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### Interview with Engr. Kombo Theophilus-Johnson, Chairman, NSE Port Harcourt Branch

**Engr. Kombo Theophilus-Johnson, MNSE, is a Marine Engineer. He was inaugurated as the 17th Chairman of the Nigerian Society of Engineers, Port Harcourt Branch, on Thursday 23rd January 2014. The E-Newsletter team had a chat with him in his office at the branch secretariat shortly after his inauguration.**



Engr. Kombo Johnson

**E-Newsletter:** *Sir, as the 17<sup>th</sup> Chairman of the Nigerian Society of Engineers, Port Harcourt Branch, what should the branch expect from you as the new branch chairman.*

**Engr. Kombo:** Basically, I would like to consolidate on the achievements of the branch. With the support of the Executive Committee, I expect that we would be able to improve on what we have met on ground. I will ensure that this administration will reposition Port Harcourt Branch, from the confessions of the representative of the President and the zeal shown by the members of the branch. We have always been first in almost all the activities of the Nigerian Society of Engineers, but in the recent past I don't know what happened, we now come second in position. I

think this administration will work very hard to consolidate on what we have had and move some steps further.

**E-Newsletter:** *What is key amongst the things you said in your inaugural speech?*

**Engr. Kombo** We will try to partner with stakeholders to ensure that we discourage quackery in engineering and encourage certified engineers; and training and retraining of engineers.

**E-Newsletter:** *What should young engineers expect from you?*

**Engr. Kombo:** I would like to encourage them, and ensure that whatever we do, we will carry them along. I started as a young engineer. I was in Nal Marine Services; but today by the special grace of God and common will of the members of the Nigerian Society of Engineers, Port Harcourt Branch, I am the chairman and I see that upliftment in the life of every young engineer. I would like to support them and partner with them to achieve that goal.

**E-Newsletter:** *Thank you sir.*

### Investiture of Engr. Kombo Theophilus-Johnson, MNSE, as the 17th Chairman of NSE PH Branch on Thursday 23/01/2014



**Standing:** Engr. Adekunle Mokuolu, FNSE, Vice President NSE representing the President of NSE Engr. Ademola Isaac Olorunfemi FNSE.



**L-R:** Mrs. Kingta Theophilus-Johnson, Engr. Prof. Y. O. Beredugo FNSE, OFR, and Engr. Prof. H. I. Hart FNSE.



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The 2014 Executive Committee members shortly after they were inaugurated by the Branch Chairman Engr. Kombo Theophilus-Johnson



**Front Row Left-Right:** Engr. Prof. K. D. H. Bob-Manuel FNSE, Engr. I. Z. S. Akobo, Engr. B. J. Benibo FNSE, Engr. Dr. A. A. Ujile FNSE, Engr. Ahoka FNSE, Engr. B. T. D. George FNSE. **Back Row:** Some Past Chairmen, Fellows and Elders with their spouses.

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