



**MINUTES OF DOZIE OWERRI ASSOCIATION, ABUJA BRANCH GENERAL MEETING HELD ON
SATURDAY, MARCH 21st, 2026.**

Hosts: Dr. Godfrey Nze, Hon Tochukwu Okere, Captain Aristotle John-E, Pastor Iyke Onuoha,
Mrs. Chindinma Henshaw, Ms. Anita Ezekwe, Distinguished Senator Ezenwa Onyewuchi

Venue: Residence of Capt. Aristotle Emezi. Aco Estate, Life Camp.

Attendance List:

S/ N	Name of Member	Birthday	Phone Number
1	Hon. Rogers A. I Nwoke	Aug 25	08037003284
2	Mr. Reginald Anyanwu	Sept	08033005441
3	Ms. Hulda Nkwocha/	Sept 18	08036258600
4	Mr. Bisike Uba	Dec 6	08034717586
5	Mr. Ugo Nzerem	Nov 8	08034021217
6	Mr. Stanley Nkwazema	Sept	07018888188
7	Ms. Gloria Okara	Aug 25	08033145888
8	Dr. Philips Obinna Emeana	April 3	08067188667
9	Ms. Anita Ezekwe	Sept 24	08108191046
10	Ms. Ann Ezekwe	Sept 24	07065381457
11	Mr. Njoku Chukwuka	March 16	08038298665
12	Mr. Oliver Akuta	September	08033218495
13	Mr. Pante Opara	June 10	08034504080
14	Chief Paschal Emeyonu	July 10	0803589824
15	Capt. Aristotle John-Emezi	March 25	08063266519
16	Mr. Emezi Anayo	March 16	08033385905
17	Dr. Eze Megwa	April 12	08037401877
18	Mr. Victor Emeana	Dec 23	08033054474
19	Mr. Paul Ohuche	Nov 25	08034966758
20	Mr. Onyeukwu Malachy	May 21	08030986599
21	Mr. Ken Njemanze	Dec 10	08033186648
22	Dr. Tony Okerefor	Jan 1	08033411059
23	Barr. Kelechi Ndukuba	Sept 15	08033103314
24	Mr. Chijioke Orji	Oct 2	08022243295
25	Pastor Iyke Onuoha	Jan 8	08036457841
26	Pastor Henry Opara	Aug 15	08065129358
27	Mr. Lucky Opara	Feb 14	08035229636
28	Mr. Aikay Oparah	Oct 2	08038902002
29	Prof. Henry Njoku	Oct 15	08033103314
30	Mrs. Chioma Njoku	Sept 6	08033170084
31	Mr. Ashiegu Uchenna	July 15	08036087301
32	Mr. Anah Uchenna Prosper	May 22	08168877247
33	Mr. Kris Ohale	Aug 19	08033051296
34	Mr. Tony Anyadike	Jan 19	08069166283
35	Mr. Joe Ajaero	Dec 17	08034752436
36	Dr. Sam Amadi	July 7	08033299879
37	Mr. Chiaka Alozie	Sept 8	08063139693

ATTENDEES:

a) Mr. Mr. Emezi Anayo

OPENING PROCEDURES

- **Opening Prayers:** Led by Mr. Bisike Uba
- **Breaking of Kolanut:** Kolanuts were at this point formally presented on behalf of the February celebrants.
- **Review & Adoption of Agenda:** Request for review was made, and the motion to adopt the agenda was carried by Mr. Victor Emeana.

INTRODUCTION OF NEW

Apologies for Absences: Mr. Chinedu Ude, Mr. Kelechi Omeni-Nzewuihe, Barr. Emeka Iwuamadi, Mr. Charlie Ugwuadu, Mr. Hans Anukam, Prof. Anthony Emeribe, Mr. James Ekeji, Mr. Ugochukwu Nwosu, Mr. Obioha Uba, Mr. Joseph Chinonso, Ms. Eucharika Ekeh, Barr. Kennedy Okara.

READING OF MINUTES: Minutes of the last monthly general meeting held in February 2025 were read, amended, and posted on the general WhatsApp group.

Observations/Corrections: Page references for attendance and name corrections were noted.

In the absence of any other observations or corrections, the minutes were adopted by Mr. Ken Njemanze and supported by Mr. Ugo Nzerem.

MATTERS ARISING/AGENDA:

1. **Secretariat Set-up:** Update provided on the Secretariat setup. Discussion included the need for a revolving leadership process and the complexity of current administrative activities.
2. **Website Design:**
 - A. Structure of the new <https://www.google.com/search?q=DozieOwerriAssociation.com>
 - B. Onboarding of the affiliates branch
 - C. Coverage of Dozie
 - D. Content from various communities that will be verified before publishing
 - E. Project Manager: Para Systems
 - F. Email: Abuja@<https://www.google.com/search?q=DozieOwerriAssociation.com>
 - G. Documenting the constituent units of each community to provide a **comprehensive and multifaceted historical perspective.**"
3. **Review and Adoption of Minutes:** The 12-month review was completed. Vice President Daniel

provided the primary report on the December 2025 activities.

4. Bylaw Amendments: The final draft of the bylaws was presented and officially **approved/ adopted** by the house as the association's working document as of March 2026.

5. Appointments:

- Pastor Iyke Onuoha was appointed chairman
- Committee members: Mr. Bisike Uba, Ms. Hulda Nkwocha, Mr. Pante Opara, Mr. Kris Ohale, Capt. Aristotle, Ms. Anita, Ms. Ann, Mr. Lucky and Mr. Ugochukwu respectively.

