



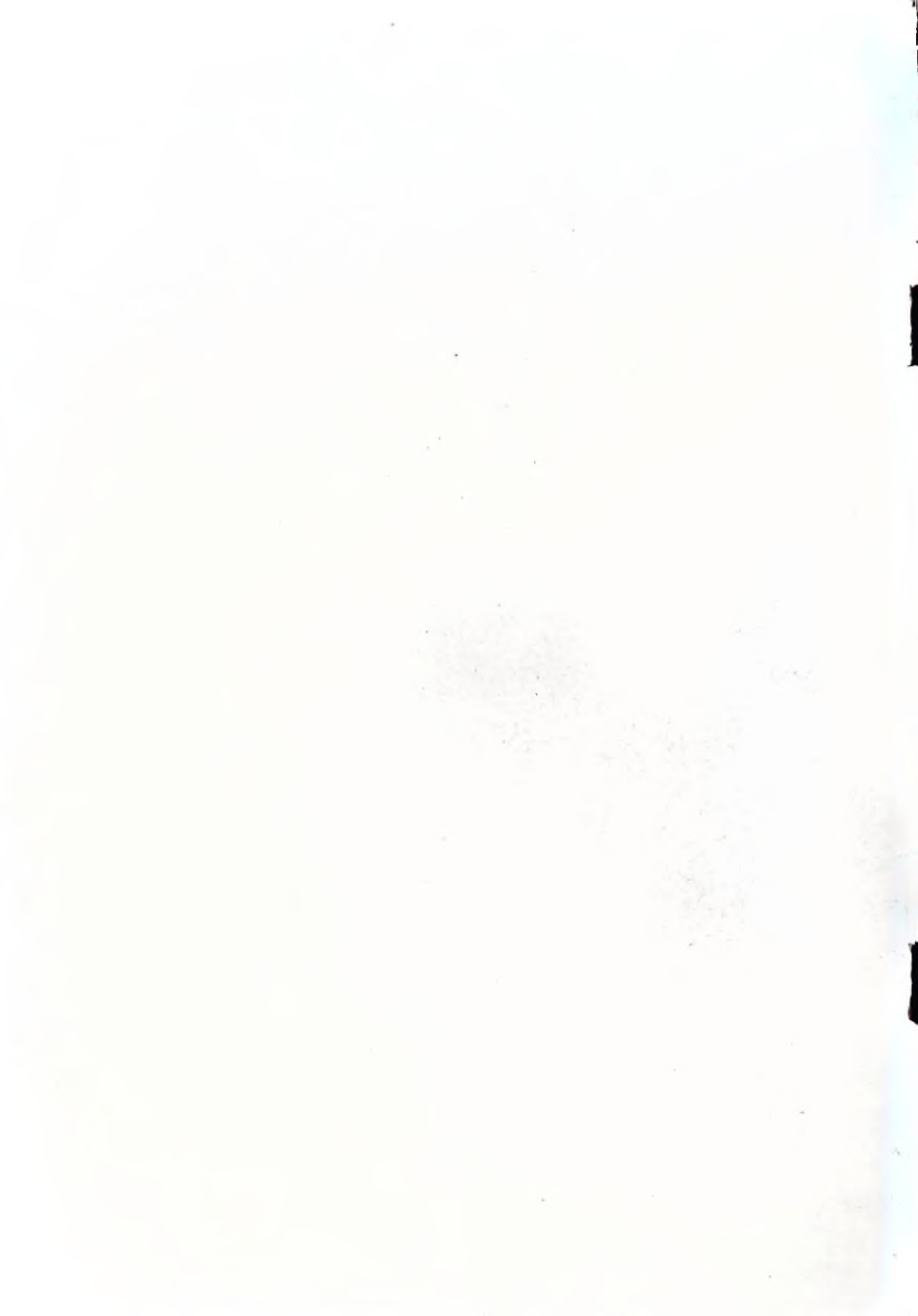
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WESTERN STATE CHIEFTAINCY  
DECLARATIONS

**EGBA DIVISION**

MINISTRY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT  
AND CHIEFTAINCY AFFAIRS

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**AMENDED DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 9A OF  
THE CHIEFS LAW, CAP. 19, SETTING OUT THE  
CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION TO  
THE ALAKE OF ABEOKUTA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE**

(i) There are two Ruling Houses and the identity of each such Ruling House is:

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| 1. Jibodu—comprising: |                   |
| (a) Ademola Family    | (c) Sokalu Family |
| (b) Oyekan Family     | (d) Luwaji Family |
| 2. Larun              |                   |

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

1. Jibodu (*out-going Ruling House*)
2. Larun (*next Ruling House*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a Ruling House entitled to fill a vacancy shall be:

A son of a previous holder of the title, provided that if there is no eligible son any direct male descendant of a previous holder of the title shall be considered suitable. If there is no direct male descendant then a direct female descendant shall also be considered suitable.

(For the avoidance of doubt, direct descendant means a son or daughter, grandson or grand-daughter, great grandson or great grand-daughter and so on).

(iv) There are thirty kingmakers as under:

**OGBONI CHIEFS**

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| AKE       |           |
| 1. Oluwo  | 10. Odofo |
| 2. Apena  | 11. Apena |
| 3. Adila  | ITOKU     |
| 4. Basala | 12. Oluwo |
| IPORO     | 13. Apena |
| 5. Oluwo  | 14. Lisa  |
| 6. Lisa   | IJEUN     |
| 7. Asalu  | 15. Oluwo |
| KEMTA     | 16. Odofo |
| 8. Oluwo  | 17. Apena |
| 9. Aro    |           |

**OLOROGUN CHIEFS**

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|-------------|-------------|
| AKE         |             |
| 18. Balogun | ITOKU       |
| 19. Jagunna | 25. Balogun |
| IPORO       | 26. Otun    |
| 20. Jagunna | 27. Ekerin  |
| 21. Balogun | IJEUN       |
| 22. Sarumi  | 28. Balogun |
| KEMTA       | 29. Otun    |
| 23. Balogun | 30. Ekerin  |
| 24. Otun    |             |

(v) The method of nomination by each Ruling House is as follows:

The Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate a candidate or candidates at a meeting of that House to be summoned by the Head of the House. The Head of the House shall present the candidates so nominated to the kingmakers. In the event of there being more than one candidate the kingmakers shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate and shall declare such candidate as obtains a majority vote of those kingmakers present and voting to be appointed.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation, the kingmakers shall present the new Alake of Abeokuta to the people of Egba Alake Section.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council, which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 11th day of July, 1963.

ADEDAMOLA II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

D. LOWO,  
*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee*

APPROVED by the Governor in Council this 30th day of July, 1963.

*Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council*

REGISTERED this 31st day of July, 1963.

