

**INITIATIVE BY THE INDIAN GOVERNMENT TO ASSIST THE
NIGERIAN ARMED FORCES**



**Sixty Nigerian Army Personnel with the Indian High
Commissioner, Shri B.N Reddy prior to departure for India**

The strong bilateral relations between the Government of Nigeria and India have resulted in a committed and sustained support to the Nigerian Armed Forces as they battle security challenges including the ongoing Boko Haram insurgency. A large number of training courses are being offered by the Indian Armed Forces to further enhance the capacity and capability of the Armed Forces of Nigeria.

In continuation to this effort, highly intensive armament training for sixty personnel of the Nigerian Army has commenced in India on May 01, 2017. This training is being imparted to both Officers and soldiers and will continue until June 10, 2017. The six week extensive training includes highly specialized fields of weaponry and communication.

The funding for the training is being provided by the Government of India.