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

1. Odueshi Celebration 2025 Report:

The event held on December 5, 2025, in Abuja was deemed successful in fostering unity and cultural pride. Total contributions were 11,810,500 Naira; total expenditure was 10,981,970 Naira, leaving a closing balance of 870,828.53 Naira. Future planning must address long queues, lack of ushers, and time management. Recommendations include making the event an annual signature event, expanding youth involvement, and improving event planning and logistics.

2. Membership Committee:

The committee has been active with breakfast and reconciliatory meetings. The executive approved the membership of Obi (Computer Science degree) and Papi Abuja (Business degree). The executive approved the membership, and the new members are expected to contribute to the association's development. Mr. President confirms the eligibility of the new members and their commitment to the association.

3. Program & Projects Committee:

The Projects and Programs Committee is revamping the scholarship scheme and is tasked with moving beyond "end-of-year parties" to create "signature annual events." The committee is gathering information and will present a detailed report at the next meeting. The committee was encouraged to come up with new concepts for events and projects, aiming for a December event. The house supports the committee's efforts and expects regular updates on their progress.

4. Insurance & Welfare:

The association maintains its stance on financial obligations, but reminds members that insurance claims are processed through the external provider.

5. Finance Committee:

The report shows that 75 members are financially up to date, including both Amber and Green members. The importance of members being up to date with their fees to maintain the association's financial health was emphasized.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS (AOB)

1. **Communication:** All official communications are to migrate to the new dedicated WhatsApp platform, focusing strictly on association matters.
2. **Leadership & Engagement:** The President was encouraged to consult with senior members during crises to maintain the "social contract" and the group's passion.
3. **Burial Arrangement:** Burial uniform has been shared. In the absence of it, a white attire plus our muffler.
4. Mr. Pante Opara raised the issue of the roster and the contribution
 - **Penalty:** Absentism in hosting participation – the amount is shared by the team plus 100%

ACTION ITEMS

- **2026 Signature Event:** Develop a detailed concept, budget, and plan for the December 2026 "Odo Eji" celebration to be presented to the association.
- **Oversight:** The Projects and Programs Committee must provide oversight for the 2026 committee to ensure alignment with bylaws and the approved budget.
- **Website Content:** Members are encouraged to send community-specific information for the upcoming website launch.
- **Membership Fees:** All members must update their financial status within the 30-day window.
- **Insurance Claims:** Ensure any formal claims from departed members are processed within seven days.

ADJOURNMENT AND CLOSING

- **Vote of thanks:** by Mr. Stanley Nkwazema
- **Adjournment:** Motion moved by Ms. Gloria Okara and seconded by Paul Ohuche
- **Closing Prayer:** by Dr. Sam Amadi

The meeting ended at 9:15 pm.

March Host –

1. Dr Godfrey Nze
2. Hon Tochukwu Okere
3. Captain Aristotle John-E
4. Pastor Iyke Onuoha
5. Mrs. Chindinma Henshaw

6. Ms Anita Ezekwe

7. Distinguish Senator Ezenwa Onyewuchi

DOA Official Hosting Roaster

DOZIE OVERRI ABUJA MONTHLY MEETING HOSTING ROASTER

SN MONTHS NAMES

1 FEBRUARY Sir Okey Ikpe
Ezinwa Lucky Opara
Mr Chinedu Ude
Stanley Njoku

2 MARCH

1. Dr Godfrey Nze
2. Hon Tochukwu Okere
3. Captain Aristotle John-E
4. Pastor Iyke Onuoha
5. Mrs. Chindinma Henshaw
6. Ms Anita Ezekwe
7. Distinguish Senator Ezenwa Onyewuchi

3 APRIL Dr Philip Emeana
Dr. Eze Megwa
Chief Mike Nwachukwu
Ms. Ann Ezekwe
Mr. Kingsley Ibeh
Barr. Chinedu Onyeukwu
Ndaa Allay Akujuobi
Mr. Hector Agwara

4 MAY Mr. Malachy Onyeukwu
Mr. Kelechi Omeni Nzewuihe
Mr. Reginald Anyanwu
Chief Victor Muruakor

Mr. Tony Anyadike
Mr. Joe Ajaero
Cdre. Kelechi Ogbonna

5 JUNE Mr. Pante Opara
Engr. Bright Iroka
Hon. Uche Onyeagucha
Dr. Ugo Ihekuna
Ms. Hulda Nkwocha
Mr. Victor Emeana
Mr Teddy Obey

6 JULY Chief Paschal Emeanyonu
HE. Dr. Mrs. Betty Anyanwu-Akeredolu
Barr. Kennedy Okara
Dr Sam Amadi
Mr. Chris Amadi
Prof. Anthony Emeribe
Mr. Ugochukwu Nwosu

7 AUGUST Pastor Henry Opara
Mr Okechukwu Ajare
Hon. Rogers Nwoke
Mr. Philip Chukwueke
Mr. James Ekeji
Ms. Eucharika Ekeh
Mr Kris Ohale

8 SEPTEMBER Barr. Kelechi Ndukuba
Mr. Oliver Akuta
Mrs. Lizzy Ihezue Iwuamadi
Ms. Gloria Okara,
Barr. Obinna Ajoku (SAN)
Sir Rapheal Ude,
Mr. Pressy Chukwu
Mr. Stanley Nkwazema

9 OCTOBER

Barr. Ken Njemanze (SAN)

Dr. Tony Okereafor

Mr. Onyemuche Okere

Mr. Aikay Oparah

Prof. Henry Njoku

Mrs. Chioma Njoku

Ms. Asuoha Chinwe Esther

10 NOVEMBER Chief Nkechi Ogbonna

Mr. Clement Chinaka

Mr. Ugochukwu Nzerem

Mr. Paul Ohuche

Mr. Dannis Osuji

Mr. Bisike Uba

Mr Hubert Akahara

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Rogers Nwoke

President

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Paul Ohuche

General Secretary