J. M. BECKLEY,  
*Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Chieftaincy Affairs*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3) OF  
THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING  
THE SELECTION TO THE OSI EGBA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) When the post of Osi Egba becomes vacant appointment is made from the following townships of Gbagura section :

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|-----------|------------|
| 1. Owe    | 4. Ika     |
| 2. Ojoo   | 5. Oje-Ile |
| 3. Ibadan |            |

(ii) The order of rotation in which eligible townships shall be entitled to present candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be :

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|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Ojoo   | 4. Oje-Ile                        |
| 2. Ibadan | 5. Owe (present ruling township). |
| 3. Ika    |                                   |

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title :

The Agura of Gbagura, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six Senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Osi Egba Chieftaincy the Agura shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making their final selection.

(v) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor in Council, have been completed but before installation the Agura shall present the new Osi Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3) OF  
THE CHIEFS LAW 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO  
THE OTUN EGBA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE**

(i) When the post of Otun Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Oke-Ona section:

1. Ilugun
2. Ikereku
3. Ikija

(ii) The order of rotation in which the townships are entitled to provide a candidate to fill a vacancy shall be as follows:

1. Ilugun
2. Ikereku
3. Ikija (*present holder of title*).

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Osile of Oke-Ona, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Otun Egba Chieftaincy, the Osile shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957 and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making a final selection.

(v) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Oshile shall present the new Otun Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3) OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957  
OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
OLORIPARAKOYI EGBA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) When the post of Oloriparakoyi Egba becomes vacant the appointment is made from Igbore township only.

(ii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Alake of Abeokuta, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of Igbore township and the six senior Olorogun of Igbore township.

(iii) When a vacancy occurs in the Oloriparakoyi Egba chieftaincy, the Alake shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making a final selection.

(iv) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor in Council, have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Oloriparakoyi Egba to the people of Igbore township.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designed as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

JOE OLADIMEJI,

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

D. S. ADEGBENRO,

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

G. H. BUCK,

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*

**FORM OF DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF  
THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957 SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO  
THE ONIRO OF IRO CHIEFTAINCY**

There are three ruling houses and the indentivity of each such ruling house is:

1. Apetu-Mata
2. Eribi
3. Oleyo

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincies shall be:

1. Apetu-Mata—(*The next Ruling House*)
2. Eribi
3. Oleyo—(*The last Ruling House*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a Ruling House entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:

A son of a previous holder of the title, provided that if there is not eligible son any direct male descendant of a previous holder of the title shall be considered suitable. If there is no direct male descendant then a direct female descendant shall also be considered suitable. (For the avoidance of doubt, direct descendant means a son or daughter, grandson or granddaughter great grandson or great granddaughter and so on).

(iv) The Kingmakers shall be:

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|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. The Oluwo of Iro  | 7. The Balogun of Iro         |
| 2. The Asalu of Iro  | 8. The Jaguna Olorogun of Iro |
| 3. The Odofin of Iro | 9. The Apena of Iro           |
| 4. The Aro of Iro    | 10. The Olori-Parakoyi of Iro |
| 5. The Osa of Iro    | 11. The Olori Erelu of Iro    |
| 6. The Osolo of Iro  | 12. The Iyalode of Iro        |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

The Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate a candidate or candidates at a meeting of that house to be summoned by the Head of the house. The Head of the House shall present the candidate or candidates so nominated to the Kingmakers. In the event of there being more than one candidate, the Kingmakers shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate and shall declare such candidate as obtains a majority vote of those Kingmakers present and voting to be appointed.

(vi) The Kingmakers shall obtain the consent of the Alake of Abeokuta and this should not be unreasonably withheld.

(vii) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor in Council have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Oniro of Iro to the people of Iro section from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955 and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 10th day of April, 1965.



GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

J. A. WOYE,  
*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

**APPROVED** this 25th day of May, 1965.

*Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council*

**REGISTERED** this 31st day of May, 1965.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government and Chieftaincy  
Affairs*

APPENDIX 'B'

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3) OF  
THE CHIEFS LAW 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
AKOGUN EGBA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE

When the post of the Akogun Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Egba Oke-Ona Section:

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|--------------|--------------|
| (i) Ilugun   | (iv) Ilawo   |
| (ii) Ikereku | (v) Odo      |
| (iii) Ikija  | (vi) Idomapa |

(ii) The order of rotation in which the eligible townships are entitled to provide a candidate to fill the vacancy shall be:

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|--------------|--------------|
| (i) Ilugun   | (iv) Ilawo   |
| (ii) Ikereku | (v) Odo      |
| (iii) Ikija  | (vi) Idomapa |

Provided that any township whose turn it is to provide a candidate for the chieftaincy shall not be eligible to exercise this right, if at the material time it holds the chieftaincy title of either the Otun of Egba or the Lisa of Egba; in which case the township next to the affected township shall be called upon to provide a candidate for the chieftaincy.

(iii) The kingmakers in respect of Akogun Egba Chieftaincy shall be:

- (a) The Oshile of Oke-Ona
- (b) The Iwarefa (*i.e.*, The Oluwo, the Aro, the Odofin, the Lisa, the Baase and the Baala) and the first six senior Ologun (*i.e.*, the Balogun, the Otun, the Osi, the Ekerin, the Seriki and the Are) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Akogun Egba Chieftaincy, the Oshile of Oke-Ona shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected.

(v) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment have been completed but before installation, the Oshile of Oke-Ona shall present the new Akogun Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.N.L.N. 46 of 15th February, 1962 and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 16th day of May, 1969.

GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*  
*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED by the Executive Council this 14th day of August, 1969.

P. TAIWO ODUMOSU,  
*Secretary to the Military Government*

REGISTERED this 25th day of August, 1969.

A. A. K. DEGUN,  
*Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*  
*and Chieftaincy Affairs*

**AMENDED DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 9A OF THE  
CHIEFS LAW, CAP. 19, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
OLOWU OF OWU CHIEFTAINCY**

There are six ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

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|---|--------------|
| (i) Ayoloye ( <i>present Ruling House</i> ) | (iv) Lagbedu |
| (ii) Akinjobi                               | (v) Amororo  |
| (iii) Akinoso                               | (vi) Otileta |

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincies shall be:

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|---------------|--|
| (i) Akinjobi  | (iv) Amororo                                 |
| (ii) Akinoso  | (v) Otileta                                  |
| (iii) Lagbedu | (vi) Ayoloye ( <i>present Ruling House</i> ) |

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a Ruling House entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:

A son of a previous holder of the title, provided that if there is no eligible son any direct male descendant of a previous holder of the title shall be considered suitable. If there is no direct male descendant then a direct female descendant shall also be considered suitable. (For the avoidance of doubt, direct descendant means a son or daughter, grandson or grand-daughter, great grandson or great grand-daughter and so on.)

(iv) There are eight Kingmakers as under:

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|-----------------|------------------|
| 1. The Akogun   | 5. The Oyega     |
| 2. The Oba-Maja | 6. The Omolashin |
| 3. The Otunto   | 7. The Oloshi    |
| 4. The Osupori  | 8. The Balogun   |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house shall be as follows:

The Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate a candidate or candidates at a meeting of the ruling house to be summoned by the head of the house. The head of the house shall present the candidate or candidates so nominated to the Kingmakers. In making their selection the Kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957. In the event of there being more than one candidate the Kingmakers shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate and shall declare such candidate as obtains a majority vote of those Kingmakers present and voting to be appointed.

