SENATE OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 1st November, 2011

1. The Senate met at 10:39 a.m. The Senate President read prayers.

2. **Votes and Proceedings:**
The Senate President announced that he had examined the Votes and Proceedings of Thursday, 27th October, 2011 and approved same.

By unanimous consent, the Votes and Proceedings were approved.

3. **Announcement:**
Acknowledgment:
The Senate President acknowledged the presence of staff and students of the Lord's School, Mararaba, Nasarawa State who were in the gallery to observe Senate Proceedings.

4. **Motion:**
Violation of the Constitutional Rights of 28 Nigerian Citizens to Free Movement.

By leave of the Senate, Motion withdrawn {Rules 51 and 53(5)}.

5. **Prisons Act Cap. P29 2004 (Repeal and Re-enactment) Bill 2011 (SB.42):**
Motion made: That a Bill for an Act to repeal the Prisons Act Cap. P29 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to make comprehensive provisions for the Administration of Prisons in Nigeria; and for Related Purposes 2011 be read the Second Time (*Senate Leader)*.

Debate:

Question put and agreed to.

Bill accordingly read the Second Time and referred to Committee on Interior to report within four (4) weeks.

6. **Act Authentication Act 2004 (Amendment) Bill 2011 (SB. 51):**
Motion made: That a Bill for an Act to Amend the Act Authentication Act Cap. A14 LFN 2004, and for other connected purposes 2011 be read the Second Time (*Senator Paulinus N. Igwe — Ebonyi Central*).

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Debate:

Question put and agreed to.

Bill accordingly read the Second Time and referred to Committee on Judiciary, Human Rights and Legal Matters to report within two (2) weeks.

7. **Compensation for Criminal Injuries Bill 2011 (SB.57):**

Consideration of Bill deferred to another Legislative Day.

8. **Adjournment:**

Motion made: That the Senate do now adjourn till Wednesday, 2nd November, 2011 at 10.00 a.m. (*Senate Leader*).

Adjourned accordingly at 12:17 *p.m.*

Dr. David A. B. Mark, GCON, fnim
President,
Senate of the Federal Republic of Nigeria.