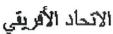
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Re: <u>Condolences to the family of Professor Mustapha Djafour and the University of Tlemcen Community</u>

It is with great sadness that I learnt of the untimely death of Professor Mustapha Djafour. He was such a humble, selfless and hardworking person to work with. He would certainly be missed by all of us. He was a respected leader and a role model who will always be remembered. I have always been impressed by his sense of duty, innovative thinking, depth of knowledge and willingness to help, at times going out of his way.

The Department of Human Resources, Sciences and Technology in general and the Pan African University in particular lost a good friend and a strong believer in Pan Africanism. He was one of the architects of Pan African University Institute for Water and Energy Sciences (PAUWES) who did all in his power to make it a success. He was a great supporter of and advocate for PAUWES that his legacy in launching and operationalizing the Institute will live on for many years to come. I share his family's sadness and send them my deepest sympathy in their time of sorrow.

May his soul rest in peace and may his family find comfort during these difficult times.

I would be grateful if you could convey my heartfelt condolences to his family, friends, loved ones and the University of Tlemcen Community.

With my deepest sympathy,

H.E. Prof. Sarah Anyang Agbor

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