After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council have been completed but before installation the kingmakers shall present the new Olowu of Owu to the people of Owu and to the Alake.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955 and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 27th day of November, 1963.

GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

D. E. LOWO,  
*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED by the Governor-in-Council this 24th day of June, 1964.

*Secretary to the Premier and Executive Council*

REGISTERED this 4th day of July, 1964.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Chieftaincy Affairs*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
OSHILE OF OKE-ONA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE**

(i) There are three ruling houses and the identity of each such Ruling House is:

- (i) Ayokan comprising Karunwi family
- (ii) Ganganojuda comprising Adebare family
- (iii) Kebiodu comprising Adedamola family.

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (i) Ayokan
- (ii) Ganganojuda
- (iii) Kebiodu (*present Ruling House*).

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as a candidate entitled to fill a vacancy shall be:

A son of a previous holder of the title, provided that if there is no eligible son any direct male descendant of a previous holder of the title shall be considered suitable. If there is no direct male descendant then a direct female descendant shall also be considered suitable. (For the avoidance of doubt, direct descendant means a son or daughter, grandson or grand-daughter, great grandson or great grand-daughter and so on).

(iv) There are twelve kingmakers as under:

<i>Ogboni Iwarefa of Oko</i>	<i>Olorogun of Oko</i>
1. Oluwo	7. Balogun
2. Oloregan	8. Otun
3. Odofo	9. Osi
4. Oloriparakoyi	10. Ekerin
5. Lisa	11. Asiwaju
6. Apena	12. Ogboye

(v) The method of nomination by a ruling house is as follows:

The Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate a candidate or candidates at a meeting of that house to be summoned by the head of the house. The head of the house shall present the candidate or candidates so nominated to the kingmakers. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957. In the event of there being more than one candidate the kingmakers shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate declare such candidate as obtains a majority vote of those kingmakers present and voting to be appointed.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the kingmakers shall present the new Oshile of Oke-Ona to the people of Oke-Ona and to the Alake.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
EKERIN EGBA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) By tradition the person appointed by the Olowu of Owu as the Balogun Owu is nominated by the Olowu for appointment as the Ekerin Egba.

(ii) The Alake of Abeokuta's consent to the Olowu's nomination is required but is purely formal and may not be withheld.

(iii) After all other formalities connected with the appointment including approval by the Governor-in-Council have been completed, but before installation, the Olowu shall present the new Ekerin Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
ASHIPA EGBA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) When the post of Ashipa Egba is vacant the appointment is made from Itoko township only.

(ii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Alake of Abeokuta, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of Itoko township and the six senior Olorogun of Itoko.

(iii) When a vacancy occurs in the Ashipa Egba Chieftaincy the Alake shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making their final selection.

(iv) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor -in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Ashipa Egba to the people of Itoko township.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*



**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF  
THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
OLOFIN OF ISHERI CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are four ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

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| 1. Ayodele       | 3. Onigbakule |
| 2. Taiwo Oluwole | 4. Akinlolu   |

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide a candidate to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

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| 1. Ayodele ( <i>present Ruling House</i> ) | 3. Onigbakule |
| 2. Taiwo Oluwole                           | 4. Akinlolu   |

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a Ruling House entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:

A son of a previous holder of the title, provided that if there is no eligible son any direct male descendant of a previous holder of the title shall be considered suitable. If there is no direct male descendant then a direct female descendant shall also be considered suitable. (For the avoidance of doubt, direct descendant means a son or daughter, grandson or grand-daughter, great grandson or great grand-daughter and so on).

(iv) There are eight kingmakers as under:

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|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. The Oluwo of Isheri  | 5. The Ajaguna of Isheri  |
| 2. The Osunba of Isheri | 6. The Onikotun of Isheri |
| 3. The Aro of Isheri    | 7. The Ashero of Isheri   |
| 4. The Ojumo of Isheri  | 8. The Apena of Isheri    |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house shall be as follows:

The Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate a candidate or candidates at a meeting of the ruling house to be summoned by the head of house. The head of the house shall present the candidate or candidates so nominated to the kingmakers. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957. In the event of there being more than one candidate the kingmakers shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate and shall declare such candidate as obtains a majority vote of those kingmakers present and voting to be appointed.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before the installation the kingmakers shall present the new Olofin of Isheri to the people of Isheri and to the Alake.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council.*

JOE OLADIMEJI,  
*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee*

*Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

D. S. ADEGBENRO,  
*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

G. H. BUCK,  
*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
 DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
 OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
 REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
 OGANLA EGBA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE

When the post of the Oganla Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Egba Gbagura section:

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| (i) Ijaiye        | (vii) Ikeiye       |
| (ii) Iwo          | (viii) Orun        |
| (iii) Ojesemi     | (ix) Ira           |
| (iv) Ikereku Idan | (x) Idere          |
| (v) Ojokodo       | (xi) Ikereku Iwerc |
| (vi) Offa         |                    |

(ii) The order of rotation in which the eligible townships are entitled to provide a candidate to fill the vacancy shall be:

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|-------------------|--------------------|
| (i) Ijaiye        | (vii) Orun         |
| (ii) Iwo          | (viii) Ikeiye      |
| (iii) Ojesemi     | (ix) Ira           |
| (iv) Ikereku Idan | (x) Idere          |
| (v) Ojokodo       | (xi) Ikereku Iwerc |
| (vi) Offa         |                    |

Provided that any township whose turn it is to provide a candidate for the chieftaincy shall not be eligible to exercise this right, if at the material time it holds the chieftaincy title of Odofin of Egba, in which case the township next to the affected township shall be called upon to provide a candidate for the chieftaincy.

(iii) The kingmakers in respect of Oganla Chieftaincy shall be:

- (a) The Agura of Gbagura
- (b) The Iwarefa (*i.e.*, The Oluwo, the Aro, the Odofin, the Lisa, the Asalu and the Base), and the first six senior Ologun (*i.e.*, the Balogun, the Otun, the Osi, the Ekerin, the Seriki and the Bada) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Oganla Egba Chieftaincy, the Agura of Gbagura shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected.

(v) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment have been completed but before installation the Agura of Gbagura shall present the new Oganla Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.N.L.N. 46 of 15th February, 1962 and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 16th day of May, 1969.

GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED by the Executive Council this 28th day of August, 1969.

*Secretary to the Military Government*

REGISTERED this 5th day of September, 1969.

