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## Ibrahim Sorie Kamara appointed Ambassador to Belgium and the European Union

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Honorable Ibrahim Sorie Kamara a former M.P. of Kambia Central, Constituency 37 has been appointed Ambassador to Belgium and the European Union. Honorable Ibrahim Sorie is a graduate of Kolenten Secondary School Kambia and one time Secretary General of Kambia District Descendants Association (KDDA). He also graduated from Fourah Bay College in Sierra Leone where majored in mathematics. Prior to becoming a M.P. for Kambia Central, he was Vice Principal of Muslim Brotherhood in Freetown, Sierra Leone.

One of the memorable times of

Ibrahim Sorie was the controversial elections of the 80s where Ibrahim Sorie sent thugs on the campus of Kolenten Secondary School and students were molested and manhandled because they were supporting Ibrahim Sorie's opponent H.H. Kamara who was a teacher at Kolenten Secondary School. The students and supporters of H.H. Kamara have to flee in the bushes for to avoid been manhandled by Ibrahim Sorie's thugs.

Another incident that can be recalled was the controversial elections held in the 80's in which Ibrahim Sorie and the late Abdul Karim Kamara were at logger-heads at an election campaign that led to the disqualification of both candidates and brought about the emergence of Ahmed Taylor-Kamara as M.P. of Kambia Central Constituency 37.

Hon. Ibrahim Sorie Kamara made his switch over to the APC in a declaration statement at a well attended meeting at Bunguya Junction in the Samu Chiefdom, Kambia District in Northern Sierra Leone after he left the PDP.

Hon. Sorie .Ibrahim Kamara disclosed that he resigned from the PDP over five years ago and went independent when he contested for parliament in the 2007 election. "Another reason for joining the APC is because of the vision and efforts of President Ernest Koroma to move the country forward in terms of development," he stated and placed on record his conviction that "the APC government will surely develop the country for the benefit of all." The former parliamentarian disclosed that during the 2007 elections, even though he was contesting as an independent candidate, he had canvassed for the APC. He therefore called on the people of Samu and Gbelleh Dixon Chiefdoms to join him to the APC party for the development and betterment of the people and country.

"I will again campaign for the APC to win the 2012 election in the Kambia District," he assured. The former PDP Parliamentarian said he had become "disgusted" with the leadership of the PDP by the time he resigned, and noted that his resignation on June 25th 2007 "was an expression of my dissatisfaction over the PDP and its style of leadership," Hon. Kamara said

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