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FIRST VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 23 March, 2016

1. The House met at 11.28 a.m. Mr Speaker read the Prayers.

2. **Votes and Proceedings**
Mr Speaker announced that he had examined and approved the *Votes and Proceedings* of Tuesday, 22 March, 2016.

By unanimous consent, the Votes and Proceedings was adopted.

3. **Announcement**
(*i*) ***Visitors in the Gallery:***
Mr Speaker recognized the presence of the following visitors:

(*a*) Staff and Students of Baptist New Way Academy, Suleja, Niger State;

(*b*) Staff and Students of Chrisland School, Apo Village, Abuja; and

(*c*) Staff and Students of Metro International School, Kubwa, Abuja.

4. **Petitions**
(*i*) A petition from Fred Agbaje's Chamber, on behalf of ACP Fausat Azeez Oduwole, on the failure of the Nigeria Police to comply with the court judgment of October 14, 2014, was presented and laid by Hon. Agunsoye Rotimi (*Kosofe Federal Constituency*);

(*ii*) A petition from Alvana Pensioners Association on the non-payment of the gratuities and entitlements of its members by the management of Alvan Ikoku Federal College of Education, Owerri, Imo State, was presented and laid by Hon. Ezenwa Onyewuchi (*Owerri Municipal/Owerri North/Owerri West Federal Constituency*);

(*iii*) A petition from Ladan Babakodong & Co. (Tugarang Chambers), on behalf of Mr Benson S. Latubai (ASP), on his dismissal from service by the Nigerian Prison Service, was presented and laid by Hon. Ali Isa J. C. (*Balenga/Biliri Federal Constituency*);

(*iv*) A petition from Praka Consult, Republic of Guinea-Bissau, on the non-payment of contract executed by the company for the Nigerian Embassy in Republic of Guinea-Bissau, was presented and laid by Hon. Emmanuel Ekon (*Abak/Etim Ekpo/Ika Federal Constituency*);

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(*v*) A petition from the disengaged staff of defunct Platinum Habib Bank on the non-payment of their severance allowance by the management of the defunct Bank, was presented and laid by Hon. Yusuf Buba Yakubu (*Gombi/Hong Federal Constituency*).

Petitions referred to the Committee on Public Petitions.

5. Admittance into the Chamber

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do admit Mr Ayodele Dada into the Chamber, pursuant to Order XIX, Rule 217 (2) of the Standing Orders in recognition of his outstanding academic feat at the University of Lagos, Akoka, Lagos State" (*Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila — House Leader*).

Agreed to.

6. Special Tribute in honour of Mr Ayodele Dada

The House Leader, Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila drew the attention of the House to the unprecedented academic feat recorded by Mr Ayodele Dada at the University of Lagos, where he was recently awarded a Bachelor of Science Degree in Psychology with a 5.0 Cumulative Grade Point Average. He noted that his outstanding performance deserve commendation and celebration. He called on the Nigerian youths to emulate his exemplary performance and urged the House to recognize his exceptional achievement.

Members paid tributes to Mr Ayodele Dada in recognition of his outstanding achievement.

Mr Speaker congratulated Mr Ayodele Dada for his exemplary achievement and recommended him as a role model for the Nigerian youths. He urged him to remain focused, hardworking and determined in his future endeavour.

7. Matter of Urgent Public Importance (Standing Order VIII, Rule 46)

Investigation of the Payment made by MTN on the Fine Levied by the Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC):

Hon. Ehiozuwa Johnson Agbonayinma (*Egor/Ikpoba Okha Federal Constituency*) introduced the subject matter and prayed the House to:

(*a*) consider and approve the matter as one of urgent public importance; and

(*b*) suspend Order VIII, Rule 46 (3) to allow debate on the matter forthwith.

Question that the matter be considered as one of urgent public importance — Agreed to.

Question that the House do suspend Order VIII, Rule 46 (3) *to enable it debate the matter forthwith — Agreed to.*

Need to Investigate the Payment Made by MTN on the Fine Levied by the Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC):

The House:

Notes the Federal Republic of Nigeria Official Gazette No.101 Government Notice No. 229 — Nigerian Communications Commission (Registration of Telephone Subscribers) Registration, 201181125-1134;

Also notes that the Nigerian Communications Commission in October 2015 fined the MTN for violation of Section 19 and 20 of the Registration of Telephone Subscribers Regulations, 2011,

PART IV — PENALTIES

Section 19.—(1) Any licensee who fail to capture, register, deregister or transmit the details of any individual or corporate subscribers to the Central Database as specified in these Regulations or as may be stipulated from time to time by the Commission is liable to a penalty of ₦200,00.00 for each subscription medium;

(2) A licensee who activates any Subscription Medium without capturing, registering and transmitting the personal information to the Central Database commits an offence and shall on conviction be liable to a fine of ₦200,000.00 for each unregistered activated Subscription medium;

Section 20.—(1) Any licensee who activates or fails to deactivate a subscription medium in violation ot any provision of these Registration is liable to a penalty of ₦200,000.00 for each unregistered but activated subscription medium;

(2) Where the Commission is satisfied that a body corporate is culpable, the Director, Chief Executive Officer, Manager or Secretary shall also be liable to pay a fine of ₦200,000 unless, having regard to the nature of his functions in that capacity and to all the surrounding Circumstances, he proves that —

(*i*) The offence was committed without his knowledge, consent or connivance; and

(*ii*) He took all reasonable precautions and exercised due diligence to prevent the commission of the breach;

Aware that MTN specifically violated Section 19 (1) and (2) and Section 20 (1) and (2) of the Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC) Act cited above;

Also aware that MTN ought to have been fined under both Section 19 and Section 20 respectively with cumulative penalty of ₦3,120,000,200,000.00 Trillion and not the ₦1,040,000,000.00 which is a gross violation of the Combined reading of both Section 19 and Section 20 of the Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC) Act;

Observed that MTN paid ₦50 Billion into the Recovery Account in violation of extant laws;

Dismayed that the Nigerian Communications Commission the Regulatory body was not part of the negotiation process with the MTN; this action is not in the best interest of our dear nation Nigeria;

Resolves to:

(*i*) Urge the House to refer the matter to the Committee on Telecommunications for further investigation, pursuant to Section 88 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria as amended; and

(*ii*) also mandate the Committee on Telecommunications to investigate the extent to which non-compliance of MTN to the provisions of the law allegedly led to the death of over 10,000 Nigerians and whether MTN can escape criminal liability under the law by merely paying fines no matter how punitive the fine may appear (*Hon. Ehiozuwa Johnson Agbonayinma — Egor/Ikpoba Okha Federal Constituency*).

Debate.

Amendment Proposed:
Leave out all the Prayers and *insert* a new Prayer as follows:
"Set up an *Ad-hoc* Committee to investigate the matter" (*Hon. Uzoma Nkem-Abonta — Ukwa East/Ukwa West Federal Constituency*).

Question that the amendment be made — Agreed to.

Question on the Motion as amended — Agreed to.

The House:

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Resolved to:

Set up an *Ad-hoc* Committee to investigate the matter (**HR. 117/2016**).

8. Presentation and First Reading of Bills

The following Bills were read the *First Time* by the Clerk:

(1) Avoidance of Double Taxation (Between the Federal Republic of Nigeria and the Kingdom of Sweden) Bill, 2016 (HB. 443).

(2) Avoidance of Double Taxation (Between the Federal Republic of Nigeria and the Kingdom of Spain) Bill, 2016 (HB. 444).

(3) Avoidance of Double Taxation (Between the Federal Republic of Nigeria and the Kingdom of South Korea) Bill, 2016 (HB. 445).

(4) Federal Capital Territory Hospitals Management Board (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2016 (HB. 441).

(5) Office of the Financial Ombudsman Bill, 2016 (HB. 442).

(6) Energy Commission of Nigeria Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 446).

(7) Terrorism Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 447).

(8) National Grazing Reserve (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2016 (HB. 448).

(9) National Commission for Peace, Reconciliation and Mediation (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2016 (HB. 449).

(10) Nigerian International Financial Centre Bill, 2016 (HB. 450).

(11) Improved Aid Effectiveness, Accountability and Co-operation for Donor, Recipient Bill, 2016 (HB. 451).

(12) Correction and Rehabilitation Centre (Establishment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 452).

(13) Criminal Justice (Release from Custody) Bill, 2016 (HB. 453).

(14) Nigerian Coast Guard Service (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2016 (HB. 454).

(15) Nigerian Children Trust Fund Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 455).

(16) Child's Rights Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 456).

(17) High Court of the Federal Capital Territory, Abuja Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 457).

(18) National Agricultural Land Development Authority Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 458).

(19) Trade Malpractices Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 459).

(20) Nigerian Law Reform Commission Act (Amendment) Bill, 2015 (HB. 460).

(21) Nigerian Council for Management Development Act (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (HB. 461).

(22) Cancer Control and Prevention Bill, 2016 (HB. 462).

