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Tuesday, 5 February, 2013

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

MOTIONS

1. **Alleged Plans by the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) Retail Limited to stop the Supply of Petroleum Products to Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) affiliate Filling Stations across the Country and the Attendant Consequences:**
Hon. Bassey Dan-Abia:

The House:

Notes that the introduction of the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) Mega Filling Stations has improved the supply of petroleum products across the country at regulated government price;

Further notes that the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) Affiliate Filling Stations have helped to reduced the pressure on the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) Mega Filling Stations, making prompt remittances to the NNPC Retail Limited Account on daily basis;

Aware that there is a Semi-Credit Payment Scheme, which enables Affiliate Filling Stations to get products and make remittance to the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporations (NNPC) Retail Limited Account from product sales, thereby eliminating fraud and corruption associated with cash transactions in the downstream sub-sector;

Further aware that this arrangement has helped to remove the bottlenecks associated with getting the products from the depots, thereby ensuring product availability at all times in line with government policy;

Observes that the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) Retail Limited has decided to re-introduce the old cash and carry policy, which normally leads to delayed supply, inability to sell at government controlled price, scarcity of products and product adulteration;

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Worried that if steps are not taken, the country may return to the dark days of fuel scarcity and adulteration of petroleum products.

Resolves to:

Mandate the Committee on Petroleum Resources (Downstream) to conduct an Investigative Hearing on the matter and report to the House within 4 weeks.

2. **Need to Introduce Practical Enterpreneurship and Mentorship Training in the Secondary School Curriculum:**
Hon. Eddie Ifeanyichukwu Mbadiwe:

The House:

Notes that Entrepreneurship drives the economy of most developed Nations and such governments introduce numerous incentives to encourage and empower the youth to seek self-employment rather than depend on the civil service for job placement;

Concerned that in Nigeria today, job placement is a major problem for many young people thereby increasing the rate of unemployed youth and capable of creating instability in the country;

Acknowledges that if Entrepreneurship and Mentorship Training is introduced in the Secondary Schools curriculum, it will turn vocational and technical skills into sustainable businesses capable of boosting the economy.

Resolves to:

Mandate the Committee on Education to liaise with the Federal Ministry of Education to work out the modalities for the introduction of Entrepreneur and Mentorship as a subject in the curriculum of secondary schools nation-wide.

BILLS

3. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Character Commission (Establishment, etc.) Act, Cap. F7 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and for Other Matters Connected Thereto (HB. 404) and a Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Character Commission Act to Enable Women lay Claim to Their State of Origin or Marriage and Provide for Matters Related Thereto (HB. 424) — *Second Reading* (*Adjourned Debate*: 29/1/2013).

4. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Registration and Regulation of Lobbyist in Nigeria and for Other Matters Connected Therewith (HB. 403) — *Second Reading*.

5. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Minimum Acceptable Standards for the sun-drying of fresh or Semi-proceeded Food items intended for human consumption and for Other Matters Related Thereto (HB. 306) — *Second Reading*.

6. A Bill for an Act to Amend the National Lottery Act, 2005 to further Empower the National Lottery Regulatory Commission of Nigeria to carry-out its Regulatory Functions, to bring the Lottery Business in Nigeria in line with best Practices and for Other Matters Connected Therewith (HB. 161) — *Second Reading*.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

7. **Committee on Cooperation and Integration in Africa:**
Hon. Abubarkar E. Momoh:
"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Cooperation and Integration in Africa Report on a Bill for an Act to Provide for the Establishment of New Partnership for Africa's Development Commission (HB.219) and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Laid*: 10/7/2012).

8. **Committee on Public Petitions:**
***Petition by Martin P. O. Nwabuwa*:**
Hon. Uzo Azubuike:
"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the Petition by Martin P. O. Nwabuwa against John Holts Plc on the alleged Denial of Retirement Benefit and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Laid*: 22/11/2012).

(*i*) Urge John Holt Plc to honour its contractual duty and obligation to former staff by paying its actual indebtedness to the petitioner, which is put at ₦8,404,110.82;

(*ii*) that the interest accruing thereto and charges on transport put at ₦4,303,914.26 should be negotiated and the agreed amount paid accordingly.

9. **Committee on Public Petitions:**
***Report on the Petition by the Managing Director, Globalnet Investment Resources Ltd*:**
Hon. Uzo Azubuike:
"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the Petition by the Managing Director, Globalnet Investment Resources Ltd against the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC) on Alleged Misappropriation and Diversion of ₦28,250,000.00 and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Laid*: 5/7/2012).

(*i*) That the petition lack merit and should be dismissed;

(*ii*) urge the petitioner to tender apology to the Corps Marshal for false allegation and baseless incrimination in the petition.

10. **Committee on Public Petitions:**
***Report on the Petition by Mr Rowland E. Akpabele*:**
Hon. Uzo Azubuike:
"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the Petition by Rowland E. Akpabele on his Premature Retirement from the Services of the Nigerian Export-Import Bank (NEXIM) and approve the Recommendation therein" (*Laid*: 5/7/2012).

That the House dismiss the petition by Mr Rowland Akpebele for his reinstatement into the Nigerian Export-Import Bank (NEXIM) as the Petitioner voluntarily resigned his appointment without attaining the minimum period of service for Pension.

11. **Committee on Public Petitions:**
***Report on the Petition by F. Ogene and Sons*:**
Hon. Uzo Azubuike:
"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the Petition by F. Ogene and Sons for claims of ₦5,360,238.40 in respect of the Universal Basic Education Commission (UBEC) contract duly executed by F. Ogene and Sons and handed over to the Government in 2001 and approve the Recommendation therein" (*Laid*: 5/7/2012).

Urge the Universal Basic Education Commission (UBEC) to mandate the Edo State Primary Education Board to pay forthwith the sum of Six Hundred and Fifty-Four Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixty Naira only (₦654,560.00) to the Petitioner being the value of work done at the old site before he was arbitrarily relocated to another site by the Chairman Edo State Primary Education Board.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

	Committee	*Date*	*Time*	*Venue*
1.	Rules and Business	Tuesday, 5 February, 2013	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 Assembly Complex
2.	Niger Delta Ministry	Tuesday, 5 February, 2013	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 107 New Building (House) Assembly Complex

3.	Federal Capital Territory Area Councils and Ancillary Matters	Tuesday, 5 February, 2013	1.00 p.m.	Committee Room 144 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
4.	Public Procurement	Tuesday, 5 February, 2013	1.30 p.m.	Committee Room 455 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
5.	Finance	Tuesday, 5 February, 2013	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 019 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
6.	Judiciary (*Interactive Session*)	Tuesday, 5 February, 2013	1.00 p.m.	Committee Room 028 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
7.	*Ad-hoc* Committee on Constitutional Review	Tuesday, 5 February, 2013	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 447 New Building (House) Assembly Complex