

## Local News

### [FG'll offer small oil fields for licensing –NNPC](#)

The Federal Government will offer marginal oil fields for auction this year despite the crash in crude oil prices, the Group Managing Director of the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation, Mele Kyari, has said. Click [here](#) to read more.

### [Privatise refineries, CSOs tell FG](#)

A consortium of 15 civil society organisations on Tuesday asked the Federal Government to privatise Nigeria's refineries and commit to the sustainability of the no-subsidy regime by articulating it into a law. Click [here](#) to read more.

### [Dangote, 28 others lift stock market to N375bn gain](#)

The Nigerian equity market on Tuesday closed on a positive rout as Dangote Cement Plc led other gainers to sustain positive market trend. Click [here](#) to read more.

### [Budget: FG slashes oil benchmark further to \\$20](#)

The Federal Government on Tuesday revealed plans to cut the oil price benchmark for the current budget to \$20 per barrel. Click [here](#) to read more.

## Company News

### [Qatar Airways warns of 'substantial' job losses](#)

Qatar Airways has warned its employees of "substantial" redundancies as it struggles with a collapse in demand. Click [here](#) to read more.

### [Disney suffers \\$1.4bn hit due to coronavirus](#)

Walt Disney Co suffered a \$1.4bn (£1.1bn) hit to profits in the first three months of the year, as it closed its parks, cancelled movie releases and reduced advertising sales. Click [here](#) to read more.

## International News

### [Canada trade deficit widens as oil, car exports fall](#)

Despite keeping its borders open for goods shipments during the coronavirus pandemic, Canadian trade fell in March while its trade deficit widened to Can\$1.4 billion (US\$1 billion), according to data released Tuesday. Click [here](#) to read more.

### [Trump pivots hard away from fight against unvanquished pandemic](#)

President Donald Trump wants to move on. "Wartime" leadership in a national crisis no longer fits his political timetable. Click [here](#) to read more.

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