(23) National Cancer Institute Bill, 2016 (HB. 463).

(24) National Centre for Cancer Research and Treatment Bill, 2016 (HB. 464).

(25) Institute of Mortgage Brokers and Lenders Bill, 2016 (HB. 465).

(26) States, Tax and Duty Net Proceeds (Distribution) Bill, 2016 (HB. 466).

9. Presentation of Report

***Committee on Rules and Business*:**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Rules and Business on further amendment of the Standing Orders, and a copy of the Standing Orders of the House of Representatives (as amended)" (*Hon. Orker-Jev Emmanuel Yisa — Buruku Federal Constituency*).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

10. Receipt and Adoption of Conference Report on the 2016-2018 Medium Term Expenditure Framework (MTEF) and Fiscal Strategy Paper (FSP) of the Federal Government of Nigeria

Motion made and Question proposed:

The House:

Notes that the 2016-2018 Medium Term Expenditure Framework (MTEF) and Fiscal Strategy Paper (FSP) of the Federal Government of Nigeria was passed by the House on Thursday, 17 December, 2015 and transmitted to the Senate for concurrence;

The Senate passed same with some differences;

The two Chambers met in conference and adopted a harmonized version of the Report;

A clean copy of the Conference Report is ready for receipt and adoption;

And in view of the importance of the Report to the budget process;

Resolves to:

Receive and Adopt the Conference Report on the 2016-2018 Medium Term Expenditure Framework (MTEF) and Fiscal Strategy Paper (FSP) of the Federal Government of Nigeria (*Hon. Babangida Ibrahim — Kafur/Malumfashi Federal Constituency*).

Question agreed to.

11. Consideration of Reports

(*i*) *Committee on Appropriations*:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Appropriations on a Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦6,060,677,358,227 (Six Trillion, Sixty Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Seven Million, Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Seven Naira) only, of which, ₦351,370,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-One Billion, Three Hundred and Seventy Million Naira) only, is for Statutory Transfers, ₦1,475,320,000,000 (One Trillion, Four Hundred and Seventy-Five Billion, Three Hundred and Twenty Million Naira) only, is for Debt Service, ₦2,646,389,236,196 (Two Trillion, Six Hundred and Forty-Six Billion, Three Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, Two Hundred and Thirty-Six Thousand, One Hundred and Ninety-Six Naira) only, is for Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the sum of ₦1,587,598,122,031 (One Trillion, Five Hundred and Eighty-Seven Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Eight Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Two Thousand, Thirty-One Naira) is for contribution to the Development Fund for Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2016 and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*).

Agreed to.

Question that the House do resolve into the Committee of Supply to consider the Report — Agreed to.

(HOUSE IN COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY)

(*Mr Speaker in the Chair*)

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO AUTHORISE THE ISSUE FROM THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND OF THE FEDERATION THE TOTAL SUM OF ₦6,060,677,358,227 (SIX TRILLION, SIXTY BILLION, SIX HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVEN MILLION, THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHT THOUSAND, TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN NAIRA) ONLY, OF WHICH, ₦351,370,000,000 (THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE BILLION, THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY MILLION NAIRA) ONLY, IS FOR STATUTORY TRANSFERS, ₦1,475,320,000,000 (ONE TRILLION, FOUR HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE BILLION, THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY MILLION NAIRA) ONLY, IS FOR DEBT SERVICE, ₦2,646,389,236,196 (TWO TRILLION, SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIX BILLION, THREE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINE MILLION, TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SIX NAIRA) ONLY, IS FOR RECURRENT (NON-DEBT) EXPENDITURE WHILE THE SUM OF ₦1,587,598,122,031 (ONE TRILLION, FIVE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN BILLION, FIVE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHT MILLION, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND, THIRTY-ONE NAIRA) IS FOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE DEVELOPMENT FUND FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING ON THE 31ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 2016

Clause 1: **Issue and appropriation of ₦6,060,677,358,227 from the Consolidated Revenue Fund for 2016.**

(*i*) The Accountant-General of the Federation shall, when authorised to do so by Warrants signed by the Minister charged with responsibility for finance, pay out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation during the year ending on the 31st day of December 2016, the sums specified by the warrants, not exceeding in the aggregate ₦6,060,677,358,227 (Six Trillion, Sixty Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Seven Million, Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Seven Naira) only.

(*ii*) The amount mentioned in subsection (1) of this section shall be appropriated to heads of expenditure as indicated in the Schedule to this Bill.

(*iii*) No part of the amount aforesaid shall be released from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation after the end of the year mentioned in subsection (1) of this section.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provisions in Clause 1 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*).

Amendment Proposed:
In subclause (1) (*iii*), immediately after the word "section", *insert* the following words: "without prejudice to Clause 11 of the Bill" (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 1 as amended, stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 2: **Release of funds from the Consolidated Revenue Fund.**
All amounts appropriated under this Bill shall be released from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation only for the purpose specified in the Schedule to this Bill.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 2 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin – Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 2 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 3: **Virement.**
In the event that the implementation of any of the projects intended to be undertaken under this Bill cannot be completed without virement, such virement shall only be effected with the prior approval of the National Assembly.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 3 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 3 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 4: **Excess Revenue.**

(*i*) The Accountant-General of the Federation shall immediately upon the coming into force of this Bill maintain a separate record for the documentation of Revenue accruing to the Consolidated Revenue Fund in excess of oil price benchmark adopted in this Budget.

(*ii*) Such revenues as specified in Sub-section (1) of this section refers to Revenues accruing from sales of government crude oil in excess of $38 per barrel, the Petroleum Profit Tax and Royalty on Oil and Gas.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provisions in Clause 4 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 4 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 5: **Authorization.**

(*i*) No funds shall be paid out of the monies arising from the record specified in Section (4) except by an Act of the National Assembly.

Information on Funds Releases

(*ii*) The Accountant-General of the Federation shall forward to the National Assembly full details of funds released to the government Agencies immediately such funds are released.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provisions in Clause 5 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 5 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 6: **Release of funds for Implementation.**
The Minister of Finance shall ensure that funds appropriated under this Bill are released to the appropriate agencies and or organs of government as and when due, provided that no funds for any quarter of the fiscal year shall be deferred without prior waiver form the National Assembly.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 6 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 6 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 7: **Due Process Certification.**
The department of government charged with the responsibility of certifying that due processes have been complied with in the processing of implementation of projects shall ensure that all processes of approval are completed within the specified period as provided for in the Public Procurement Act.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 7 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 7 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 8: **Information on internally generated revenue.**
All Accounting Officers of Ministries, Parastatals and Departments of Government who control heads of expenditures shall upon the coming into effect of this Bill furnish the National Assembly on quarterly basis with detailed information on the Internally Generated Revenue of the agency in any form whatsoever.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 8 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 8 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 9: **Information on extra budgetary/foreign assistance.**
All Accounting Officers of Ministries, Parastatals and Departments of government who control heads of expenditures shall upon the coming into effect of this Bill furnish the National Assembly on quarterly basis with detailed information on all foreign and or domestic assistance received from any agency, person or organization in any form whatsoever.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 9 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 9 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 10: **Interpretation.**
For the purposes of this Bill the term "schedule" includes the detailed estimates of expenditure attached thereto

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 10 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 10 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 11: **Commencement.**
In line with the provisions of Section 318 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 as amended, this bill will run for a course of 12 months starting from the date it is assented into law.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 11 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 11 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Clause 12: Short Title.
This Bill may be cited as the Appropriation Bill, 2016.

Committee Recommendation:
Retain the provision in Clause 12 of the Bill (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin - Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Clause 12 stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

SCHEDULE

PART A — STATUTORY TRANSFERS

	Statutory Transfers	*Approval* (₦)
1.	**National Judicial Council**	70,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seventy Billion Naira (₦70,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Statutory Transfers, for the National Judicial Council stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

2.	**Niger Delta Development Commission**	41,050,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Forty-One Billion, Fifty Million Naira (₦41,050,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Statutory Transfers, for the Niger-Delta Development Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

3.	**Universal Basic Education Scheme**	77,110,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seventy-Seven Billion, One Hundred and Ten Million Naira (₦77,110,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Statutory Transfers, for the Universal Basic Education Scheme stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

4.	**National Assembly**	115,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Hundred and Fifteen Billion Naira (₦115,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Statutory Transfers, for the National Assembly stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

5.	**Public Complaints Commission**	2,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion Naira (₦2,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Statutory Transfers, for the Public Complaints Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

6.	**Independence National Electoral Commission (INEC)**	45,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Forty-Five Billion Naira (₦45,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Statutory Transfers, for the Independence National Electoral Commission (INEC) stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

7. **National Human Rights Commission** 1,210,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion, Two Hundred and Ten Million Naira (₦1,210,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Statutory Transfers, for the National Human Rights Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

Total Statutory Transfer **351,370,000,000**

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Hundred and Fifty-One Billion, Three Hundred and Seventy Million Naira (₦351,370,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Total Statutory Transfers stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

