



STOP Africa Land Grab Concert

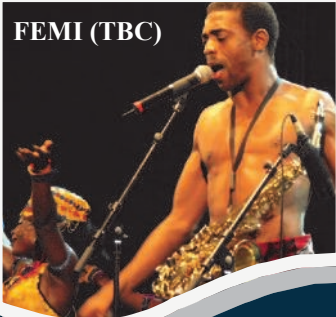
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Action for a new deal on land acquisition in Africa

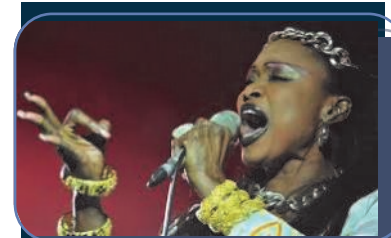
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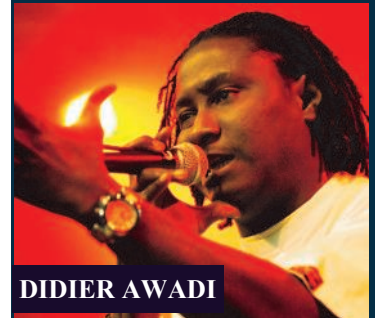
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Background and Rationale:

Major financial institutions project Africa's economic growth rate at 5% this year. But 1 out of 5 Africans face food insecurity (UN Economic Commission for Africa).



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With over 80% of the population in most African countries earning their living from agriculture, the issue of securing property rights over ancestral lands and addressing land grab has come to the fore. Land grab is creating violence and instability, in addition to food scarcity.

Permanent solutions will require land property rights that are nationally and internationally enforceable. It is encouraging to note that a few countries in Africa are now revising their development approach by challenging unfair land grabbing practices. But more needs to be done.

Through this event, PLAD has brought together the African diaspora and other stakeholders to consult on lasting solutions.

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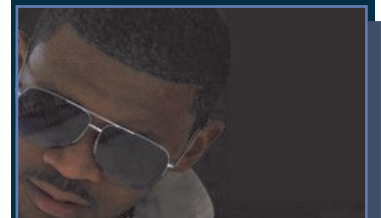
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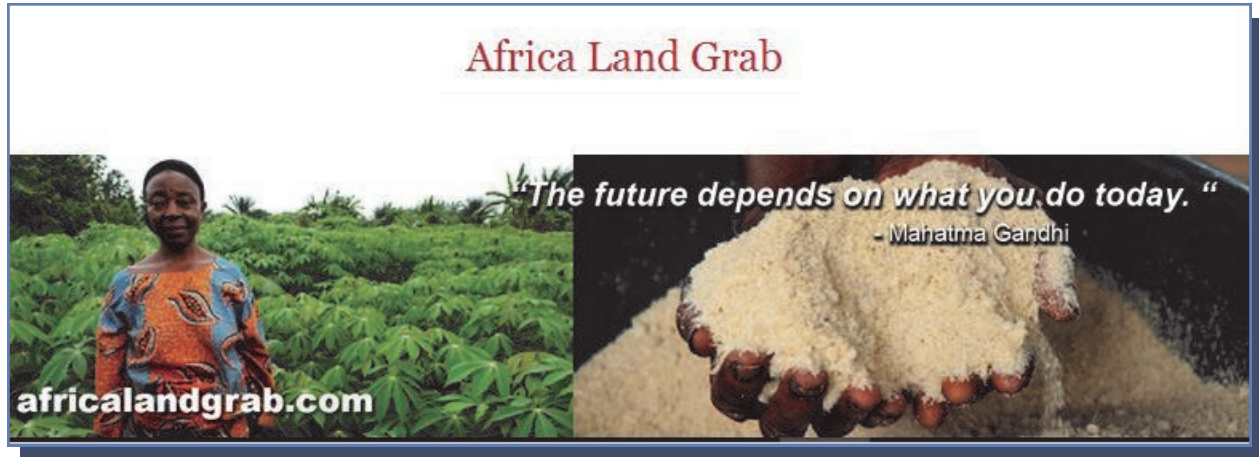
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CONSULTATIVE DISCUSSION - September 22

With African representatives, friends of Africa and the diaspora;
on a document produced by the Oakland Institute, in collaboration with PLAD.



Objective:

PLAD's objective is to raise awareness about the issues of land grab and contribute to a paradigm shift in Africa's development approach. The aim is to gather all initiatives and programs that speak on this same issue to agree on a common message.

The creative arts from various African countries will serve as an educational and entertainment vehicle that will galvanize the global requests for profound amendments in policies related to the framing of Africa's development trajectory.

Hopefully, international stakeholders will focus appropriately on the crucial problem of Land Grab, for sustainable stability, food security, investment and trade in Africa.

PLAD has designed this event as a continental project led by the African Diaspora in the USA as their contribution to the African development agenda.

Expected Outcomes:

Highlight the realities in several countries in Africa and their impact on the most vulnerable segments of the population.

An opportunity to engage the African Diaspora in the crucial issue of Land Grab, towards the development of our home countries.

Proceeds from the benefit concert will be dedicated to public awareness campaign in Africa for their property rights and the danger of excluding stakeholders in land acquisition policies.

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