THE IZZI MOTHERLESS BABIES'HOME, OSWANKA, PROGRESS REPORT PRESENTED TONWAG ANNUAL CONVENTION BY MRS NWOJI CHINYERE (JP), THE DIRECTOR OF THEHOME, ON 7TH NOVEMBER, 2026.

Brief History: The Izzi Motherless Babies' Home, Oswanka was founded in 1994 by the Nigeria Reformed Church as a faith – based organization to cater for the welfare of the less – privileged children especially the orphans in the society in line with the biblical injunction, "Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world" (James 1:27).

On 25th January, 1994, the Home was registered with the then Enugu State Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development. Later on, it was also registered with the Federal Ministry of Women Affairs on 20th September, 2007. Likewise, it has been registered with the Corporate Affairs Commission (CAC) Abuja on 20th March, 2017. It was also registered with the Ebonyi State Ministry of Women Affairs and social Development on 23rd August, 2018.

Since 1994 till date, about 2300 orphans have been cared for in and outside the Home, the services to the Motherless Babies' Home have been sustained till date to God's glory.

Aims: The aim of the organization is to care for the orphans within Ebonyi and Benue States by applying years of experience and close monitoring to the rural communities by providing healthcare, nutrition, psychosocial support and care services.

Objectives:

- To stimulate families, Churches, Communities and Corporate bodies to care for the orphans, as a reflection of Christ's love for the less – privileged.
- To make sure that qualitative care is given to the babies either in or outside the home.
- To teach care – givers the knowledge about preparations of infant formula balanced diet and to recognize signs and symptoms of children's common illnesses.
- To maintain and improve managerial accountability and transparency of the Home's resources for the attainment of the intended goal.

Activities Report:

The management of the Home focuses on two major approaches, namely the **Community** and **Institutional base orphans care**:

- **For the institutional base orphans care:** we manage the orphans from 0 – 6 months old intensively before discharging them back to their communities.
- **Community base orphans care:** When an orphan is discharged from the Home after 6 months, as mentioned above, the frail baby orphan is not left out uncared for, rather, the community orphans' care begins. This is the care given to orphans by visiting them at their biological homes to know how they are doing. During visitation, some food items are given to the care – givers for the babies' proper care.

- **The number of children in the Institution: 26**
  Male = 14
  Female = 12
  - The numbers of children in the community = 37
    Male = 17
    Female = 20
  - Total numbers of children we have both in the community and in the institution are 63
    Male =31
    Female = 32

    Age: 0 to 10years = 60 orphans
    Age: 13 to 17years =3 orphans

  - **Donation:** The Nigeria Women Association of Georgia (NWAG) Abuja supported the Izzi Motherless Babies Home (IMBH) with the sum of one million sixty one thousand nine hundred naira (N1, 061,900) in 2025. The fund was used to buy milk powder for the orphans, we are ever grateful to NWAG for that. May God bless you so much, as I; again, pledge to use whatever aid given, anytime, either in cash or kind, judiciously for the welfare of the targeted group (the Orphans).
  - The receipts of the milk powder which was bought is attached.

  - **Challenges:**
    The Home is facing a lot of challenges, such as lack of resources to feed the orphans, lack of funds to pay the seven staff members.
    The projects we embarked on is planting of economics trees in the Home whereas our future projects includes, building houses to accommodate students for rent. The income we get as a result, would help sustain the Home.

    The address of the Home remains OswankaEzza – Inyimegu, Izzi Local Government Area, Abakaliki, Ebonyi State.

    PHONE NUMBER: 08145430954
    Account Number: 3014669449
    Bank: First bank
    Name: Motherless Babies. N.R.C.

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE BOARD MEMBERS:

- Evang. Nwodom Paul(Chairman)
- Elder/ Barr.Nwizi Alfred (Secretary)
- MrsOforChinelo(Member)
- Elder IsaiahOpoke (Member)
- Mrs. OnweNgozi(Member)

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE STAFF MEMBERS:

- MrsNwojiChinyere (JP) (Director)
- Mr. Ominyi Godwin (Ass. Director)
- Mrs, Nwuguru Agnes (Nanny)
- Mrs. NwaminiNgozi (Nanny)
- Mr. Ukpa James (Field worker)
- Mrs. NwekeUzoamaka (Compound Cleaner)
- Deacon Ike Titus (Security Man)

Conclusion:
The Izzi Motherless Babies Home, Oswanka is happy for your generosity. It is a big encouragement and support to the Home. Thank you so much. We hope that the LORD Almighty will continue to bless you in Jesus' Name. Amen!

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