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**REPORT ON THE CORONA VIRUS PANDEMIC AND THE EFFECTS OF THE LOCKDOWN AND RESTRICTION OF MOVEMENT ON NIGERIANS.**

Firstly I am going to start by explaining what corona virus is, Corona virus is a large family of viruses that are known to cause illness ranging from the common cold to more severe diseases such as Middle East Syndrome (MERS) and severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS).This known pandemic was first discovered in China in the year 2019.

From the definition stated above it is very clear that the corona virus is no joke and it is something that should be taken very seriously. The action taken by the government to lockdown everywhere for the main time is a very good and responsible choice but obviously there is no doubt that it will affect a lot of people. This will affect mainly the non-wealthy persons in the society in the sense that due to this lockdown people will not be able to go to work which is their only source of income and as a result of this they will not have any food to eat and I believe this can even lead to something more because when there is no money to buy food people begin to steal from the wealthy people around them meaning it also affects the wealthy people too.

Moreover, this pandemic also affects students that are supposed to be in school at this very moment, it affects the curriculum of schools, a lot of things have been postponed, some events have even been cancelled because of this same pandemic we are suffering from worldwide. Some very crucial exams that are meant to be taken around this period (.e.g. WAEC, NECO, IGCSE, SAT e.t.c) have been postponed. Even students meant to graduate this year might not end up graduating because of the lockdown.

Furthermore, a lot of people just want to be able to go out and move around freely not necessarily for work but just to relax and enjoy the pleasures life has to offer like going to the cinema, going to the park and other things like that and generally just to enjoy quality time with family and friends.

In conclusion, I would just like to say people should try and obey the lockdown and not go anywhere at least until the pandemic dies down although it will definitely be hard but we can try our best to do so because this lockdown is actually the best preventive measure for the corona virus, people might not believe that it is but it will soon be realized that the government did a good job by enforcing this rule.