A. A. K. DEGUN,  
*Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government  
and Chieftaincy Affairs*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957 SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
ASIWAJU OF EGBA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE

(i) When the post of Asiwaju Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following Ibarapa townships of the Egba Alake section:

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| (i) Irowo   | (vi) Iro       |
| (ii) Taffin | (vii) Agurodo  |
| (iii) Adawo | (viii) Saganun |
| (iv) Ijade  | (ix) Abaka     |
| (v) Arawo   |                |

(ii) The order of rotation in which eligible townships shall be entitled to present candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

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|-------------|----------------|
| (i) Irowo   | (vi) Iro       |
| (ii) Taffin | (vii) Agurodo  |
| (iii) Adawo | (viii) Saganun |
| (iv) Ijade  | (ix) Abaka     |
| (v) Arawo   |                |

(iii) The following shall be the Kingmakers in respect of the title:

- (a) The Alake of Abeokuta.
- (b) The Iwarefa Ogboni (*i.e.*, the Oluwo, the Odofin, the Lisa, the Baase, the Onlado and the Baala) and the first six senior Ologun (*i.e.*, the Balogun, the Otun Balogun, the Osi Balogun, the Ekerin Balogun, the Seriki and the Bada) of the town whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Asiwaju Egba Chieftaincy the Alake shall summon a meeting of the Kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Asiwaju Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.N.L.N. 46 of 12th day of February, 1962 and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 16th day of May, 1969.

GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*  
*Acting Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED by the Executive Council this 14th day of August, 1969.

P. TAIWO ODUMOSU,  
*Secretary to the Military Government*

REGISTERED this 25th day of August, 1969.

A. A. K. DEGUN,  
*Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government  
and Chieftaincy Affairs*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
SARUMI EGBA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE

(i) When a vacancy occurs in the Sarumi Egba Chieftaincy Title the new appointment shall be made from the following Ologun Chiefs in Owu Section of Abeokuta:

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|-----------------------|------------------------|
| (1) The Otun of Owu   | (4) The Are-Ago of Owu |
| (2) The Osi of Owu    | (5) The Jagunna of Owu |
| (3) The Seriki of Owu |                        |

(ii) The Kingmakers in respect of Sarumi Egba Chieftaincy shall be:

- (a) The Olowu of Owu
- (b) The Iwarefa (*i.e.*, the Akogun of Owu, the Obamaja Owu, the Orunto Owu, the Osupori Owu, the Oyega Owu and the Omolasin Owu) and the first six senior Ologun (*i.e.*, the Balogun Owu, the Otun Owu, the Osi Owu, the Seriki Owu, the Are-Ago Owu and the Jagunna Owu).

(iii) When a vacancy occurs in the Sarumi Egba Chieftaincy, the Olowu of Owu shall summon a meeting of the Kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected.

(iv) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the Kingmakers, but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment have been completed but before installation the Olowu of Owu shall present the new Sarumi Egba to the people of Owu.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 52 of 23rd June, 1966 and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 16th day of May, 1969.

GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED by the Executive Council this 14th day of August, 1969.

P. TAIWO ODUMOSU,  
*Secretary to the Military Government*

REGISTERED this 5th day of September, 1969.

A. A. K. DEGUN,  
*Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government  
and Chieftaincy Affairs*

DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE

AGURA OF GBAGURA CHIEFTAINCY

- (i) There are two ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:
1. Egiri—(comprising Jamolu, Ijade, Abolade and Adeosun families)
  2. Jiboso—(comprising Olubumi and Sobekun families).
- (ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:
1. Egiri
  2. Jiboso (*present Ruling House*).
- (iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy shall be:

A son of a previous holder of the title, provided that if there is no eligible son any direct male descendant of a previous holder of the title shall be considered suitable. If there is no direct male descendant then a direct female descendant shall also be considered suitable. (For the avoidance of doubt, direct descendant means a son or daughter, grandson or grand-daughter, great grandson or great grand-daughter and so on).

- (iv) There are twelve kingmakers as under:

*Iwarefa Ogboni*

*Iwarefa Olorugun of Iddo Township*

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|------------|------------|
| 1. Oluwo   | 7. Balogun |
| 2. Molakun | 8. Otun    |
| 3. Aro     | 9. Osi     |
| 4. Olisa   | 10. Ekerin |
| 5. Odofo   | 11. Seriki |
| 6. Apena   | 12. Bada.  |

- (v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

The Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate a candidate or candidates at a meeting of that house to be summoned by the head of the house. The head of the house shall present the candidate or candidates so nominated to the kingmakers. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957. In the event of there being more than one candidate the kingmakers shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate and shall declare such candidate as obtains a majority vote of those kingmakers present and voting to be appointed.

- (vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment including approval by the Governor-in-Council have been completed but before installation the kingmakers shall present the new Agura of Gbagura to the people of Gbagura and to the Alake.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*



**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION OF THE  
OLUBARA OF IBARA CHIEFTAINCY**

(f) There are four ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

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| 1. Lalubu    | 3. Lafa      |
| 2. Ajiboyede | 4. Adubiwaji |

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

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| 1. Lalubu ( <i>present ruling house</i> ) | 3. Lafa      |
| 2. Ajiboyede                              | 4. Adubiwaji |

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a Ruling House entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:

A son of a previous holder of the title, provided that if there is no eligible son any direct male descendant of a previous holder of the title shall be considered suitable. If there is no direct male descendant then a direct female descendant shall also be considered suitable. (For the avoidance of doubt, direct descendant means a son or daughter, grandson or grand-daughter, great grandson or great grand-daughter and so on).

(iv) There are twelve kingmakers as under:

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|-----------|-----------------------|
| 1. Obajio | 7. Balogun Ibara      |
| 2. Aro    | 8. Otun Balogun Ibara |
| 3. Osolo  | 9. Oluwo Ilewo        |
| 4. Elemo  | 10. Balogun Ilewo     |
| 5. Osorun | 11. Oluwo Isaga       |
| 6. Apena  | 12. Balogun Isaga     |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house shall be as follows:

The ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate a candidate or candidates at a meeting of the ruling house to be summoned by the head of the house. The head of the house shall present the candidate or candidates so nominated to the kingmakers. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and dis-qualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957. In the event of there being more than one candidate the kingmakers shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate and shall declare such candidate as obtains a majority vote of those kingmakers present and voting to be appointed.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the kingmakers shall present the new Olubara to the people of Ibara and to the Alake.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION OF THE  
OLUWO EGBA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) When the post of Oluwo Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Egba Alake Section:

(i) Ijeun

(ii) Kemta

(ii) The order of rotation in which eligible townships shall be entitled to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be as follows:

(1) Ijeun

(2) Kemta (*last ruling township*)

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Alake of Abeokuta, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Oluwo Egba Chieftaincy, the Alake shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making a final selection.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Oluwo Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
SERIKI EGBA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE**

(i) When a vacancy occurs in the Seriki Egba Chieftaincy Title the new appointment shall be made from the following townships:

- (i) Ijeun
- (ii) Oba
- (iii) Kemta

(ii) The order of rotation in which the townships are entitled to provide a candidate to fill the vacancy is as follows:

- (i) Ijeun (*Last holder*)
- (ii) Oba
- (iii) Kemta

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Alake of Abeokuta

The Iwarefa of Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate, and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Seriki Egba Chieftaincy the Alake shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making a final selection.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Seriki Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE

DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
APENA EGBA CHIEFTAINCY

When the post of Apena Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of the Egba Alake Section:

- (i) Itoku
- (ii) Iporo

(ii) The order of rotation in which eligible townships shall be entitled to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (i) Itoku (*next holeer*)
- (ii) Iporo

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Alake of Abeokuta, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogbori) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Apena Egba chieftaincy, the Alake shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making final selection.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment including approval by the Governor-in-Council have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Apena Egba to the people of the township from which he was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
ODOFIN EGBA CHIEFTAINCY

(i) When the post of Odofo Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Gbagura Section:

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|-------------------|--------------------|
| (i) Iwo           | (vi) Offa          |
| (ii) Ijaiye       | (vii) Orun         |
| (iii) Ojesemi     | (viii) Ikeiye      |
| (iv) Ikereku-Idan | (ix) Ira           |
| (v) Ojokodo       | (x) Idere          |
|                   | (xi) Ikereku Iwerc |

(ii) The order of rotation in which the eligible townships shall be entitled to present candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

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|--------------------|---|
| (i) Ijaiye         | (vi) Orun                                   |
| (ii) Ojesemi       | (vii) Ikeiye                                |
| (iii) Ikereku-Idan | (viii) Ira                                  |
| (iv) Ojokodo       | (ix) Idere                                  |
| (v) Offa           | (x) Ikereku Iwerc                           |
|                    | (xi) Iwo ( <i>present Ruling township</i> ) |

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Agura of Gbagura, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Odofo Egba Chieftaincy the Agura shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making their final selection.

(v) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Agura shall present the new Odofo Egba to the people of the township from which he was appointed. Made by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1957, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee, Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, SETTING OUT THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
BALOGUN EGBA CHIEFTAINCY TITLE**

(i) When a vacancy occurs in the Balogun Egba Chieftaincy title the new appointment shall be made from Igbein Township only.

(ii) The following persons shall be the Kingmakers in respect of this title: The Alake of Abcokuta, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of Igbein township and the six senior Olorogun of Igbein township.

(iii) When a vacancy occurs in the Balogun Egba chieftaincy, the Alake shall summon a meeting of the Kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the Kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making a final selection.

(iv) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Balogun Egba to the people of Igbein township.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government and Chieftaincy Affairs*

**FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957 OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
BADA EGBA CHIEFTAINCY**

When the post of Bada Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Egba Alake section:

- (i) Kesi
- (ii) Itesi
- (iii) Ikopa

(ii) The Order of rotation in which eligible townships are entitled to present candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (i) Kesi
- (ii) Itesi
- (iii) Ikopa

(iii) The Kingmakers in respect of Bada Egba Chieftaincy shall be:

The Alake of Abeokuta

The Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Bada Egba Chieftaincy, the Alake shall summon a meeting of the Kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the Kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making their final selection.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation, the Alake shall present the new Bada Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 4th day of March, 1967.

GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 11th day of July, 1968.

P. TAIWO ODUMOSU,  
*Secretary to the Military Government*

REGISTERED this 1st day of August, 1968.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government and Chieftaincy Affairs*



FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE ARO EGBA CHIEFTAINCY

When the post of Aro Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Egba Alake Section.

- (i) Ijemo
- (ii) Kesi
- (iii) Erunwon
- (iv) Kemta (*present holder of the title*).

(ii) The order of rotation in which eligible townships are entitled to present candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (i) Ijemo
- (ii) Kesi
- (iii) Erunwon
- (iv) Kemta (*present holder of the title*).

(iii) The kingmakers in respect of Aro Egba Chieftaincy shall be:

The Alake of Abcokuta

The Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Aro Egba Chieftaincy the Alake shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957 and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability character and popular support of each candidate before making their final selection.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Aro Egba to the people of township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N.352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE  
**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
 OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
 REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE OGBOYE EGBA CHIEFTAINCY**

When the post of Ogboye Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Egba Alake section:

- (i) Igbore
- (ii) Itori
- (iii) Imo

(ii) The order of rotation in which eligible townships are entitled to present candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (i) Igbore
- (ii) Itori
- (iii) Imo

(iii) The Kingmakers in respect of Ogboye Egba Chieftaincy shall be:

The Alake of Abeokuta

The Iwɔrefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Ologun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Ogboye Egba Chieftaincy, the Alake shall summon meeting of the Kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the Kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making their final selection.

(v) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Alake shall present the new Ogboye Egba to the people of the township from which the candidate was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the Competent council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 4th day of March, 1967.

GBADEBO II,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
 Egba Divisional Council*  
 Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
 Egba Divisional Council

APPROVED this 11th day of July, 1968.

P. TAIWO ODUMOSU,  
*Secretary to the Military Government*

REGISTERED this 2nd day of August, 1968.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
 Ministry of Local Government and Chieftaincy Affairs*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE

DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
BALA EGBA CHIEFTAINCY

(i) All Iwarefa Ogboni Chiefs in Owu section are eligible for the post of Bala Egba.

(ii) The Iwarefa Ogboni, *i.e.*, the six senior Ogboni Chiefs in Owu are as follows:

The Akogun of Owu	The Osupori of Owu
The Obamaja of Owu	The Oycgan of Owu
The Orunto of Owu	The Omolasin of Owu

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:  
The Olowu of Owu, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of Owu Section and the six senior Olorogun of Owu Section.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Bala Egba Chieftaincy, the Olowu shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability, character and popular support of each candidate before making a final selection.

(v) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Olowu shall present the new Bala to the people of Owu section.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

FORM OF DECLARATION OTHER THAN RULING HOUSE

DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
LISA EGBA CHIEFTAINCY

(i) When the post of Lisa Egba becomes vacant, the appointment is made from the following townships of Oke-Ona Section:

- (1) Odo
- (2) Ilawo
- (3) Idomapa

(ii) The order of rotation in which eligible townships shall be entitled to present candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (i) Odo (*next Ruling township*)
- (ii) Ilawo
- (iii) Idomapa

(iii) The following persons shall be the kingmakers in respect of this title:

The Oshile of Oke-Ona, the Iwarefa Ogboni (that is to say the six senior Ogboni) of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate and the six senior Olorogun of the township whose turn it is to provide a candidate.

(iv) When a vacancy occurs in the Lisa Egba Chieftaincy the Oshile shall summon a meeting of the kingmakers at which meeting a candidate for the title shall be selected. In making their selection the kingmakers shall have regard to the qualifications and disqualifications set out in section 10 of the Chiefs Law, 1957, and in the event of there being more than one candidate shall take into account the relative ability character and popular support of each candidate before making their final selection.