PART B — DEBT SERVICE

8. **Debt Service**
(*i*) **Domestic Debts** 1,307,400,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Trillion, Three Hundred and Seven Billion, Four Hundred Million Naira (₦1,307,400,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Domestic Debts stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*ii*) **Foreign Debts** 54,480,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Fifty-Four Billion and Four Hundred and Eighty Million Naira (₦54,480,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Foreign Debt Service, for Foreign debts stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

9. **Sinking Fund**
Sinking Fund to Retire Maturing Loans 113,440,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Hundred and Thirteen Billion, Four Hundred and Forty Million Naira (₦113,440,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Sinking Fund to Retire Maturing Loans stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

Total Debt Service **1,475,320,000,000**

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Trillion, Four Hundred and Seventy-Five Billion, Three Hundred and Twenty Million Naira (₦1,475,320,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Debt Service stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

PARTS C AND D — RECURRENT (NON-DEBT) AND CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

	Ministry/Department/Agency	*Approval* (₦)
10.	**Auditor-General for the Federation**	
	Recurrent	2,480,584,709
	Capital	317,509,819

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Four Hundred and Eighty Million, Five Hundred and Eighty-Four Thousand, Seven Hundred and Nine Naira (₦2,480,584,709.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Three Hundred and Seventeen Million, Five Hundred and Nine Thousand, Eight Hundred and Nineteen Naira (₦317,509,819.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Auditor-General for the Federation stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

11.	**National Planning Commission**	
	Recurrent	7,737,100,536
	Capital	2,322,144,778

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Seven Hundred and Thirty-Seven Million, One Hundred Thousand, Five Hundred and Thirty-Six Naira (₦7,737,100,536.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Two Billion, Three Hundred and Twenty-Two Million, One Hundred and Forty-Four Thousand, Seven Hundred and Seventy-Eight Naira (₦2,322,144,778.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the National Planning Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

12.	**Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development**	
	Recurrent	29,632,584,416
	Capital	46,173,963,859

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twenty-Nine Billion, Six Hundred and Thirty-Two Million, Five Hundred and Eighty-Four Thousand, Four Hundred and Sixteen Naira (₦29,632,584,416.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Forty-Six Billion, One Hundred and Seventy-Three Million, Nine Hundred and Sixty-Three Thousand, Eight Hundred and Fifty-Nine Naira (₦46,173,963,859.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

13. Ministry of Defence/MOD/Army/Navy/Air Force

Recurrent 312,213,355,618

Capital 130,864,439,542

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Hundred and Twelve Billion, Two Hundred and Thirteen Million, Three Hundred and Fifty-Five Thousand, Six Hundred and Eighteen Naira (₦312,213,355,618.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of One Hundred and Thirty Billion, Eight Hundred and Sixty-Four Million, Four Hundred and Thirty-Nine Thousand, Five Hundred and Forty-Two Naira (₦130,864,439,542.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Defence MOD Army Air Force Navy stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 *Agreed to.*

14. Ministry of Education

Recurrent 367,734,727,223

Capital 35,433,487,466

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Hundred and Sixty-Seven Billion, Seven Hundred and Thirty Four Million, Seven Hundred and Twenty-Seven Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Three Naira (₦367,734,727,223.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Thirty-Five Billion, Four Hundred and Thirty-Three Million, Four Hundred and Eighty-Seven Thousand, Four Hundred and Sixty-Six Naira (₦35,433,487,466.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Education stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

15. Ministry of Environment

Recurrent 14,515,408,468

Capital 4,957,964,638

Question,
That the Expenditure of Fourteen Billion, Five Hundred and Fifteen Million, Four Hundred and Eight Thousand, Four Hundred and Sixty-Eight Naira (₦14,515,408,468.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Four Billion, Nine Hundred and Fifty-Seven Million, Nine Hundred and Sixty-Four Thousand, Six Hundred and Thirty Eight Naira (₦4,957,964,638.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Environment stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

16. Ministry of Finance

Recurrent 9,994,990,976

Capital 667,842,500

Question,
That the Expenditure of Nine Billion, Nine Hundred and Ninety-Four Million, Nine Hundred and Ninety Thousand, Nine Hundred and Seventy-Six Naira (₦9,994,990,976.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates, and the Expenditure of Six Hundred and Sixty-Seven Million, Eight Hundred and Forty-Two Thousand, Five Hundred Naira (₦667,842,500.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Finance stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

17. Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Recurrent 39,440,096,249

Capital 7,076,226,760

Question,
That the Expenditure of Thirty-Nine Billion, Four Hundred and Forty Million, Ninety-Six Thousand, Two Hundred and Forty-Nine Naira (₦39,440,096,249.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates, and the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Seventy-Six Million, Two Hundred and Twenty-Six Thousand, Seven Hundred and Sixty Naira (₦7,076,226,760.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

18. Ministry of Health

Recurrent 221,412,548,087

Capital 28,650,342,987

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Hundred and Twenty One Billion, Four Hundred and Twelve Million, Five Hundred and Forty-Eight Thousand, Eighty-Seven Naira (₦221,412,548,087.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates, and the Expenditure of Twenty-Eight Billion, Six Hundred and Fifty Million, Three Hundred and Forty-Two Thousand, Nine Hundred and Eighty-Seven Naira (₦28,650,342,987.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Health stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

19. Ministry of Industry Trade and Investment

Recurrent 10,410,294,458

Capital 5,886,327,845

Question,
That the Expenditure of Ten Billion, Four Hundred and Ten Million, Two Hundred and Ninety-Four Thousand, Four Hundred and Fifty-Eight Naira (₦10,410,294,458.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates, and the Expenditure of Five Billion, Eight Hundred and Eighty-Six Million, Three Hundred and Twenty-Seven Thousand, Eight Hundred and Forty-Five Naira (₦5,886,327,845.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Industry Trade and Investment stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

20. Ministry of Information and Culture

Recurrent 38,729,446,483

Capital 6,071,503,956

Question,
That the Expenditure of Thirty-Eight Billion, Seven Hundred and Twenty-Nine Million, Four Hundred and Forty-Six Thousand, Four Hundred and Eighty-Three Naira (₦38,729,446,483.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates, and the Expenditure of Six Billion, Seventy-One Million, Five Hundred and Three Thousand, Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six Naira (₦6,071,503,956.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry Information and Culture stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

21. Ministry of Interior

Recurrent 451,942,552,070

Capital 61,713,279,496

Question,

That the Expenditure of Four Hundred and Fifty-One Billion, Nine Hundred and Forty-Two Million, Five Hundred and Fifty-Two Thousand, Seventy Naira (₦451,942,552,070.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Sixty-One Billion, Seven Hundred and Thirteen Million, Two Hundred and Seventy-Nine Thousand, Four Hundred and Ninety-Six Naira (₦61,713,279,496.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Interior stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to*.

22. Ministry of Justice

Recurrent 17,389,782,636

Capital 879,736,744

Question,

That the Expenditure of Seventeen Billion, Three Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, Seven Hundred and Eighty-Two Thousand, Six Hundred and Thirty-Six Naira (₦17,389,782,636.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Eighty Hundred and Seventy-Nine Million, Seven Hundred and Thirty-Six Thousand, Seven Hundred and Forty-Four Naira (₦879,736,744.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Justice stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

23. Ministry of Labour and Employment

Recurrent 7,735,604,366

Capital 5,542,655,626

Question,

That the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Seven Hundred and Thirty-Five Million, Six Hundred and Four Thousand, Three Hundred and Sixty-Six Naira (₦7,735,604,366.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Five Billion, Five Hundred and Forty-Two Million, Six Hundred and Fifty-Five Thousand, Six Hundred and Twenty-Six Naira (₦5,542,655,626.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Labour and Employment stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

24. Ministry of Solid Minerals Development

Recurrent 9,402,106,704

Capital 7,332,623,257

Question,

That the Expenditure of Nine Billion, Four Hundred and Two Million, One Hundred and Six Thousand, Seven Hundred and Four Naira (₦9,402,106,704.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Three Hundred and Thirty-Two Million, Six Hundred and Twenty-Three Thousand, Two Hundred and Fifty-Seven Naira (₦7,332,623,257.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Solid Minerals Development stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

25. Federal Capital Territory Administration

Capital 29,297,122,872

Question,

That the Expenditure of Twenty-Nine Billion, Two Hundred and Ninety-Seven Million, One Hundred and Twenty Two Thousand, Eight Hundred and Seventy-Two Naira (₦29,297,122,872.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Federal Capital Territory Administration stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

26. Ministry of Niger Delta

Recurrent 1,970,127,331

Capital 19,440,328,551

Question,

That the Expenditure of One Billion, Nine Hundred and Seventy Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Seven Thousand, Three Hundred and Thirty-One Naira (₦1,970,127,331.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Nineteen Billion, Four Hundred and Forty Million, Three Hundred and Twenty Eight Thousand, Five Hundred and Fifty-One Naira (₦19,440,328,551.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Niger Delta stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

