advantage of the environment we have built to support national growth through knowledge.

Thank you, and once again, welcome to the National Assembly Library.

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