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ON

# THE 2017 INTERNALLY GENERATED REVENUE AND BUDGET EXPENDITURE OF NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS ENFORCEMENT AGENCY

(NESREA)

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#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

Sequel to the Senate Resolution of Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2017, mandating Federal Government Corporations and Agencies to directly send their 2017 proposed IGR and Budget Expenditure to the relevant Standing Committees of National Assembly, the National Environmental Standards and Enforcement Agency (NESREA) forwarded its proposed 2017 Internally Generated Revenue (IGR) and Budget Expenditure as requested for further Legislative Action.

#### 2.0 BACK GROUND

Mr. President, Distinguished Senators,

The National Environmental Standards and Regulations Enforcement Agency as a Parastatal under the Federal Ministry of Environment was established in 2007 by an Act of National Assembly. The overall mandate of NESREA is to enforce all environmental laws, guidelines, policies, standards and regulations in Nigeria; and to prohibit processes and use of equipment or technology that undermine environmental quality.

The Senate may wish to note that the presentation of IGR/Budget Expenditure Proposal by Federal Government owned Corporations, Agencies to the National Assembly is commendable for the purpose of ensuring accountability and transparency and is in line with the Fiscal responsibility Act, 2007.

#### 3.0 MEMBERSHIP

1. Senator Oluremi Tinubu, OON	Chairman
2. Senator Ibrahim Bukar Abba	Member
3. Senator Suleiman Othman Hunkuyi	Member
4. Senator Foster Ogola	Member
5. Senator AbubakarKyari	Member
6. Senator Rose Oko	Member
7. Senator OvieOmo- Agege	Member
8. Senator Magnus Ngei-Abe	Member

#### **SECRETARIAT**

Sani L. Rimingado

Committee Clerk

#### 4.0 METHODOLOGY

In order to carry out this assignment the Committee adopted the following procedure:

- i. Requested the Agency (NESREA) to forward the 2016 IGR/ Budget Expenditure Performance and the 2017 IGR/ Budget Expenditure Proposal to the Committee for further Legislative Action.
- ii. After due consideration of the document(s) Submitted by the Agency, the Committee resolved to invite the Director General to appear before the Committee on **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2017** for the defence of the 2017 IGR/Expenditure Proposal of the Agency.
- iii. The session was attended by the Director General and other key officials of the Agency who responded to the Questions from Distinguished Members of the Committee.

#### 5.0 2016 IGR/BUDGET EXPENDITURE PERFORMANCE

#### 5.1 2016 INTERNALLY GENERATED REVENUE

The Agency achieved greatly by generating a total sum of \$\mathbb{N}561,380, 135.44 (Five Hundred and Sixty One Million, Three Hundred and Eighty Thousand, One Hundred and Thirty Five Naira, Forty Four Kobo only) at the end of 2016 through various sources which include Non-compliance Fee, National Regulation/ Audit Guideline/Admin Fees etc. This shows an increase of \$\mathbb{N}61, 734,795.22 (Sixty One Million, Seven Hundred and Thirty Four Thousand, Seven Hundred and Ninety Five Naira, Twenty Two Kobo Only) as against their projection for the year. This was achievable as a result of the diligent enforcement activities by the Agency.

#### 5.2 2016 IGR EXPENDITURE PERFORMANCE

The Agency expended the sum of N556, 542,335.37(Five Hundred and Fifty Six Million, Five Hundred and Forty Two Thousand, Three Hundred and Thirty Five Naira, Thirty Seven Kobo Only) out of the generated sum of N561, 380,135.44 (FiveHundred and Sixty One Million Three Hundred and Eighty Thousand One Hundredand Thirty Five, Forty Four Kobo Only), while the balance of the appropriation is N4,837,800.07 (Four Million, Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven Thousand, Eight Hundred Naira, Seven Kobo Only).

However, the agency's Expenditure include; 25% of the generated amount which goes to the Federation account as stipulated by the Act; outstanding payment of two years office rent of the Agency's Headquarters, four Zonal Offices across the Country; and 75% of the generated sum which was spent to augment its overhead cost in the 2016 Appropriation Act.

#### 6.0 2017 IGR/BUDGET EXPENDITURE PROPOSAL

#### 6.1 2017 INTERNALLY GENERATED REVENUE PROJECTION.

The National Environmental Standards and Regulations Enforcement Agency (NESREA) projected to generate the sum of \mathbb{\text{\text{867}}, 000,043.51(Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven Million and Forty Three Naira, Fifty One Kobo Only) for the year 2017 (see Appendix 1). The Agency has so far generated about two hundred Million Naira (\mathbb{\text{\tex{

#### 6.2 2017 PROPOSED EXPENDITURE

The Agency's expenditure for the year 2017 amounted to \$\frac{44650,402,500}{402,500}\$ (Six Hundred and Fifty Million, Four Hundred and Two Thousand And Five Hundred Naira Only). This would actually help to augment its overhead cost in the 2017 Appropriation Act and payment of two years NESREA Headquarters office rent and three States Zonal Offices located in Ondo, Nasarawa, and South East (See Appendix 2).

#### 7.0 OBSERVATION

In the course of carrying out this assignment, the Committee observed as follows:

- 1. That the 2017 IGR expenditure of the Agency is more focused on generating revenue rather than putting in more effort in saving the environment which is one of the core mandates of the Agency.
- 2. That the Agency needs to be more effective in carrying out its mandate and the implementation of safety measures within the Environment.

#### 8.0 RECOMMENDATION

After a successful deliberation, the Committee recommends as follows:

- 1. That the Agency should intensify efforts in securing land for office development from Federal Capital Development Agency (FCDA), in order to save cost of rent.
- 2. That the Agency's main Budget Expenditure items should reflect areas of its mandate.
- 3. The Internally Generated Revenue (IGR) projection of the Agency for the year 2017 in the sum of № 867, 000,043.51 (Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven Million, Forty Three Naira Fifty One Kobo) be approved for NESREA in 2017 financial year.
- 4. The Revenue Budget Expenditure of №650, 402,500 (Six Hundred and Fifty Million, Four Hundred and Two Thousand, Five Hundred Naira) of the Agency (NESREA) be approved in the 2017 financial year.

#### 9.0 CONCLUSION

The Committee wishes to thank the President of the Senate and Distinguished Colleagues for the opportunity given to serve in this capacity.



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#### **COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT**

**ENDORSEMENT SHEET:** 

DATE: 18 JULY, 2017

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	4	Air Quality/Waste and Toxic substance permit	33,722,825.70	52,425,192.10	83,880,307.36	100,656,368.83	120,787,642.60	
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	6	Consultant Registration/Accreditation	1,270,000.00	12,330,000.00	17,262,000.00	20,714,400.00	24,857,280.00	
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