27. Ministry of Petroleum Resources

Recurrent 54,336,926,923

Capital 6,304,900,570

Question,

That the Expenditure of Fifty-Four Billion, Three Hundred and Thirty-Six Million, Nine Hundred and Twenty-Six Thousand, Nine Hundred and Twenty-Three Naira (₦54,336,926,923.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Six Billion, Three Hundred and Four Million, Nine Hundred Thousand, Five Hundred and Seventy Naira (₦6,304,900,570.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Petroleum Resources stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

28. Ministry of Science and Technology

Recurrent 25,554,038,310

Capital 27,006,179,073

Question,

That the Expenditure of Twenty-Five Billion, Five Hundred and Fifty-Four Million, Thirty-Eight Thousand, Three Hundred and Ten Naira (₦25,554,038,310.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Twenty-Seven Billion, Six Million, One Hundred and Seventy-Nine Thousand, Seventy-Three Naira (₦27,006,179,073.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Science and Technology stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

29. Ministry of Special Duties SGF

Recurrent 65,604,713

Question,
That the Expenditure of Sixty-Five Million, Six Hundred and Four Thousand, Seven Hundred and Thirteen Naira (₦65,604,713.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for the Ministry of Special Duties SGF stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

30. Ministry of Transportation

Recurrent 13,667,122,591

Capital 188,674,679,674

Question,
That the Expenditure of Thirteen Billion, Six Hundred and Sixty-Seven Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Two Thousand, Five Hundred and Ninety-One Naira (₦13,667,122,591.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of One Hundred and Eighty-Eight Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Four Million, Six Hundred and Seventy-Nine Thousand, Six Hundred and Seventy-Four Naira (₦188,674,679,674.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Transportation stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

31. Ministry of Water Resources

Recurrent 7,219,056,441

Capital 46,081,121,423

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Two Hundred and Nineteen Million, Fifty-Six Thousand, Four Hundred and Forty-One Naira (₦7,219,056,441.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Forty-Six Billion, Eighty-One Million, One Hundred and Twenty-One Thousand, Four Hundred and Twenty-Three Naira (₦46,081,121,423.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Water Resources stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

32. Ministry of Women Affairs

Recurrent 1,261,723,837

Capital 2,293,528,977

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion, Two Hundred and Sixty-One Million, Seven Hundred and Twenty-Three Thousand, Eight Hundred and Thirty-Seven Naira (₦1,261,723,837.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Two Billion, Two Hundred and Ninety-Three Million, Five Hundred and Twenty-Eight Thousand, Nine Hundred and Seventy-Seven Naira (₦2,293,528,977.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Women Affairs stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

33. Ministry of Works, Power and Housing

Recurrent	33,971,882,707
Capital	422,964,928,495

Question,
That the Expenditure of Thirty-Three Billion, Nine Hundred and Seventy-One Million, Eight Hundred and Eighty-Two Thousand, Seven Hundred and Seven Naira (₦33,971,882,707.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Four Hundred and Twenty-Two Billion, Nine Hundred and Sixty Four Million, Nine Hundred and Twenty-Eight Thousand, Four Hundred and Ninety-Five Naira (₦422,964,928,495.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Works, Power and Housing stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

34. Ministry of Youth and Sports Development

Recurrent	72,297,326,595
Capital	3,497,043,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seventy-Two Billion, Two Hundred and Ninety-Seven Million, Three Hundred and Twenty-Six Thousand, Five Hundred and Ninety-Five Naira (₦72,297,326,595.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Three Billion, Four Hundred and Ninety-Seven Million, Forty-Three Thousand Naira (₦3,497,043,000.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Youth and Sports Development stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

35. Fiscal Responsibility Commission

Recurrent	320,198,366
Capital	123,044,650

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Hundred and Twenty Million, One Hundred and Ninety-Eight Thousand, Three Hundred and Sixty-Six Naira (₦320,198,366.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of One Hundred and Twenty-Three Million, Forty-Four Thousand, Six Hundred and Fifty Naira (₦123,044,650.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Fiscal Responsibility Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

36. Independent Corrupt Practices and Other Related Offences Commission

Recurrent	5,029,989,359
Capital	799,680,570

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Billion, Twenty-Nine Million, Nine Hundred and Eighty-Nine Thousand, Three Hundred and Fifty-Nine Naira (₦5,029,989,359.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Seven Hundred and Ninety-Nine Million, Six Hundred and Eighty Thousand, Five Hundred and Seventy Naira (₦799,680,570.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Independent Corrupt Practices and Other Related Offences Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

37. Infrastructure Concession Regulatory Commission

Recurrent	838,569,623
Capital	35,730,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Eight Hundred and Thirty-Eight Million, Five Hundred and Sixty-Nine Thousand, Six Hundred and Twenty-Three Naira (₦838,569,623.00) only and the Expenditure of Thirty-Five Million, Seven Hundred and Thirty Thousand Naira (₦35,730,000.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates, for the Infrastructure Concession Regulatory Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

38. Ministry of Communication Technology

Recurrent	9,885,909,120
Capital	5,992,735,230

Question,
That the Expenditure of Nine Billion, Eight Hundred and Eighty-Five Million, Nine Hundred and Nine Thousand, One Hundred and Twenty Naira (₦9,885,909,120.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates, and the Expenditure of Five Billion, Nine Hundred and Ninety-Two Million, Seven Hundred and Thirty-Five Thousand, Two Hundred and Thirty Naira (₦5,992,735,230.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Ministry of Communication Technology stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

39. National Salaries, Incomes and Wages Commission

Recurrent	625,819,413
Capital	169,871,885

Question,
That the Expenditure of Six Hundred and Twenty-Five Million, Eight Hundred and Nineteen Thousand, Four Hundred and Thirteen Naira (₦625,819,413.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of One Hundred and Sixty-Nine Million, Eight Hundred and Seventy-One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Eighty-Five Naira (₦169,871,885.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the National Salaries, Incomes and Wages Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

40. Office of National Security Adviser

Recurrent	56,791,291,063
Capital	32,084,085,624

Question,
That the Expenditure of Fifty-Six Billion, Seven Hundred and Ninety-One Million, Two Hundred and Ninety-One Thousand, Sixty-Three Naira (₦56,791,291,063.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Thirty-Two Billion, Eighty-Four Million, Eighty-Five Thousand, Six Hundred and Twenty-Four Naira (₦32,084,085,624.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Office of National Security Adviser stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

41. Office of the Head of Service of the Federation:

Recurrent 6,270,657,023

Capital 1,429,176,735

Question,
That the Expenditure of Six Billion, Two Hundred and Seventy Million, Six Hundred and Fifty-Seven Thousand, Twenty-Three Naira (₦6,270,657,023.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of One Billion, Four Hundred and Twenty-Nine Million, One Hundred and Seventy-Six Thousand, Seven Hundred and Thirty-Five Naira (₦1,429,176,735.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Office of the Head of Service of the Federation stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

42. Presidency

Recurrent 21,676,277,888

Capital 23,004,199,702

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twenty-One Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Six Million, Two Hundred and Seventy-Seven Thousand, Eight Hundred and Eighty-Eight Naira (₦21,676,277,888.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Twenty-Three Billion, Four Million, One Hundred and Ninety-Nine Thousand, Seven Hundred and Two Naira (₦23,004,199,702.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Presidency stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

43. Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation (SGF)

Recurrent 45,890,745,817

Capital 20,319,288,049

Question,
That the Expenditure of Forty-Five Billion, Eight Hundred and Ninety Million, Seven Hundred and Forty-Five Thousand, Eight Hundred and Seventeen Naira (₦45,890,745,817.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Twenty Billion, Three Hundred and Nineteen Million, Two Hundred and Eighty-Eight Thousand, Forty-Nine Naira (₦20,319,288,049.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation (SGF) stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill 2016 — *Agreed to.*

FEDERAL EXECUTIVE BODIES

44. Code of Conduct Bureau

Recurrent 2,036,983,075

Capital 4,889,127,358

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Thirty-Six Million, Nine Hundred and Eighty-Three Thousand, Seventy-Five Naira (₦2,036,983,075.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Four Billion, Eight Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Seven Thousand, Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight Naira (₦4,889,127,358.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Code of Conduct Bureau stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

45. Code of Conduct Tribunal

Recurrent	551,873,810
Capital	1,055,560,066

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred and Fifty-One Million, Eight Hundred and Seventy-Three Thousand, Eight Hundred and Ten Naira (₦551,873,810.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of One Billion, Fifty-Five Million, Five Hundred and Sixty Thousand, Sixty-Six Naira (₦1,055,560,066.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Code of Conduct Tribunal stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

46. Federal Character Commission

Recurrent	2,064,672,500
Capital	984,780,230

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Sixty-Four Million, Six Hundred and Seventy-Two Thousand and Five Hundred Naira (₦2,064,672,500.00) only for the Purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Nine Hundred and Eighty Four Million, Seven Hundred and Eighty Thousand, Two Hundred and Thirty Naira (₦984,780,230.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Federal Character Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 – *Agreed to.*

