Agapito MBA MOKUY Minister of Foreign Affairs of Equatorial Guinea



Agapito Mba Mokuy is the current Foreign Minister of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea. He is acting in this position since 2012.

Mr. Mba Mokuy is a well-known and respected diplomat who carries throughout his career the banner of pan-Africanism and the notion of an independent and prosperous Africa.

As a Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Mba Mokuy has played a key role in positioning Equatorial Guinea as an important actor in the African political arena as well as in the international community. He promoted the vision of the African Union on a real unity between the countries and peoples of Africa, and works tirelessly to bring Africa to its deserving position in the global map and in the international decision making processes.

As Foreign Minister, Mr. Mba Mokuy was responsible for the organization of important international summits in Malabo, Equatorial Guinea, including the African Union Summit of Heads of States and Government in 2011 and in 2014; the Summit of Heads of States and Government of Africa, Pacific and Caribbean countries (ACP); the summit of Heads of States and Government of Africa – South America (ASA); and the International Conference on Africa's Fight Against Ebola.

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Before assuming his current responsibilities as Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Mba Mokuy acted as senior advisor to the President of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea on international affairs (2010-2011). In this capacity, he served as Senior Advisor to the President on African affairs while Equatorial Guinea occupied the presidency of the African Union (2010-2011).

Mr. Mba Mokuy was called to serve his country in 2010 and brought with him an accumulated diplomatic and political experience for working as an international civil servant.

Mr.Mba Mokuy worked for close to 20 years at the United Nations Education Science and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). At the headquarters in Paris, France, and in Bangkok, Thailand he assumed senior responsibilities including the position of secretary of the administrative commission of the general conference of UNESCO; the secretary of the financial and administrative commission of the executive board; the Chief Administration and Finance Unit in UNESCO's Social and Human Sciences Sector; Administrator of the regional office of UNESCO for Asia and the Pacific in Bangkok, Thailand;

Prior to his international career Mr. Mba Mokuy worked in Equatorial Guinea as a consultant on economic matters at the United Nations Development Program (UNDP) in Malabo, as chief administration and finance of the National Electrical Company of Equatorial Guinea (SEGESA).

Mr. Mba Mokuy has a varied formal educational background with a Master in Business Administration from the Bangkok University, Thailand, on the Thesis: of "Strategies to Improve Cocoa Production: the case of Equatorial Guinea". A Bachelor of Science, Agricultural Economics from Louisiana State University, Louisiana, the United States of America. And Certificate in Management-Communication for Development from the Management Training and Development Institute, San Diego, California, USA.

Mr. Mba Mokuy was born in1965; He is married and afather of 3 children

He speaks Spanish, English, French, Portuguese and Fang.