HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES Friday, May 8, 2015

President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf attended a reception in observance of European Union (EU) Day at the residence of its Ambassador to Liberia, Her Excellency, Ms. Tina Intelmannon.

She hailed the European Union (EU) for it enormous contributions to Liberia in its efforts to eradicate the Ebola virus disease as well as its direct budget support and expressed her pleasure that Liberia-EU relations have been taken to a higher level with the elevation of the EU Mission in Liberia to the status of a full EU Delegation.

Despite the excellent relations between the Liberian Government and the EU, President Sirleaf said they cannot neglect the need to promote and improve people to people interaction. She outlined the problems Liberians face in obtaining Schengen visas.

Earlier, Ambassador Intelmann welcomed President Sirleaf and noted that 2015 has been an incredible year for both Europe and Liberia. She highlighted the enormous EU assistance as well as political support provided Liberia in its fight against the disease and its development efforts.