47. Federal Civil Service Commission

Recurrent	992,548,019
Capital	16,841,017

Question,
That the Expenditure of Nine Hundred and Ninety-Two Million, Five Hundred and Forty-Eight Thousand, Nineteen Naira (₦992,548,019.00) only for the Purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Sixteen Million, Eight Hundred and Forty One Thousand, Seventeen Naira (₦16,841,017.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Federal Civil Service Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*

48. National Population Commission

Recurrent	4,911,777,812
Capital	4,411,606,590

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Billion, Nine Hundred and Eleven Million, Seven Hundred and Seventy-Seven Thousand, Eight Hundred and Twelve Naira (₦4,911,777,812.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Four Billion, Four Hundred and Eleven Million, Six Hundred and Six Thousand, Five Hundred and Ninety Naira (₦4,411,606,590.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the National Population Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

49. Police Service Commission

Recurrent 676,965,000

Capital 269,629,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Six Hundred and Seventy-Six Million, Nine Hundred and Sixty-Five Thousand Naira (₦676,965,000.00) only for the Purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Two Hundred and Sixty-Nine Million, Six Hundred and Twenty-Nine Thousand Naira (₦269,629,000.00) only for the Purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Police Service Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

50. Revenue Mobilization, Allocation and Fiscal Commission

Recurrent 2,044,284,712

Capital 19,883,417

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Forty-Four Million, Two Hundred and Eighty-Four Thousand, Seven Hundred and Twelve Naira (₦2,044,284,712.00) only for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates and the Expenditure of Nineteen Million, Eight Hundred and Eighty-Three Thousand, Four Hundred and Seventeen Naira (₦19,883,417.00) only for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates, for the Revenue Mobilization, Allocation and Fiscal Commission stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

51. (*a*) Office of the Head of the Civil Service (Civilian Pension)

(*i*) Pensions 28,391,013,524

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twenty-Eight Billion, Three Hundred and Ninety-One Million, Thirteen Thousand, Five Hundred and Twenty-Four Naira (₦28,391,013,524.00) only for the purposes set out for Pensions under Pension Estimates for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*ii*) Gratuities: 2,300,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Three Hundred Million Naira (₦2,300,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out for Gratuities under Pension Estimates for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*iii*) Benefits of Retired Heads of the Civil Service of the Federation and Federal Permanent Secretaries 2,599,702,192

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Nine Million, Seven Hundred and Two Thousand, One Hundred and Ninety-Two Naira (₦2,599,702,192.00) only for the purposes set out for Benefits of Retired Heads of the Civil Service of the Federation and Federal Permanent Secretaries under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*b*) Military Pensions and Gratuities (DMP)

(*i*) Military Pension 59,803,309,186

Question,
That the Expenditure of Fifty-Nine Billion, Eight Hundred and Three Million, Three Hundred and Nine Thousand, One Hundred and Eighty-Six Naira (₦59,803,309,186.00) only for the purposes set out for Military Pension under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*ii*) 2016 Expected Retirees 3,523,892,396

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Five Hundred and Twenty-Three Million, Eight Hundred and Ninety-Two Thousand, Three Hundred and Ninety-Six Naira (₦3,523,892,396.00) only for the purposes set out for 2016 Expected Retirees under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*iii*) Death Benefits 4,302,748,169

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Billion, Three Hundred and Two Million, Seven hundred and Forty-Eight Thousand, One Hundred and Sixty-Nine Naira (₦4,302,748,169.00) only for the purposes set out for Death Benefits, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*c*) Police Pensions Office
Pensions 7,412,463,652

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Four Hundred and Twelve Million, Four Hundred and Sixty-Three Thousand, Six Hundred and Fifty-Two Naira (₦7,412,463,652.00) only for the purposes set out for Pensions under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*d*) Customs, Immigration and Prisons Pensions Office
Pensions 8,420,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Eight Billion, Four Hundred and Twenty Million Naira (₦8,420,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out for Pensions under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*e*) Universities' Pensions Including Arrears
Pensions 14,343,326,479

Question,
That the Expenditure of Fourteen Billion, Three Hundred and Forty-Three Million, Three Hundred and Twenty-Six Thousand, Four Hundred and Seventy-Nine Naira (₦14,343,326,479.00) only for the purposes set out for Universities Pensions under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*f*) **Parastatals' Pension and Railway Pensions Pensions** 26,756,754,031

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twenty-Six Billion, Seven Hundred and Fifty Six Million, Seven Hundred and Fifty-Four Thousand, Thirty-One Naira (₦26,756,754,031.00) only for the purposes set out for Parastatals' Pension and Railway Pensions under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 *Agreed to.*

(*g*) **Pre-1996 Nigeria Railway Corporation Pension Pensions** 2,257,298,262

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Two Hundred and Fifty Seven Million, Two Hundred and Ninety-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Sixty Two Naira (₦2,257,298,262.00) only for the purposes set out for Pensions under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 *Agreed to.*

(*h*) **Department of State Security Pensions (Including Arrears)** 7,643,405,446

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Six Hundred and Forty Three Million, Four Hundred and Five Thousand, Four Hundred and Forty Six Naira (₦7,643,405,446.00) only for the purposes set out for Department of State Security under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 – *Agreed to*

(*i*) **Nigeria Intelligence Agency Pensions/Dependants Benefits** **3,709,146,567**

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Seven Hundred and Nine Million, One Hundred and Forty-Six Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixty-Seven Naira (₦3,709,146,567.00) only for the purposes set out for Pensions under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 – *Agreed to.*

(*j*) **NELMCO NELMCO Pension/Arrears** **16,642,621,229**

Question,
That the Expenditure of Sixteen Billion, Six Hundred and Forty Two Million, Six Hundred and Twenty-One Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty Nine Naira (₦16,642,621,229.00) only for the purposes set out for NELMCO Pension Areas under Pension Estimates, for Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 *Agreed to.*

52. Service-Wide Votes

(*i*) Arrears of PAYG Pension DPR 3,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion Naira (₦3,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Arrears of Pay As You Go Pension DPR Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*ii*) Arrears of 33% Increase in Pension Rates 27,489,043,755

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twenty-Seven Billion, Four Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, Forty-Three Thousand, Seven Hundred and Fifty-Five Naira (₦27,489,043,755.00) only for the purposes set out under Arrears of 33% Increase in Pension Rates Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*iii*) Payment of Outstanding Death Benefit to Civil Servants 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Payment of Outstanding Death Benefit to Civil Servants Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*iv*) Payment into the Redemption Fund (5% of Total Personnel Cost) Including Arrears of 2014 and 2015 50,195,808,918

Question,
That the Expenditure of Fifty Billion, One Hundred and Ninety-Five Million, Eight Hundred and Eight Thousand, Nine Hundred and Eighteen Naira (₦50,195,808,918.00) only for the purposes set out under Payment into the Redemption Fund (5% of Total Personnel Cost) Including Arrears of 2014 and 2015 Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*v*) Arrears of Police Death Benefits (2004 - 2010) 3,750,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Seven Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦3,750,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Arrears of Police Death Benefits (2004 - 2010) Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*vi*) Group Life Insurance for All MDAs Including DSS/Insurance of Sensitive Assets/Corpers 14,690,036,516

Question,
That the Expenditure of Fourteen Billion, Six Hundred and Ninety Million, Thirty-Six Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixteen Naira (₦14,690,036,516.00) only for the purposes set out under Group Life Insurance for all MDAs Including DSS/Insurance of Sensitive Assets/Corpers Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*vii*) **Armed Forces Enhanced Retirement Benefits of Commodores and above, etc.** 1,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion Naira (₦1,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Armed Forces Enhanced Retirement Benefits of Commodores and above, etc. Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 -- *Agreed to.*

(*viii*) **Severance Benefits of the Delta Steel Company/pension Pay-off** 2,795,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Seven Hundred and Ninety-Five Million Naira (₦2,795,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Severance Benefits of the Delta Steel Company/pension Pay-off Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 *Agreed to.*

(*ix*) **NHIS (Military Retirees)** 2,544,110,811

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Five Hundred and Forty-Four Million, One Hundred and Ten Thousand, Eight Hundred and Eleven Naira (₦2,544,110,811.00) only for the purposes set out under NHIS (Military Retirees) Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*x*) **Administration and Monitoring of (OHCSF) Group Life** 36,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Thirty-Six Million Naira (₦36,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Administration and Monitoring of (OHCSF) Group Life Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 - *Agreed to.*

(*xi*) **Pension Verification and Administration** 200,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Hundred Million Naira (₦200,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Pension Verification and Administration Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016
Agreed to.

