

Manifesto

PROFILE

My name is Chinwendu Ugochukwu, I hold a Bachelor's degree in Law from the Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State and was called to the Nigerian Bar in 2011. I have since been in active practice.

I am a member of the Surulere Lawyers Forum (SLF) of which I hold the position as the Publicity/ Social Secretary of the Forum.

At the NBA Lagos branch, I have served and still served diligently as a member of the Human Rights Committee under the immediate past and the present administration.

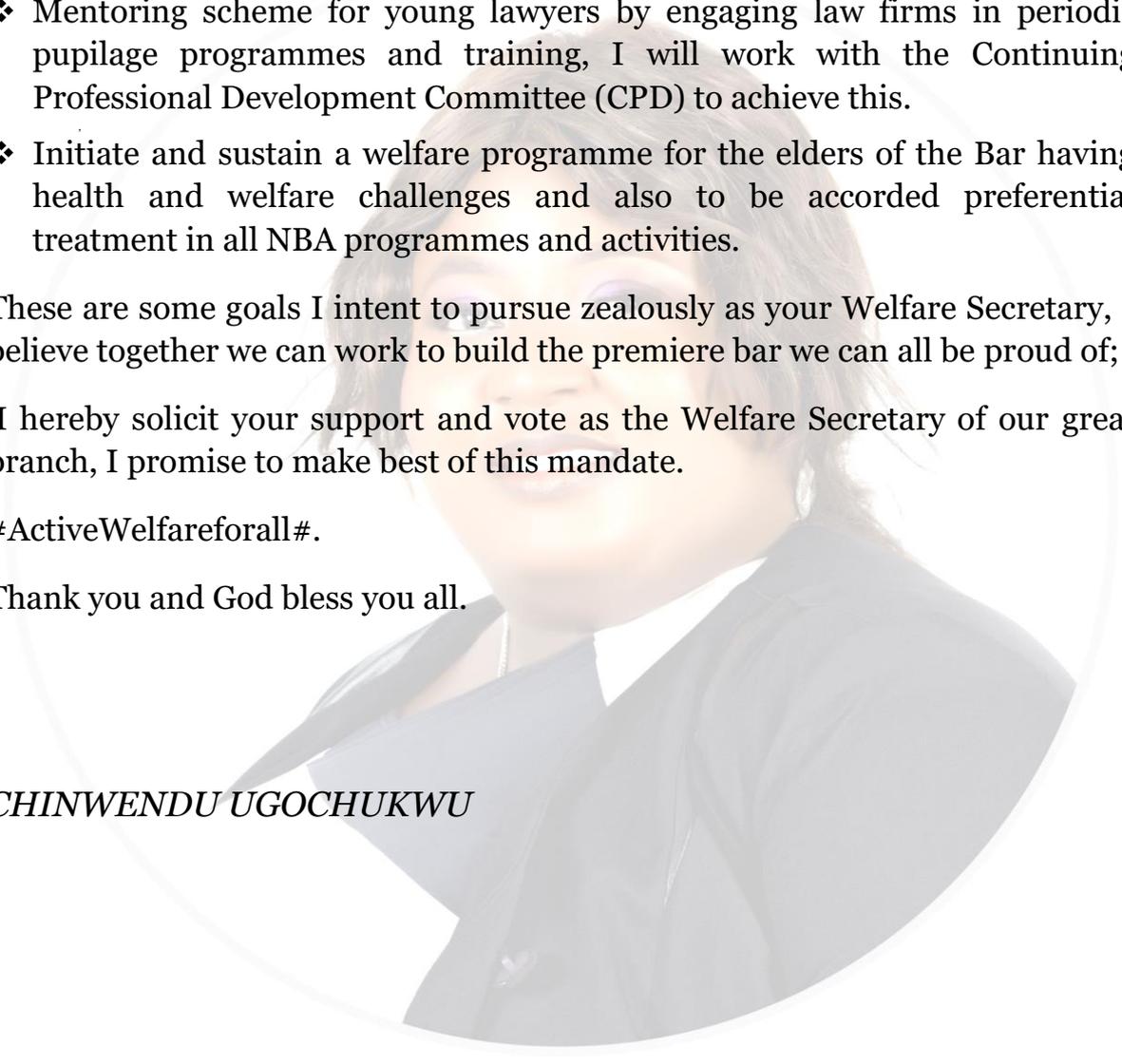
I am running for the position of the Welfare Secretary of the NBA Lagos Branch (the Premiere branch), which ranks first among the NBA branches and customarily sets the pace for other NBA branches to follow.

Hard work, accountability, commitment to work and ability to interface with excellence in a team in order to achieve a common purpose has been my core attribute which has equipped me through my years of practice. The Welfare Office requires a very resourceful, innovative and result oriented Welfare Secretary with the commitment to excellence and the capacity to serve, I hereby present myself as that individual for the period of term.

MANDATE: MY AGENDA FOR THE PREMIERE BAR

- ❖ A welfare desk will be made available to members where challenges in practice can be reported for prompt attention and intervention. Using different social media tools to receive information, update and quickly address such welfare challenges, I will work closely with the welfare committee to achieve this.
- ❖ Identify and engage firms that have allocation for corporate civil responsibility on how members of the branch can be beneficiaries delivering value and sustaining the interest of our members.



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- ❖ A proper data base of all members will be set up to celebrate members in times of joy and social occasion.
 - ❖ Organise quarterly activities on health and safety for our members with the focus on the need for a healthy lifestyle in a safe environment. Road walks, seminar, and the likes will be organised towards this purpose.
 - ❖ Mentoring scheme for young lawyers by engaging law firms in periodic pupillage programmes and training, I will work with the Continuing Professional Development Committee (CPD) to achieve this.
 - ❖ Initiate and sustain a welfare programme for the elders of the Bar having health and welfare challenges and also to be accorded preferential treatment in all NBA programmes and activities.

These are some goals I intent to pursue zealously as your Welfare Secretary, I believe together we can work to build the premiere bar we can all be proud of;

I hereby solicit your support and vote as the Welfare Secretary of our great branch, I promise to make best of this mandate.

#ActiveWelfareforall#.

Thank you and God bless you all.

CHINWENDU UGOCHUKWU