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Phones for Nigeria's farmers 2013

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**I. Watch the video take notes on the following questions.**

<b>1</b>	<b>Introduction</b>
	What does Chika Oduah say about the import of food in Nigeria ?
	What should be done about it?
	What was the reaction to "phones for the poorest farmers"?
<b>2</b>	<b>The role of the government / Ministry of Agriculture</b>
	As to the Minister of Agriculture, why did the government's plan not work?
	How did the government solve the problem?
	What was the new problem and how was it solved?
<b>3</b>	<b>The Future</b>
	According to Dr. Debisi Araba, what led to the situation in agriculture?
	And what are the consequences today?

	What is the future for Nigeria going to be like?

**II. This is, in short, what has happened since 2013.**

- 2013 State of emergency in three northern states, government sends in troops to combat Boko Haram.
- 2014 Boko Haram (terror group connected to Al Qaeda) kidnaps more than 200 girls from a boarding school; Boko Haram launches a series of attacks in northeastern Nigeria. It now operates for the IS.
- 2015 Nigeria and neighboring states form military coalition and push Boko Haram out of towns. Muhammadu Buhari is elected president becoming the first opposition candidate to do so in Nigeria's history.
- 2016 Financial crisis due to low oil prices.  
Rebels bomb three oil pipelines in attempt to renew southern insurgency.
- 2017 Fights in two states force thousands to flee.
- 2018 Escalating attacks by Boko Haram targeting army bases.
- 2019 Presidential elections (with some delay)

1. Summarize your impression of the country's political stability.

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2. Relate these impressions to the views of a future in agriculture as expressed in the video.

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