(*xii*) **Entitlements of Former Presidents/heads of State and Vice-presidents/chiefs of General Staff** 2,300,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Three Hundred Million Naira (₦2,300,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Entitlements of Former Presidents/heads of State and Vice-presidents/chiefs of General Staff Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 - - *Agreed to.*

(*xiii*) **Public Service Reforms (Including Payment of Severance Benefits of Civil Servants)** 1,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦1,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Public Service Reforms (Including Payment of Severance Benefits of Civil Servants) Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 – *Agreed to.*

53. Other Service-wide Votes

(*i*) Improved Remuneration Package for the Nigerian Police Including 2014 and 2015 Shortfalls 10,255,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Ten Billion, Two Hundred and Fifty-Five Million Naira (₦10,255,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Improved Remuneration Package for the Nigerian Police Including 2014 and 2015 Shortfalls Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*ii*) 35th Annual General Meeting and Symposium of Shelter-Afrique in Nigeria in June, 2016 400,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Hundred Million Naira (₦400,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under 35th Annual General Meeting and Symposium of Shelter-Afrique in Nigeria in June, 2016 Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 – *Agreed to.*

(*iii*) Public Service Wage Adjustment for MDAs (Including Arrears of Promotion and Salary Increases) 33,597,400,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Thirty-Three Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Seven Million, Four Hundred Thousand Naira (₦33,597,400,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Public Service Wage Adjustment for MDAs (Including Arrears of Promotion and Salary Increases) Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 – *Agreed to.*

(*iv*) Outstanding Payments to Health Professionals 3,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion Naira (₦3,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Outstanding Payments to Health Professionals Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*v*) Operations - Internal for the Armed Forces 13,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Thirteen Billion Naira (₦13,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Operations - Internal for the Armed Forces Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*vi*) Contribution to International Organisations Including WAEC International 6,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Six Billion Naira (₦6,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Contribution to International Organisations Including WAEC International Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*vii*) Payment of Country Contributions to Pan - African Writers Association (Pawa) 208,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Hundred and Eight Million Naira (₦208,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Payment of Country Contributions to Pan - African Writers Association (Pawa) Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*viii*) Assessed Contribution to African Union and Others 3,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦3,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Assessed Contribution to African Union and Others Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*ix*) External Financial Obligations 8,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Eight Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦8,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under External Financial Obligations Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*x*) Margin for Increases in Costs and Recurrent Adjustment Costs 3,599,600,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Nine Million, Six Hundred Thousand Naira (₦3,599,600,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Margin for Increases in Costs and Recurrent Adjustment Costs Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xi*) Contingency 12,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twelve Billion Naira (₦12,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Contingency Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xii*) Pilgrims Support Services 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Pilgrims Support Services Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xiii*) Election Logistics Support 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Election Logistics Support Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xiv*) Employees Compensation Act — Employees Compensation Fund 4,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Billion Naira (₦4,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Employees Compensation Act - Employees Compensation Fund Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xv*) Provision of Security Equipment for Selected Public Buildings 2,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦2,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Provision of Security Equipment for Selected Public Buildings Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xvi*) Payment for Outsourced Services 2,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion Naira (₦2,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Payment for Outsourced Services Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xvii*) Service Wide Training of Budget/planning Officers on GIFMIS Budget Preparation System (Bps) as Well as Monitoring and Evaluation of All Projects Nationwide 1,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion Naira (₦1,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Service Wide Training of Budget/planning Officers on GIFMIS Budget Preparation System (Bps) as Well as Monitoring and Evaluation of All Projects Nationwide Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xviii*) Operation Lafiya Dole 8,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Eight Billion Naira (₦8,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Operation Lafiya Dole Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xix*) IPPIS Capturing 4,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Billion Naira (₦4,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under IPPIS Capturing Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xx*) Special Intervention (Recurrent) 300,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Hundred Billion Naira (₦300,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Special Intervention (Recurrent) Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

54. Presidential Amnesty Programme:

(*i*) Presidential Amnesty Programme: Stipends and Allowances of 30,000 Niger Delta Ex-militants 7,875,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Seven Billion, Eight Hundred and Seventy-Five Million Naira (₦7,875,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Presidential Amnesty Programme: Stipends and Allowances of 30,000 Niger Delta Ex-militants Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*ii*) Presidential Amnesty Programme: Operational Cost 1,834,149,261

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion, Eight Hundred and Thirty-Four Million, One Hundred and Forty-Nine Thousand, Two Hundred and Sixty-One Naira (₦1,834,149,261.00) only for the purposes set out under Presidential Amnesty Programme: Operational Cost Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*iii*) Presidential Amnesty Programme: Reintegration of Transformed Ex-militants 10,290,850,739

Question,
That the Expenditure of Ten Billion, Two Hundred and Ninety Million, Eight Hundred and Fifty Thousand, Seven Hundred and Thirty-Nine Naira (₦10,290,850,739.00) only for the purposes set out under Presidential Amnesty Programme: Reintegration of Transformed Ex-militants Estimates, for Service-Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

55. Capital Supplementation

(*i*) National Job Creation Scheme/Graduate Intership Scheme 2,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion Naira (₦2,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under National Job Creation Scheme/Graduate Intership Scheme, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*ii*) Quick Wins - Completion of 2008 & 2009 Projects 527,259,306

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion Naira (₦3,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Quick Wins - Completion of 2008 & 2009 Projects, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*iii*) NELMCO (Outstanding Liabilities) 3,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion Naira (₦3,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under NELMCO (Outstanding Liabilities), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*iv*) Bulk Trader 3,432,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Four Hundred and Thirty-Two Naira (₦3,432,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Bulk Trader, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*v*) Sinking Fund for Infrastructural Development 10,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Ten Billion Naira (₦10,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Sinking Fund for Infrastructural Development, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*vi*) Special Initiative for Women Participation in Agriculture, Water, Sport, Communication Technology/Partnership with States and Local Govt. Women Devt. Centres 1,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦1,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Special Initiative for Women Participation in Agriculture, Water, Sport, Communication Technology/Partnership with States and Local Govt. Women Devt. Centres, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*vii*) GIFMIS Capital 1,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion Naira (₦1,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under GIFMIS Capital, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*viii*) 2011 Election Violence and Civil Disturbances (Damage Done to Public Properties and Places of Worships) 2,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦2,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under 2011 Election Violence and Civil Disturbances (Damage Done to Public Properties and Places of Worships), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*ix*) Sports Development 1,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion Naira (₦1,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Sports Development, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*x*) Special Intervention MDGs (Verification of Assets and Liabilities) 8,267,215

Question,
That the Expenditure of Eight Million, Two Hundred and Sixty-Seven Thousand, Two Hundred and Fifteen Naira (₦8,267,215.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Special Intervention MDGs (Verification of Assets and Liabilities), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xi*) Transition to Sustainable Development Goals 609,037,225

Question,
That the Expenditure of Six Hundred and Nine Million, Thirty-Seven Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Five Naira (₦609,037,225.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Transition to Sustainable Development Goals, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xii*) Provision for SDG Programmes 3,378,044,922

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Three Hundred and Seventy-Eight Million, Forty-Four Thousand, Nine Hundred and Twenty-Two Naira (₦3,378,044,922.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Provision for SDG Programmes, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xiii*) SDG Monitoring and Evaluation 581,777,918

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred and Eighty-One Million, Seven Hundred and Seventy-Seven Thousand, Nine Hundred and Eighteen Naira (₦581,777,918.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under SDG Monitoring and Evaluation, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xiv*) Consultancy, Fees, Survey and Short Term and Long Term Studies 474,533,376

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Hundred and Seventy-Four Million, Five Hundred and Thirty-Three Thousand, Three Hundred and Seventy-Six Naira (₦474,533,376.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Consultancy, Fees, Survey and Short Term and Long Term Studies, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xv*) Communication and Advocacy (SDG) 427,080,038

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Hundred and Twenty-Seven Million, Eighty Thousand, Thirty-Eight Naira (₦427,080,038.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Communication and Advocacy (SDG), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xvi*) Federal Ministry of Finance: Special Programme for Improving Efficiency 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Federal Ministry of Finance: Special Programme for Improving Efficiency, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xvii*) Capital Exigencies/Adjustment to Capital Cost 5,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦5,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Capital Exigencies/Adjustment to Capital Cost, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xviii*) Capital Development of National Institute for Legislative Studies 4,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Billion Naira (₦4,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Capital Development of National Institute for Legislative Studies, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xix*) National Assembly Clinic 1,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion Naira (₦1,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under National Assembly Clinic, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xx*) Ministry of Budget and National Planning (Infrastructure Master Plan) 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Ministry of Budget and National Planning (Infrastructure Master Plan), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxi*) Nigeria Mortgage Refinancing Company (NMRC) 2,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion Naira (₦2,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Nigeria Mortgage Refinancing Company (NMRC), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxii*) Head of Service (Federal Government Staff Housing Loans Board) 1,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion Naira (₦1,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Head of Service (Federal Government Staff Housing Loans Board), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxiii*) Special Intervention/constituency Projects 100,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Hundred Billion Naira (₦100,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Special Intervention/constituency Projects, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xxiv*) Federal Initiative for North East (Pilot Counterpart Funding Contribution) 12,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twelve Billion Naira (₦12,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Federal Initiative for North East (Pilot Counterpart Funding Contribution), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xxv*) Counterpart Funding Including Global Fund/health 3,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦3,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Counterpart Funding Including Global Fund/health, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xxvi*) Support to UNDP Millenium Campaign Programme Nigeria in Africa/african Parliamentarian Programme 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Support to UNDP Millenium Campaign Programme Nigeria in Africa/african Parliamentarian Programme, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xxvii*) Payment of Local Contractors' Debts/other Liabilities 25,500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Twenty-Five Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦25,500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Payment of Local Contractors' Debts/other Liabilities, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xxviii*) Galaxy Backbone 3,100,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Three Billion, One Hundred Million Naira (₦3,100,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Galaxy Backbone, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xxix*) Refunds to States for Federal Roads Projects 5,005,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Billion, Five Million Naira (₦5,005,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Refunds to States for Federal Roads Projects, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to.*

