

**Embassy of the Republic of Liberia  
Berlin, Germany**

**Summary of Ambassador Davis' Remarks at the Liberia Business Forum  
Leipzig, June 16, 2016**

**Ambassador Ethel Davis**, in her opening remarks welcomed participants and thanked the Honorary Consul of Liberia in Leipzig, Mr. Michael Koelsch, the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Leipzig, the German Africa Business Association and the Friends of Liberia, for their laudable gesture and support to the vision of **President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf's** government. Ambassador Davis further encouraged German investors to come and invest in Liberia, adding that Liberia is a peaceful and stable country, with a vibrant democracy, investment friendly environment, an easy to do business in, place and where their investments will reap benefits, not only to themselves but to Liberia as well. She also added that Liberia has a history of international trade and business which dates back to the 1600s.

She also informed the participants that Liberia is rich in natural resources and also of the resolve of the government to put them into productive use.

She also reminded the participants about President Sirleaf's statement that, her government is committed to the vision of a secure and transparent nation where economic growth will flourish.