SENATE OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA
ORDER PAPER

Wednesday, 7th October, 2015

1. **Prayers**
2. **Approval of the Votes and Proceedings**
3. **Oaths**
4. **Announcements (if any)**
5. **Petitions**

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

1. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (Alteration) Bill 2015 (SB. 29) -*First Reading.*
   Sen. Babajide Omoworare *(Osun East)*

2. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (Alteration) Bill 2015 (SB. 30) -*First Reading.*
   Sen. Babajide Omoworare *(Osun East)*

3. Robbery and Firearms (Special Provision) Act (Amendment) Bill 2015. (SB. 43) - *First Reading.*
   Sen. Jibril Barau *(Kano North)*

4. National Open University Act (Amendment) Bill 2015 (SB. 66) - *First Reading.*
   Sen. Jibril Barau *(Kano North)*

MOTIONS

1. The demise of Chief (Mrs.) Hannah Idowu Dideolu Awolowo (1915 - 2015)
   Sen. Olanrewaju Tejuoso *(Ogun Central)*
   Co-Sponsors

Sen. Dada Gbolahan	Sen. Buruji Kashamu	Sen. Monsurat Sunmonu
Sen. Oluremi Tinubu	Sen. Biodun Olijimi	Sen. Fatimat Raji-Rasaki

   The Senate:

   Notes with glory to God for a life well spent, the demise of Chief (Mrs) Hannah Idowu Dideolu Awolowo, the wife of Nigeria's great Nationalist, Late Chief Obafemi Awolowo, on the 19th of September, 2015;

   Also notes that the late Chief HID Awolowo was born on the 25th of November, 1915 in Ikenne Ogun State and died at the age of 99, barely two months to her centenary birthday;

   Further notes that the Late Mrs. Awolowo received her early education at St. Peter's High School, Ita, Faji, Lagos and the Methodist Girls High School, Lagos before returning to St. Saviours School, Ikenne as a teacher;

   Aware that she got married to Late Chief Obafemi Awolowo in 1937 and remained happily married to him till the demise of the great sage in May, 1987;

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Also aware that although the late Mrs. Awolowo was a business woman of great repute, she was also an astute politician;

Further aware that she stood in for her husband in the alliance formed between the National Convention of Nigerian Citizens and the Action Group, called the United Progressive Grand Alliance (UPGA), while he was tried and in jail, with the plans being that she would contest the elections, and if she won, would step down for her husband in a by-election;

Further aware that to fulfil his dream of becoming President in the Second Republic, she toured the length and breadth of the country with her husband campaigning, coordinating the women's wing of the party and was always present at all party caucuses and continued to fight for the cause of justice;

Observes that it was her fidelity and total loyalty that led Papa Awolowo to describe her as his Jewel of Inestimable Value;

Convinced that late Chief HID Awolowo was a great nationalist, an icon whose life was one of remarkable service to humanity and great achievement;

Also notes that late Chief Mrs HID Awolowo was a generous and loving woman, whose death is not only a loss to Ogun State in particular, but to the entire nation at large;

Resolves to:

1. Observe a minute silence in her honour.

2. Send a delegation to condole with her family, the people and government of Ogun State.

3. Call on the Federal Government of Nigeria to honour her as deemed fit.

CONSIDERATION OF A REPORT

1. *Report of the Ad-hoc Committee on Legislative Agenda for the Senate*
Sen. Ali Ndume *(Senate Leader)*
"That the Senate do consider the Report of the Ad-Hoc Committee on Legislative Agenda for the Senate".

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS

1. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the design, development installation and management of a robust Crime and Criminal Tracking system for the Nigeria Police to enhance National Security through automation of Criminal records with biometric identification information for background security checks, crime investigation, and prosecution, and counter-terrorism and for Related Matters 2015 (SB. 3) - *Second Reading*
Sen. Hope Uzodimma *(Imo West)*

2. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act, No. 16 of 1979 CAP B2 Laws of Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Re-Enact. The Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act to make Provision for Corporate and Individual Insolvency to Provide for the Rehabilitation of the Insolvent Debtor and to create the office of the Supervisor of Insolvency; and for other matters therewith. (SB.09) -*Second Reading.*
Sen. Barnabas Gemade *(Benue North East)*

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