(v) The consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

(vi) After all other formalities connected with the appointment, including approval by the Governor-in-Council, have been completed but before installation the Oshile shall present the new Lisa Egba to the people of the township from which he was appointed.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee otherwise known as the Native Law and Custom Committee of the Egba Divisional Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 3rd November, 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 1st day of November, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Egba Divisional Council*

APPROVED this 12th day of November, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 14th day of November, 1958.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2)  
OF THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW  
REGULATING THE SELECTION TO THE  
OLOTA OF OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are three ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

- (1) The Ileshi Ruling House
- (2) The Ikowogbe Ruling House
- (3) The Ijemo-Isolosi Ruling House

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincies shall be:

- (1) The Ikowogbe Ruling House
- (2) The Ijemo-Isolosi Ruling House
- (3) The Ileshi Ruling House (*present Ruling House*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (a) Members of the ruling house, and
- (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iv) There are twelve Kingmakers as under:

- (1) The Balogun of Otta
- (2) The Ajana of Ijana Quarter, Otta
- (3) The Onikotun of Otun Quarter, Otta
- (4) The Onikosi of Osi Quarter, Otta
- (5) The Akogun of Oruba Quarter, Otta
- (6) The Seriki of Otta
- (7) The Ekerin of Otta
- (8) The Odota of Otta
- (9) The Lisa of Otta
- (10) The Aro of Otta
- (11) The Oluwo of Otta
- (12) The Oluwo of Osugbo Itoki

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

- (a) The ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
- (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

(vi) The formal consent of the Alake of Abeokuta shall be required to the appointment made by the kingmakers, and such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District council which has been designated as the competent council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 5th day of December, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 22nd day of December, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Minister of Justice and Local Government*

REGISTERED this 31st day of December, 1968.

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF  
THE CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING  
THE SELECTION TO THE SERIKI OF OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

- (i) There are two ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:
- (1) Ojo Seriki Family
  - (2) Shittu Bashorun Family
- (ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincies shall be:
- (1) Ojo Seriki Family
  - (2) Shittu Bashorun Family (*present Ruling House*).
- (iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the Chieftaincy shall be:
- (a) Members of the ruling house, and
  - (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.
- (iv) There are nine kingmakers as under:
1. The Ajana of Ijana Quarter Otta
  2. The Balogun of Otta
  3. The Bada of Ijana Otta
  4. The Olori of Ijana Otta
  5. The Oluwo of Osugbo Itoki
  6. The Lisa of Otta
  7. The Eletu of Ijana Otta
  8. The Oganla of Ijana Otta
  9. The Oloregan of Osugbo Itoki.
- (v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:
- (a) The ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
  - (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Justice and Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE  
CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING  
THE SELECTION TO THE ODOTA OF OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

- (i) There are two ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:
- (1) Odo-Idota Ruling House
  - (2) Oke-Idota Ruling House
- (ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincies shall be:
- (1) Odo-Idota Ruling House (*present Ruling House*)
  - (2) Oke-Idota Ruling House
- (iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:
- (a) Members of the ruling house, and
  - (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.
- (iv) There are eight kingmakers as under:
- (1) The Onikotun of Ottun Quarter, Otta
  - (2) The Oluwo of Otta
  - (3) The Aro of Otta
  - (4) The Odofin of Otta
  - (5) The Apena of Osugbo Otta
  - (6) The Balogun of Ottun, Otta
  - (7) The Olori of Ottun Otta
  - (8) The Eletu of Ottun Otta
- (v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:
- (a) The ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
  - (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*



**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE  
CHIEFS LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING  
THE SELECTION TO THE LISA OF OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

- (i) There is one ruling house and its identity is:  
The Idowu Elcku Family.
- (ii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by the ruling house shall be:
- (a) Members of the ruling house, and
  - (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.
- (iii) There are ten kingmakers as under:
- (1) The Ajana of Ijana Quarter Otta
  - (2) The Balogun of Otta
  - (3) The Seriki of Otta
  - (4) The Bada of Ijana Otta
  - (5) The Olori of Ijana Otta
  - (6) The Oluwo of Osugbo Itoki
  - (7) The Apena of Osugbo Itoki
  - (8) The Oloregan of Osugbo Itoki
  - (9) The Oganla of Ijana Otta
  - (10) The Eletu of Ijana Otta
- (iv) The method of nomination by the ruling house is as follows:
- (a) The ruling house shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
  - (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4(2) OF THE CHIEFS  
LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO THE ONIKOSI OF OSI QUARTER, OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

- (i) There are three ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:
- (1) Iloti Ruling House
  - (2) Isiki Ruling House
  - (3) Ikin Ruling House
- (ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:—
- (1) Isiki Ruling House
  - (2) Ikin Ruling House
  - (3) Iloti Ruling House (*present Ruling House*)
- (iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:
- (a) Members of the ruling house, and
  - (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.
- (iv) There are ten Kingmakers as under:—
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| (1) The Ekerin of Otta      | (6) The Seriki of Osi Otta           |
| (2) The Odogun of Otta      | (7) The Olori of Iwaiye Otta         |
| (3) The Bada of Osi Otta    | (8) The Akeja Oniyaruru of Osi Otta. |
| (4) The Olori of Osi Otta   | (9) The Asalu of Otta                |
| (5) The Balogun of Osi Otta | (10) The Odofin of Osugbo Itoki      |
- (v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:
- (a) The ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
  - (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the Kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS  
LAW, 1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO THE EKERIN OF OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

- (i) There is one ruling house and its identity is:—  
The Osunlabu Ekerin Family.
- (ii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by the ruling house shall be:
- (a) Members of the ruling house, and
  - (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.
- (iii) There are ten kingmakers as under:—
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| (1) The Onikosi of Osi Quarter Otta | (6) The Seriki of Osi Otta             |
| (2) The Odogun of Otta              | (7) The Asalu of Otta                  |
| (3) The Bada of Osi Otta            | (8) The Olori Iwaiye Otta              |
| (4) The Olori of Osi Otta           | (9) The Akcja Oniyarun of Osi<br>Otta. |
| (5) The Balogun of Osi Otta         | (10) The Odofin of Osugbo Itoki.       |
- (iv) The method of nomination by the ruling house is as follows:
- (a) The ruling house shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
  - (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION TO  
THE AKOGUN OF ORUBA QUARTER, OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There is one ruling house and its identity is:—

The Ikogun/Igebe Ruling House

(ii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by the ruling house shall be:

(a) Members of the Ruling House, and

(b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iii) There are seven kingmakers as under:—

(1) The Seriki of Oruba Otta

(5) The Oloregan of Otta

(2) The Asiwaju of Oruba Otta

(6) The Ojumo of Otta

(3) The Olori of Oruba Otta

(7) The Eletu of Oruba Otta

(4) The Balogun of Oruba Otta

(iv) The method of nomination by the ruling house is as follows:

(a) The ruling house shall nominate at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.

