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States (Appointment of Military Governors) Order 1967

Commencement : 27th May 1967

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 1 (3) of the States (Creation and Transitional Provisions) Decree 1967 the following appointments of Military Governors of the several states of the Federation are hereby made :—

1.—(1) In respect of the states mentioned in column 1 below there are hereby appointed the several Military Governors whose names respectively appear in column 2 below, that is to say—

Appointment
of Military
Governors

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>
<i>Name of State</i>	<i>Military Governor</i>
(a) North-Western ..	Mr M. FARUK <i>Superintendent of Police</i>
(b) North-Central ..	Major ABBA KYARI <i>Nigerian Army</i>
(c) Kano	Mr ABDU BAKO <i>Deputy Commissioner of Police</i>
(d) North-Eastern ..	Major MUSA USMAN <i>Nigerian Air Force</i>
(e) Benue-Plateau ..	Mr J. D. GOMWALK <i>Chief Superintendent of Police</i>
(f) Central-West ..	Major D. L. BAMGBOYE <i>Nigerian Army</i>
(g) Lagos	Major M. O. JOHNSON <i>Nigerian Army</i>
(h) Western	Col. R. A. ADEBAYO <i>Nigerian Army</i>
(i) Central-Eastern ..	Lt.-Col. C. O. OJUKWU <i>Nigerian Army</i>
(j) South-Eastern ..	Major J. J. ESUENE <i>Nigerian Air Force</i>
(k) Rivers	Lt. A. DIETE-SPIFF <i>Nigerian Navy</i>

(2) Lt.-Col. D. A. EJOOR continues to be Military Governor of Mid-Western State pursuant to section 1 (4) of the Decree under which this Order is made.

(3) All appointments save in respect of the Western State, the Mid-Western State and the Central-Eastern State are temporary.

Citation etc.

2. This order may be cited as the States (Appointment of Military Governors) Order 1967 and shall apply throughout the Federation.

Made at Lagos this 27th day of May 1967.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL Y. GOWON,
*Head of the Federal Military Government,
Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces,
Federal Republic of Nigeria.*