(*xxx*) Financing of the Implementation of the Nigeria's Nuclear Power Programme (The Seed Money) 2,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Billion Naira (₦2,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Financing of the Implementation of the Nigeria's Nuclear Power Programme (The Seed Money), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxxi*) Matching Grant for the "Safe School Inititiative" Programme 1,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of One Billion Naira (₦1,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Matching Grant for the "Safe School Inititiative" Programme, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxxii*) Rehabilitation of Existing 23 Nos. Federal Secretariats in the States of the Federation 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Rehabilitation of Existing 23 Nos. Federal Secretariats in the States of the Federation, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxxiii*) Construction of Federal Secretariat in Ekiti State 500,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Five Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Construction of Federal Secretariat in Ekiti State stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxxiv*) Development Finance Institution (DFI) 4,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Four Billion Naira (₦4,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Development Finance Institution (DFI), stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

(*xxxv*) Capital in FGN Special Intervention Programme 200,000,000,000

Question,
That the Expenditure of Two Hundred Billion Naira (₦200,000,000,000.00) only for the purposes set out under Capital Supplementation under Capital in FGN Special Intervention Programme, stand part of the Schedule to the Appropriation Bill, 2016 — *Agreed to*.

Part A: Statutory Transfers	**351,370,000,000**
Part B: Debt Service	**1,475,320,000,000**
Part C: Recurrent (Non-Debt)	**2,646,389,236,196**
Part D: Capital Expenditure	**1,587,598,122,031**
Grand Total	**₦6,060,677,358,227**

Long Title:
A Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦6,060,677,358,227 (Six Trillion, Sixty Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Seven Million, Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Seven Naira) only, of which, ₦351,370,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-One Billion, Three Hundred and Seventy Million Naira) only is for Statutory Transfers, ₦1,475,320,000,000 (One Trillion, Four Hundred and Seventy-Five Billion, Three Hundred and Twenty Million Naira) only is for Debt Service, ₦2,646,389,236,196 (Two Trillion, Six Hundred and Forty-Six Billion, Three Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, Two Hundred and Thirty-Six Thousand, One Hundred and Ninety-Six Naira) only is for Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the sum of ₦1,587,598,122,031 (One Trillion, Five Hundred and Eighty-Seven Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Eight Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Two Thousand, Thirty-One Naira) is for contribution to the Development Fund for Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2016 (*Hon. Abdulmumin Jibrin — Bebeji/Kiru Federal Constituency*).

Question that the Long Title stand part of the Bill — Agreed to.

Chairman to report Bill.

(HOUSE IN PLENARY)

Mr Speaker, in the Chair reported that the House in Committee of Supply considered the Report of the Committee on Appropriations on a Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦6,060,677,358,227 (Six Trillion, Sixty Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Seven Million, Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Seven Naira) only, of which, ₦351,370,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-One Billion, Three Hundred and Seventy Million Naira) only, is for Statutory Transfers, ₦1,475,320,000,000 (One Trillion, Four Hundred and Seventy-Five Billion, Three Hundred and Twenty Million Naira) only, is for Debt Service, ₦2,646,389,236,196 (Two Trillion, Six Hundred and Forty-Six Billion, Three Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, Two Hundred and Thirty-Six Thousand, One Hundred and Ninety-Six Naira) only, is for Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the sum of ₦1,587,598,122,031 (One Trillion, Five Hundred and Eighty-Seven Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Eight Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Two Thousand, Thirty-One Naira) is for contribution to the Development Fund for Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2016 and approved Clause 1 as amended, approved Clauses 2 - 12, the Schedule, and the Long Title of the Bill.

Question that the House do adopt the Report of the Committee of Supply — Agreed to.

A Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦6,060,677,358,227 (Six Trillion, Sixty Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Seven Million, Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Seven Naira) only, of which, ₦351,370,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-One Billion, Three Hundred and Seventy Million Naira) only, is for Statutory Transfers, ₦1,475,320,000,000 (One Trillion, Four Hundred and Seventy-Five Billion, Three Hundred and Twenty Million Naira) only, is for Debt Service, ₦2,646,389,236,196 (Two Trillion, Six Hundred and Forty-Six Billion, Three Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, Two Hundred and Thirty-Six Thousand, One Hundred and Ninety-Six Naira) only, is for Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the sum of ₦1,587,598,122,031 (One Trillion, Five Hundred and Eighty-Seven Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Eight Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Two Thousand, Thirty-One Naira) is for contribution to the Development Fund for Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2016 — *Third Reading.*
Motion made and Question proposed, "That a Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦6,060,677,358,227 (Six Trillion, Sixty Billion, Six Hundred and Seventy-Seven Million, Three Hundred and Fifty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-Seven Naira) only, of which, ₦351,370,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-One Billion, Three Hundred and Seventy Million Naira) only, is for Statutory Transfers, ₦1,475,320,000,000 (One Trillion, Four Hundred and Seventy-Five Billion, Three Hundred and Twenty Million Naira) only, is for Debt Service, ₦2,646,389,236,196 (Two Trillion, Six Hundred

and Forty-Six Billion, Three Hundred and Eighty-Nine Million, Two Hundred and Thirty-Six Thousand, One Hundred and Ninety-Six Naira) only, is for Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the sum of ₦1,587,598,122,031 (One Trillion, Five Hundred and Eighty-Seven Billion, Five Hundred and Ninety-Eight Million, One Hundred and Twenty-Two Thousand, Thirty-One Naira) is for contribution to the Development Fund for Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 2016 be now read the Third Time" (*Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila — House Leader*).

Question agreed to.

Bill read the Third Time by the Clerk, and passed.

(ii) *Committee on Rules and Business*:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Rules and Business on further amendment of the Standing Orders of the House of Representatives and approve the recommendations therein" (*Hon. Orker-Jev Emmanuel Yisa — Buruku Federal Constituency*).

Agreed to.

Question that the House do resolve into the Committee of the Whole to consider the Report — Agreed to.

(HOUSE IN COMMITTEE)

(Mr Deputy Speaker in the Chair)

FURTHER AMENDMENT OF STANDING ORDERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

ORDER TWO

ELECTION OF PRESIDING OFFICERS

1. **Rule 3: Election takes precedence over any other business**

(1) The election of Speaker shall take precedence over any other business and no motion for adjournment nor any other motion shall be entertained while it is proceeding and the House shall continue to meet if necessary beyond its ordinary daily time of adjournment, notwithstanding any Standing or Special Order, until a Speaker is declared elected (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

2. **Rule 4:** (*a*) A Member-elect, addressing the Clerk, shall propose another member-elect with legislative experience as member of the National Assembly to the House to be Speaker and shall move that such member-elect, "Do take the Chair of the House as Speaker of the House of Representatives (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

3. **Rule 4:** (*k*) All members-electshall participate in the elections of Speaker and Deputy Speaker (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

4. **Rule 9:** **Marginal note:**
Vacancy in the Offices of the Speaker or Deputy Speaker (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

5. **Rule 7:** Having been sworn in, the Speaker returns his acknowledgment to the House for the honour conferred upon him, and thereupon sits down on the Chair and then the Mace (which hitherto lay on the lower bracket) shall be laid on the upper bracket of the Table (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Order Two as amended, stand part of the Standing Orders— Agreed to.

ORDER FIVE

6. **Rule 17:** (3) A member shall address the House standing except he is physically challenged or at the discretion of the Presiding Officer (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Order Five as amended, stand part of the Standing Orders — Agreed to.