(b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the Kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO THE AJANA OF IJANA QUARTER, OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are two ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

- (1) The Ijisu Ruling House
- (2) The Aribiti Ruling House

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincies shall be:

- (1) The Ijisu Ruling House (*last Ruling House*)
- (2) The Aribiti Ruling House

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:

- (a) Members of the Ruling House, and
- (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iv) There are nine kingmakers as under:

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|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) The Balogun of Otta       | (6) The Lisa of Otta             |
| (2) The Seriki of Otta        | (7) The Eletu of Ijana Otta      |
| (3) The Bada of Ijana Otta    | (8) The Oganla of Ijana Otta     |
| (4) The Olori of Ijana Otta   | (9) The Oloregan of Osugbo Itoki |
| (5) The Oluwo of Osugbo Itoki |                                  |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

- (a) The ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates for the chieftaincy, and
- (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*  
  
*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO THE ARO OF OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

- (i) There is one ruling house and its identity is:  
The Aro Family in Ilata Otta.
- (ii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by the ruling house shall be:
- (a) Members of the Ruling House, and
  - (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.
- (iii) There are seven Kingmakers as under:
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| (1) The Onikotun of Ottun Quarter | (4) The Oluwo of Otta         |
| (2) The Odota of Otta             | (5) The Apena of Otta         |
| (3) The Odofoin of Otta           | (6) The Balogun of Ottun Otta |
|                                   | (7) The Olori of Ottun Otta.  |
- (iv) The method of nomination by the ruling house is as follows:
- (a) The ruling house shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
  - (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

*OLOTA OF OTTA,  
Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO THE BALOGUN OF OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

- (i) There are three ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:
- (1) Mosuro Family
  - (2) Osho Onibudo Family
  - (3) Ajuwon Family
- (ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincies shall be:
- (1) Mosuro Family (*present ruling house*)
  - (2) Osho Onibudo Family
  - (3) Ajuwon Family
- (iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:
- (a) Members of the ruling house, and
  - (b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.
- (iv) There are nine kingmakers as under:
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| (1) The Ajana of Ijana Quarter, Otta | (6) The Oluwo of Oslugbo Itoki    |
| (2) The Seriki of Otta               | (7) The Eletu of Ijana Otta       |
| (3) The Bada of Ijana Otta           | (8) The Oganla of Ijana Otta      |
| (4) The Olori of Ijana Otta          | (9) The Oloregan of Oslugbo Itoki |
| (5) The Lisa of Otta                 |                                   |
- (v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:
- (a) The ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.
  - (b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the Competent council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO THE ONIKOTUN OF OTUN QUARTER, OTTA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There is one Ruling House and its identity is:

The Ijagba Ruling House

(ii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by the ruling house shall be:

(a) Members of the ruling house, and

(b) Of the male line provided that succession may devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iii) There are six kingmakers as under:

(1) The Odota of Otta

(4) The Olori of Otun Otta

(2) The Odofin of Otta

(5) The Oluwo of Otta

(3) The Aro of Otta

(6) The Balogun of Otun Otta

(iv) The method of nomination by the ruling house is as follows:

(a) The Ruling House shall nominate, at a meeting of family elders to be summoned by the family head, a candidate or candidates.

(b) Such candidate or candidates shall be presented to the kingmakers by the family head.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Otta District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by the W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 24th day of January, 1958.

OLOTA OF OTTA,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Otta District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee  
Otta District Council*

APPROVED this 5th day of April, 1958.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 9th day of April, 1958.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Justice and Local Government*



**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO AMALA OF IMALA CHIEFTAICY**

(i) There are four ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

1. Oba Okin
2. Aganna
3. Mokowo
4. Lalemi

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the chieftaincy shall be:

1. Oba Okin
2. Aganna
3. Mokowo
4. Lalemi (*present Ruling House*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the chieftaincy shall be:

(a) Members of the ruling house of the male line, but normal succession can devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iv) There are six kingmakers as under:

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| (1) Oluwo of Imala  | (4) Osolo of Imala |
| (2) Ojumo of Imala  | (5) Apena of Imala |
| (3) Odofin of Imala | (6) Petu of Imala  |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

Whenever the stool of Amala is vacant, the ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate at a family meeting to be summoned by the family head a candidate for the chieftaincy to be presented by the family head to the kingmakers.

(vi) The formal consent of the Alake of Abeokuta is required to an appointment by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Imala District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 352 of 1955, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 3rd day of January, 1959.

EWE OBAJA, *Bale Tibo, (Left Imp.)*  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

APPROVED this 13th day of January, 1959.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 15th day of January, 1959.

*Permanent Secretary,*  
*Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW,  
1957, OF THE SELECTION TO BALE OF FAPOTE CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are four ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

1. Asalu of Fapote House
2. Lawole of Fapote House
3. Laderin of Fapote House
4. Agberi-Odo of Fapote House.

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincy shall be:

1. Lawole of Fapote house.
2. Laderin of Fapote house.
3. Agberi-Odo of Fapote house.
4. Asalu of Fapote house (*present holder*)

(iii) The person who may be proposed as candidates by ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the Chieftaincy shall be:

(a) Members of the ruling house of the male line, but normal succession can devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iv) There are ten kingmakers as under:

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| (1) Balogun of Fapote | (6) Are of Fapote          |
| (2) Seriki of Fapote  | (7) Iya Egbe of Fapote     |
| (3) Otun of Fapote    | (8) Iyalode of Fapote      |
| (4) Bada of Fapote    | (9) Otun Iyalode of Fapote |
| (5) Apena of Fapote   | (10) Gbegba-Aje of Fapote  |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

Whenever the stool of Bale of Fapote is vacant the ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate at a family meeting to be summoned by the family head a candidate for the Chieftaincy to be presented by the family head to the kingmakers.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Imala District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 22 of 1959, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 30th day of April, 1959.

OBA OGUNDELE OF IJALE PAPA (*Left Imp.*)  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

APPROVED this 26th day of October, 1959.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 28th day of October, 1959.

*Permanent Secretary,*  
*Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE CUSTOMARY LAW REGULATING THE SELECTION  
TO OBA OF IJALE PAPA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are four ruling houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

1. Lakorun
2. Agbasi Matangule
3. Olumoye
4. Yalumo

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincy shall be:

1. Agbasi Matangule
2. Olumoye
3. Yalumo
4. Lakorun (*present Ruling House*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the Chieftaincy shall be:

(a) Members of the ruling house of the male line but normal succession can devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iv) There are six kingmakers as under:

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) Oluwo of Ijale Papa  | (4) Asawo of Ijale Papa  |
| (2) Ojumo of Ijale Papa  | (5) Apena of Ijale Papa  |
| (3) Odofin of Ijale Papa | (6) Bajito of Ijale Papa |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

Whenever the stool of Oba of Ijale Papa is vacant the ruling house whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate at a family meeting to be summoned by the family head a candidate for the Chieftaincy to be presented by the family head to the kingmakers.

(vi) The formal consent of the Alake of Abeokuta is required to an appointment made by the kingmakers but such consent may not be unreasonably withheld.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Imala District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 22 of 1959, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee, this 30th day of April, 1959.

OBA OGUNDELE OF IJALE PAPA (*Left Impr.*)  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

APPROVED this 26th day of October, 1959.

*Minister of Local Government.*

REGISTERED this 28th day of October, 1959.

