HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY ACTIVITIES — Wednesday, October 19, 2016

- ➤ Cabinet has meticulously reviewed the state of national economy, received updates on economic performance, the need for diversification and amid the finalization of relevant due diligence, approved ArcelorMittal new project, which is in line with the existing Mineral Development Agreement (MDA) and License issued the company. The body reviewed the current economic performance and challenges, strategies moving forward, updates on FY16/17 National Budget execution, as well as budget option for fiscal year 17/18.
- President Ellen Johnson on Wednesday, October 19, received the Speaker and members of the leadership of the House of Representatives at her Foreign Ministry Office in Monrovia. Speaker Emmanuel Nuquay and the entire leadership of the House of Representatives discussed matters of importance to the state with focus on enhancing cooperation and collaboration between the House of Representatives and the Executive Branch of the Government. The Liberian leader thanked Speaker Nuquay and the House's leadership for the gesture of meeting with her and the steps taken towards the unification of its members after an impasse that saw deep division amongst them. She assured them of her personal support and the support of the Executive in fostering unity with the National legislature and the House of Representatives in particular.
- President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf on Wednesday, October 19, met a delegation led by Professor Edward Maloka at the lead of APRM Continental Secretariat and team of Economic Commission for Africa (ECA) during a courtesy call paid on her at her Foreign Ministry Office, in Monrovia. While in Monrovia, the team will provide technical assistance and build the capacities of key stakeholders of the APRM Liberia Country Program ahead of Liberia's self-assessment study.