

# GOVERNMENT OF RIVERS STATE OF NIGERIA

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Your Ref: -----

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2009

The General Manager,  
Production East  
Shell Petroleum Development Company.

**Attention: Mr. Chidi Izuwa (Pipeline System Manger)**

**REF: MASSIVE OIL SPILL IN BODO GTY-GOKNA, RIVERS STATE.**

Reference to your letter dated 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2009 on the above subject, I am directed to acknowledge receipt and to inform you that the petitioner has corrected the error in the title of the petition but still emphasis that it was crude oil from your facility that spilled into the environment (photocopy attached).

In the light of the above, I am further directed to invite you to a meeting with the Hon. Commissioner to address the issues raised therein and agree on remediation and compensation where necessary.


The meeting is scheduled to hold us follows:

**Date:** Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2009

**Time:** 2.00pm prompt


**Venue:** Office of the Hon. Commissioner, Room 207, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Podium Block, State Secretariat, Port Harcourt.

We anticipate your kind cooperation.

  
**Dr. A.A. Nweke**  
Director (IEMD)  
For Hon. Commissioner.

**CC: Adedipe and Adedipe**  
Legal Practitioners

Above is for your information and invitation to the meeting.

  
**Dr. A.A. Nweke**  
Director (IEMD)  
For Hon. Commissioner.