

LP: People will Reclaim their Mandate

The Labour Party (LP) in Ondo State has said it will reclaim its mandate from the member representing Akure North/South Federal Constituency in the House of Representatives, Mr.



Governor Olusegun Mimiko

Ifedayo Abegunde, who dumped the party for the Action Congress of Nigeria (ACN) on Tuesday.

In a statement by its Publicity Director, Mr. Koye Odogiyen, LP said: “The move by the opportunist lawmaker is a clear manifestation of a disposed conscience.

“Not only has he suddenly realised that he has committed political perfidy, he is now obviously and

desperately looking for an artificial and temporary means of illegally holding on to the peoples’ mandate, which he has corrupted and abused.

“How can he deny the people who collectively entrusted their mandate from reclaiming it after he has defected? Notwithstanding his recourse to interlocutory injunction, his recall from the National Assembly remains an exclusive and inalienable right of the people of his constituency.

“Nobody, no matter how highly placed, can deny or prevent them from exercising this right. The restive and restless lawmaker should be told in no unmistakable term that the game is up. “Beyond his current effort of shadow-chasing, he should be prepared to face the action of his people. Time will definitely tell.”