

**INAUGURATION OF KATSINA STATE COMMITTEE ON EXPORT
PROMOTION: TUESDAY, 18TH OCTOBER, 2016**

THE FUNCTIONS OF STATE COMMITTEES ON EXPORT PROMOTION

Act No. 41 of 1988 on the re-organization of Nigerian Export Promotion Council (NEPC) provided for the establishment of a State Committee on Export promotion in each State of the federation and the FCT, Abuja.

2. The main functions and activities of the Committees as stipulated on the Act are as follows:

- I. To advise the Council on how best to achieve export objectives;
- II. To group farmers and Small Scale Industrialists in to export Co-operative Societies;
- III. To advise exporters on supply sources, quality standard, pricing, packing/packaging and marketing strategies;
- IV. To identify exportable products and their producers in the State;
- V. To organize, with the support of the NEPC, export awareness campaign;
- VI. To assist the NEPC on the collection of information;
- VII. To disseminate information on export products and other related issues to exporters.

Compositions of members include:

- a. The Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry as Chairman.