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(Akwa Ibom/Cross River States Chapter)

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INDUSTRIAL VISITS BY AKWA IBOM/CROSS RIVER CHAPTER

TECHNOLOGY INCUBATION CENTRE

The Chapter undertook a visit to Technology Incubation Centre, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State on 12th December, 2019. The delegation was led by the Vice Chairman – Engr. Benedict Edenseting with other executive members; Engr. Ahmed Isa, Engr. Ikemshit Orok, Engr. Uwem Inyang, Mr. Henry Bassey and Engr. Daniel Daniel.

Upon arrival, we were received by the Centre Manager – Tgst. Victor Ironbar, Mr. Philip A. Ikpe – Head of Commercial and Mrs. Helsidah Joe – Head of Scientific.

The Centre Manager – Tgst. Victor Ironbar thanked the leadership of the chapter for visiting the centre.

We were taken round the facilities. Several entrepreneurs are into different production/delivery services such as;

1. Traffic Controller Light with Defaulter Alarm System by Engr. Kingsley Ekanem.
2. Rolling Injection Planter, Fertilizer Applicator and Mechanize Rolling Injection Planter with Fertilizer Applicator by Mr. David Ikpe and Mr. Kufre Jonah.
3. Fabrication of Food Drying Machines such as Fish Dryers, Dehydrator Dryer (It dry fo without destroying the nutrients), Cassava Meal, Rice

4. Transplanter, Cassava Greater etc. by Mr. Nelson Usoro
4. Pop Corn Production (MunchyPop Corn) by Mr. Obeten Godswill
5. Custard Production (Fortified with Vitamins and Minerals) by Mrs. Emem Ekpenyong



At Technology Incubation Centre

And many more other product and fabrication work. In our remark, Vice Chairman – Engr. Benedict

Edenseting thanked the management of the centre for opening their door for us to come in. He also appreciated the management for encouraging local content and pledged our commitment to the centre for collaboration in any area of their need.

In response, Mrs. Helsidah Joe – Head of Scientific thanked the Society for the gesture and promised to always open their doors to the Society and solicited for continued support and collaboration.

GLORIOUS NICKSON LIMITED

The Chapter undertook a visit to Glorious Nickson Limited, Ikotabasi Idem, Shelter Afrique Extension Uyo. The

delegation was led by Vice Chairman – Engr. Benedict Edenseting and other Executive members on 11th December, 2019.

Upon arrival, we were received by the Personnel Manager- Mrs. Mary Utibe on behalf of management and thereafter led to the conference room where safety brief was done and we were given water to quench our thirst. In the welcome remark, the Personnel Manager - Mrs. Mary Utibe, thanked the leadership of the Chapter for visiting their company.

The Production Manager, Mr. Michael Udoh took us round the different units in the factory. The water storage tank, Treatment procedure, Production room, finished product.

The Chemicals used for water treatment by the company are majorly chlorine and soda ash, carbon filter. They also use UV light and micron filter for treatment of their water.

The shelf life for their bottle water is

one year while the sachet water is two months.

In addition to other treatment procedure, they also use ozone for the

treatment of the bottle water.

At the end of the facility tour Engr. Benedict Edenseting appreciated the management of the company for opening their door to us for the visit.

In response, the Production Manager – Mr. Michael Udoh thanked the Society for the coming to their factory and pledged the company partnership with the Society.



At Glorious Nickson Limited

END OF YEAR DINNER/AWARD NIGHT

The chapter organized its end of year Dinner/Award Night on 14th December, 2019 at Emrosy Hotels, Shelter Afrique, Uyo. The event is an annual get-together party where the Society interacts with Academia, Industry and Government and

The Chairman for the Dinner was Engr. Uko Ekpe – MNSChE. Many dignitaries graced the occasion amongst whom

were; Engr. Akaninyene Ekong FNISafetyE, MNSChE (Deputy



National Chairman/Akwa Ibom State Chairman of The Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers), Engr. & Mrs. Enobong Ebong – FNSE (Chairman, Nigerian Institution of Electrical/Electronics Engineers, Akwa Ibom State), Dinner Lecture was delivered by Mr. Inalegwa Adoga - the

recognizes the achievement of Individuals and Corporate organizations.



Production Manager of Champion Brewery on "Production". At the event, Awards were given to two (2) individuals.



A RADIO DISCUSSION PROGRAMME BY NIGERIAN SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS (NSCHE) AKWA IBOM/CROSS RIVER STATES CHAPTER WHICH TOOK PLACE ON MONDAY 9TH DECEMBER, 2019 IN XL 106.9FM, UYO

The Chapter under-



neers in Akwa Ibom and Cross River States about the Society and its activities. The team was led by the Chapter Chairman - Engr. Dr. Innocent O. Oboh with Engr. Benedict Edenseting, Engr. Ahmed Isa, Engr. Ikemesit Orok, Mr. Henry Bassey and the Administrative Secretary - Engr. Daniel Daniel. The name of the presenter

took a visit to XL 106.9 for a radio discussion programme as part of our awareness campaign to sensitize



was Mr. Femi.

The topic for the discussion during the programme was centred on Waste Control and Uyo Village Road, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State was used as a case study.

the general public and other Chemical Engi-

Chapter Chairman -