*Permanent Secretary,*  
*Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (3) OF THE CHIEFS LAW,  
1957 IN RESPECT OF THE BALE OF AKALA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) The villages which may present candidates for this Chieftaincy are as follows:

- (1) Ola Village
- (2) Gbopa Village
- (3) Omileye Village

(ii) The Order of rotation in which the villages are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincy shall be:

- (1) Ola Village
- (2) Gbopa Village
- (3) Omileye Village (*present holder*)

(iii) Any person who is a native of the village (including the Bale) whose turn it is to provide a candidate may be proposed as candidate to fill a vacancy in the Chieftaincy.

(iv) The candidate having the majority support of the Bales listed hereunder shall be declared appointed:

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|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (1) Bale of Ola Village       | (12) Bale of Molomo Village    |
| (2) Bale of Gbopa Village     | (13) Bale of Agbani Village    |
| (3) Bale of Omileye Village   | (14) Bale of Ketu Village      |
| (4) Bale of Opopo Village     | (15) Bale of Iyalode Village   |
| (5) Bale of Bore Village      | (16) Bale of Yesufa Village    |
| (6) Bale of Sapala Village    | (17) Bale of Ilakan Village    |
| (7) Bale of Pabiku Village    | (18) Bale of Gbadamosi Village |
| (8) Bale of Sikudewon Village | (19) Bale of Akinro Village    |
| (9) Bale of Babamaja Village  | (20) Bale of Odeyinka Village  |
| (10) Bale of Bandele Village  | (21) Bale of Arobajo Village   |
| (11) Bale of Yakebe Village   | (22) Bale of Afagba Village    |

(v) The Method of nomination by each Village is as follows:

Whenever there is vacancy in respect of the Bale of Akala, the village whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate, at a meeting of the inhabitants of the village to be summoned by the Bale of the village, a candidate or candidates for the chieftaincy who shall be presented to the meeting of all the Bales of villages listed in paragraph (iv) above, to be called by the Bale of Ola village and to be held at Ola village.

(vi) Made by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Imala District Council which has been designated as the competent Council *vide* W.R.L.N. 22 of 1959 and signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee this 22nd day of March, 1960.

I. O. ADELEYE,  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Imala District Council*

E. A. SOGAOLU,  
*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Imala District Council*

APPROVED this 15th day of July, 1960.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 16th day of July, 1960.

*for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW,  
1957, OF THE SELECTION TO ODOFIN IMALA CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are two Ruling Houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

1. Ayodele House
2. Falana House

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective Ruling Houses are entitled to provide Candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincy shall be:

1. Ayodele House
2. Falana House (*present holder*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a Ruling House entitled to fill a vacancy in the Chieftaincy shall be:

(a) Members of the Ruling House of the male line, but normal succession can devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidates of the male line.

(iv) There are twelve Kingmakers as under:

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) Ojumo of Imala        | (7) Bada of Imala          |
| (2) Balogun of Imala      | (8) Asaju of Imala         |
| (3) Osolo of Imala        | (9) Otun Imala             |
| (4) Otun Balogun of Imala | (10) Iyalode Imala         |
| (5) Osi Balogun of Imala  | (11) Otun Iyalode of Imala |
| (6) Seriki of Imala       | (12) Iyamokun of Imala     |

(v) The method of nomination by each Ruling House is as follows:

Whenever the stool of Odofin of Imala is vacant the Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate at a family meeting to be summoned by the family head a candidate for the Chieftaincy to be presented by the family head to kingmakers.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Imala District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 22 of 1959, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of Committee this 30th day of April, 1959.

OBA OGUNDELE OF IJALE PAPA (*Left Imp.*)  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

APPROVED this 26th day of October, 1959.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 28th day of October, 1959.

*Permanent Secretary,*  
*Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW,  
1957, OF THE SELECTION TO BALE OF KESAN CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are two Ruling Houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

1. Bankole of Kesan House
2. Ogunlana of Kesan House

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincy shall be:

1. Bankole of Kesan House.
2. Ogunlana of Kesan House (*present Ruling House*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in Chieftaincy shall be:

- (a) Members of the Ruling House of the male line but normal succession can devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidate of the male line.

(iv) There are five kingmakers as under:

- (1) Iyalode of Kesan
- (2) Female Apena of Kesan
- (3) Male Apena of Kesan
- (4) Aro of Kesan
- (5) Odofin of Kesan

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

Whenever the stool of Bale of Kesan is vacant the Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate at a family meeting to be summoned by the family head a candidate for the Chieftaincy to be presented by the family head to the kingmakers.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Imala District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 22 of 1959, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 30th day of April, 1959.

OBA OGUNDELE OF IJALE PAPA (*Left Imp.*)  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Imala District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,  
Imala District Council*

APPROVED this 26th day of October, 1959.

*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 28th day of October, 1959.

*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Local Government*

**DECLARATION MADE UNDER SECTION 4 (2) OF THE CHIEFS LAW  
1957, OF THE SELECTION TO BALE OF TIBO CHIEFTAINCY**

(i) There are four Ruling Houses and the identity of each such ruling house is:

1. Iroko Fashomo of Tibo House
2. Akinmomi-Oluwo of Tibo House
3. Okeosi-Fakorede of Tibo House
4. Enitan of Tibo House

(ii) The order of rotation in which the respective ruling houses are entitled to provide candidates to fill successive vacancies in the Chieftaincy shall be:

1. Oke-Osi Fakorede of Tibo House
2. Enitan of Tibo House
3. Iroko-Fashomo of Tibo House
4. Akinmomi-Oluwo of Tibo House (*present Ruling House*)

(iii) The persons who may be proposed as candidates by a ruling house entitled to fill a vacancy in the Chieftaincy shall be:

(a) Members of the Ruling House of the male line, but normal succession can devolve on the female line where there is no qualified candidates of the male line.

(iv) There are nine kingmakers as under:

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|---------------------|---------------------|
| (1) Balogun of Tibo | (6) Osi of Tibo     |
| (2) Bada of Tibo    | (7) Iyalode of Tibo |
| (3) Otun of Tibo    | (8) Oluwo of Tibo   |
| (4) Apena of Tibo   | (9) Ashipa of Tibo  |
| (5) Seriki of Tibo  |                     |

(v) The method of nomination by each ruling house is as follows:

Whenever the stool of Bale of Tibo is vacant the Ruling House whose turn it is to provide a candidate shall nominate at a family meeting to be summoned by the family head a candidate for the chieftaincy to be presented by the family head to the kingmakers.

MADE by the Chieftaincy Committee of the Imala District Council which has been designated as the competent Council by W.R.L.N. 22 of 1959, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee this 30th day of April, 1959.

**OBA OGUNDELE OF IJALE PAPA** (*Left Imp.*)  
*Chairman, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

*Secretary, Chieftaincy Committee,*  
*Imala District Council*

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*Minister of Local Government*

REGISTERED this 28th day of October, 1959.

*Permanent Secretary,*  
*Ministry of Local Government*