ORDER SEVEN

DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS OF OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE

7. **Rule 24:** (7) He shall interpret the Rules (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

8. **Rule 26:** **Method of Voting.**

(*g*) (*ii*) voting by secret ballot which shall be conducted by the Clerks-at-Table using the list of the Members of the House, who shall each be given a ballot paper to cast his vote, with the proposers and seconders as Tellers (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

9. **Procedure if more than two members are nominated.**

(*h*) When more than two members are nominated and seconded to be Speaker *Pro-Tempore*, the division shall be conducted in the manner prescribed in Order Seven Rule 3 (*g*) herein and the member who has received more than one-half of the votes shall be the Speaker *Pro-Tempore* elect. In the event of no member having received more than one half of the votes in the division, the name of the candidate having the smallest number of votes shall be excluded from subsequent divisions, a further division shall take place. The voting shall continue until one candidate is declared as Speaker *Pro-Tempore* elect by such majority (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Order Seven as amended, stand part of the Standing Orders — Agreed to.

ORDER SEVENTEEN

MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEES

10. Rule 107: Membership appointment:

(2) The maximum number of Members in a Committee shall be 30 except the Committees on Appropriations, Constituency Outreach, Federal Capital Territory (FCT), Federal Character, Public Petitions, Niger Delta Development Commission, House Services, Public Accounts and Internally Displaced Persons (IDP's) Refugees and Initiatives on North East Zone, each of which shall have a maximum of 40 Members (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to*.

11. Rule 112: (5) All Committee Meetings can only commence after 3.00 p.m, on every Legislative day, except as may be authorized by the House or the Speaker (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to*.

Question that Order Seventeen as amended, stand part of the Standing Orders — Agreed to.

ORDER EIGHTEEN

COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE

12. Delete the words "appointed or" wherever they appear in the Rules and leave only "constituted" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to*.

B. STANDING COMMITTEES

13. (*i*) Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutes.

(*a*) Change the name to "Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions.

(*b*) *Insert* "All Agricultural Research Institutes and Colleges", save those assigned to other Committees.

(*c*) oversight over the following:

(*i*) Agricultural and Rural Management Training Institute;

(*ii*) Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria;

(*iii*) Nigerian Institute of Animal Science;

(*iv*) National Veterinary Research Institute;

(*v*) Nigerian Stored Products Research Institute;

(*vi*) National Horticultural Research Institute;

(*vii*) Lake Chad Research Institute;

(*viii*) National Agricultural Extension Research and Liaison Services;

(*ix*) National Animal Production Research Institute;

(*v*) Institute of Agricultural Research;

(*vi*) Institute for Agricultural Research and Training;

(*vii*) Rubber Research Institute;

(*viii*) National Cereals Research Institute;

(*xiv*) National Institute for Freshwater Fisheries;

(*xv*) Cocoa Research Institute of Nigeria;

(*xvi*) National Roots Crops Research Institute;

(*xvii*) National Institute for Oil Palm Research;

(*xviii*) National Institute for Oceanography and Marine Research;

(*xix*) National College of Production Inspection Technology;

(*xx*) Federal College of Land Resources Technology;

(*xxi*) Federal College of Animal Health and Production Technology;

(*xxii*) Federal College of Agriculture;

(*xxiii*) Federal College Freshwater Fisheries Technology;

(*xxiv*) Federal Co-operative Colleges;

(*xxv*) All Agricultural Research Colleges and Institutions (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

14. Committee on Agricultural Production and Services.
Sub-Rule 2 (*b*) Agricultural Economics and Research. Delete "and Research".

Oversight over the following:

(*i*) activities, programmes and projects of the Federal Ministry responsible for Agriculture (Main);

(*ii*) Bank of Agriculture;

(*iii*) Office of the Permanent Representative, Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO);

(*iv*) Nigerian Agriculture Insurance Corporation;

(*v*) National Agricultural Seeds Council;

(*vi*) Federal Agricultural Co-ordinating Unit;

(*vii*) National Centre for Agricultural Mechanization;

(*viii*) Veterinary Council of Nigeria;

(*ix*) Agriculture and Food Security;

(*x*) National Quarantine Service;

(*xi*) Commercial Agricultural Scheme;

(*xii*) Fertilizer Matters;

(*xiii*) Strategic Grains Reserve Matters (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

15. Delete 2 (*e*) oversight of the Nigerian Sovereign Investment Authority (NSIA) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

16. Committee on Basic Education and Services.

(2) (*c*) National Business and Technical Examinations Board (NABTEB) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*).

Amendments Proposed:

(*i*) *Insert* a new Clause 16 (2) (*d*) as follows:
"The National Education Research and Development Council (NERDC)" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*).

Question that the amendment be made — Agreed to.

(*ii*) *Insert* a new Clause 16 (2) (*e*) as follows:
"The National Mathematical Centre" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*).

Question that the amendment be made — Agreed to.

Question that the amendment stand part of Clause 16 — *Agreed to.*

17. (v) Committee on Diaspora.

(*b*) Introduce as new "welfare and protection of Nigerian citizens abroad".

(*c*) Introduce as new "oversight over the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on Diaspora Matters".

(*d*) Introduce as new "annual budget estimates on Diaspora Matters" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

18. (*ix*) Committee on Narcotic Drugs.

(*a*) Change the name to "Committee on Narcotic Drugs".

(*b*) amend the existing Sub-Rule (*b*) to read "oversight of all organisations, agencies and institutions established by law on narcotic drugs, save those assigned to other Committees" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

19. (*vi*) Committee on Environment and Habitat.

Introduce as new 2 (*b*) "oversight of the National Oil Spill Detection Response Agency (NOSDRA)" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

20. (*viii*) Committee on Finance

Introduce as new 2 (*k*) Nigerian Sovereign Investment Authority (NSIA) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

21. (*ix*) **Committee on Foreign Affairs.**
Delete Sub-Rule (*k*) and *insert*:

(*k*) Diplomatic and Consular"Matters relating to Repatriation" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

22. (*x*) **Committee on Federal Judiciary.**
Delete Sub-Rule (2) (*c*) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

23. (*xi*) **Committee on FCT Judiciary.**
Delete Sub-Rule (2) (*c*) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

24. (*xii*) **Committee on Governmental Affairs.**
Introduce new items (*d*) - (*h*)

(*d*) oversight of lottery and gambling;

(*e*) oversight of the National Lottery Trust Fund;

(*f*) oversight of the National Lottery Regulatory Commission.

(*g*) oversight of the National Institute for Policy and Strategic Studies, (NIPSS) Kuru;

(*h*) oversight of the Administrative Staff College of Nigeria (ASCON) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

25. (*xiii*) **Committee On Maritime Safety, Education and Administration.**
Introduce as new "oversight of the Nigerian Shippers Council (NSC)" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

26. (*xiv*) **Committee on National Planning and Economic Development.**
Delete Sub-Rule 2 (*d*) "to formulate a comprehensive and effective national policy on the control of the nation's population growth" as it is under Committee on Population already as sub-rule 2 (*a*) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

27. (*xv*) **Committee on Ports, Harbours and Waterways.**
Introduce as new:

(*i*) National Inland Waterways Authority,

(*ii*) Council for the Regulation of Freight Forwarding (CRFF),

(*iii*) Delete 2 (*d*) Marine Service, and

(*f*) Nigerian Shippers Council (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

28. (*xvi*) **Committee on Rural Development.**
Introduce as new Sub-Rule.

(*i*) "oversight over Rural Telephony" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

29. (*xvii*) **Committee on Special Duties.**
Introduce as new 2 (*a*) "oversight of all matters relating to the Offices of the President and Vice President, save those assigned to other Committees" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

30. (*xviii*) **Committee on Tertiary Education and Services.**
Introduce as new:

(*i*) "National Board for Technical Education (NABTE)"

(*ii*) National Commission for Colleges of Education (NCCE) (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

31. (*xix*) **Committee on Petroleum Resources (Upstream).**
Delete "National Oil Spill Detection Response Agency (NOSDRA)" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

32. (*xx*) **Committee on Poverty Alleviation.**
Include as new (*b*):

Oversight the special intervention program of the government or any other similar or successor programme (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

33. (*xxi*) **Committee on Sports.**
Delete Sub-Rule 2 (*e*) "Lottery and gambling" (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

34. (*xxii*) The term "executive session" to be used for House Plenary while "closed session" to be used in Committees Meeting (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

35. (*xxiii*) (*a*) The term "President" is defined to eliminate repetition of the term.

(*b*) The term "Speaker" is defined to eliminate repetition of the term (*Hon. E. Y. Orker-Jev — Buruku Federal Constituency*) — *Agreed to.*

Question that Order Eighteen as amended, stand part of the Standing Orders — Agreed to.

Chairman to report proceedings.

(HOUSE IN PLENARY)

Mr Deputy Speaker in the Chair reported that the House in Committee of the Whole considered the Report of the Committee on Rules and Business on further amendment of the Standing Orders of the House of Representatives and approved Recommendations 1 - 15, approved Recommendation 16 as amended, approved Recommendations 17 - 35 of the Report.

Question that the House do adopt the Report of the Committee of the Whole — Agreed to.

11. **Adjournment**
That this House do adjourn the First Sitting till 3.15 *p.m.* (*Hon. Buba Umar Jibril — Deputy House Leader*).

The House adjourned accordingly at 2.50 *p.m.*

Yakubu Dogara
Speaker