PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

WHEREAS it is provided by subsection (1) of section 16 of the Constitution that there shall be a Supreme Head of State and Commander-in-Chief who shall be known as the President of Sierra Leone:

AND WHEREAS it is provided by subsection (6) of section 17 of the Constitution that whenever the holder of the Office of President is absent from Sierra Leone the Vice-President or such other person appointed by Cabinet shall perform the functions of the President until the substantive holder returns to Sierra Leone:

AND WHEREAS His Excellency the President Siaka Probyn Stevens left Sierra Leone on the eighth day of July, 1976.

IT IS HEREBY announced that by virtue of subsection (6) of section 17 of the Constitution The Honourable Sorie Ibrahim Koroma, Vice-President of Sierra Leone shall perform the functions of the Office of President during the absence from Sierra Leone of His Excellency President Siaka Probyn Stevens.

G. L. V. WILLIAMS,
Secretary to the President.