



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

ORDER PAPER

Thursday 30 September 2021

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

BILLS

1. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Polytechnics Act, Cap. F17, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Establish Federal Polytechnic, Fagge Kano State to provide Opportunities for Technical Education in Furtherance of Government Economic Objective of Ensuring Efficient, Dynamic and Self-Reliant Economy; and for Related Matters (HB.711) – *Third Reading*.
2. A Bill for an Act to Establish National Hydrographic Agency to Carry out Hydrographic and Oceanographic Surveys, including Ocean Meteorology for National Defence; and for Related Matters (HB. 1021) – *Third Reading*.
3. A Bill for an Act to Establish Federal University of Agriculture and Entrepreneurship, Saki, Oyo State; and for Related Matters (HB. 548) – *Third Reading*.
4. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of Federal College of Education (Technical), Yauri, Kebbi State to Provide Full-Time Courses, Teaching, Instructions and Training in Technology, Applied

Science, Arts, Social Sciences, Humanities and Management to Carry out Research in the Development and Adaptation of Technologies; and for Related Matters (HB.629) – *Third Reading*.

5. A Bill for an Act to Provide the Legal Framework to Establish Federal Medical Centre, Akpugo, Nkanu West, Enugu State; and for Related Matters. (HB.1098) (*Hon. Nnolim Nnaji*) – *Second Reading*.
6. A Bill for an Act to Establish Federal Medical Centre, Zuru; and for Related Matters (HB. 1443) (*Hon. Kabir Ibrahim Tukura*) – *Second Reading*.
7. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Teachers Registration Council of Nigeria Act, Cap. T3, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Ensure that only Licensed or Registered and Qualified Persons who Exhibit thorough Professional Conduct Teach in Schools; and for Related Matters (HB. 308) (*Hon. Sulaiman Abubakar Gumi*) – *Second Reading*.

MOTIONS

8. **Urgent Need to Rehabilitate Avu-Etekwuru Road and Complete the Abandoned Oguta/Nnebukwu Bridge in Imo State:**
Hon. Uju Kingsley Chima:

The House:

Notes that Avu-Etekwuru road is a major road linking Ohaji/Egbema and Owerri-West Local Government Areas of Imo State and is also an access road for Multinational Oil Companies and over thirty (30) Communities in the two Local Government Areas;

Also notes that the Niger Delta Development Commission (NDDC) awarded contracts for the rehabilitation of Avu-Etekwuru Road and construction of a bridge across Oguta lake to link Nnebukwu Community and Egwe/Oguta Communities;

Further notes that legislative oversight have been carried out at the contract sites in the presence of the Acting Managing Director of the Niger Delta Development Commission (NDDC) and the contractors to ascertain the level of work done and the reasons for the undue delay in completing the projects;

Aware that the contracts were awarded over 15 years ago and the contractors were mobilized but no significant progress has been made at the sites as the contractors are demanding for an upward review of the contracts due to high cost of materials;

Worried that the Road has become impassable as it has deteriorated and in the process, cutting off the three neighbouring Local Government Areas of Ohaji/Egbema, Oguta and Owerri-West from other parts of Imo State;

Cognizant that if the road is not given the urgent attention it deserves, more lives and properties will be lost to, flooding in Avu and Etekwuru and other Communities where the construction of the bridge was abandoned in Oguta;

Resolves to:

- (i) Urge the Federal Roads Maintenance Agency (FERMA) to urgently rehabilitate the Avu-Etekwuru Road to ease free flow of traffic on the Road;

- (ii) also urge the Niger Delta Development Commission (NDDC) to urgently review and redesign the projects to conform with modern engineering designs and costs so that the jobs can resume in earnest;
- (iii) mandate the Committees on Niger Delta Development Commission (NDDC) and Federal Roads Maintenance Agency (FERMA) to liaise with the relevant agencies to ensure compliance.

**9. Alleged Police Brutality in Obinomba Community of Delta State:
Hon. Ossai Nicholas Ossai:**

The House:

Notes that on October 4, 2020, a video went viral showing officers of the disbanded Police Special Anti-Robbery Squad (SARS) dragging two men from a hotel and then shot one of them outside, which triggered a nation-wide #EndSARS protest that lasted for many weeks;

Also notes that following the End SARS protest, the United Nations (UN) and the European Union (EU) called for an end to police brutality in Nigeria;

Worried that at about 8:30 pm, on Friday, 24 September 2021, men of the Nigeria Police Force, without reason, allegedly shot sporadically into the air in Obinomba Community of Delta State before storming into a nearby hotel and murdered one Ojarikre Gift who was celebrating his birthday in the hotel;

Aware that the alleged killing led to massive protests by women and youths of the Community who erected barricades at several spots on the ever-busy Sapele-Agbor Expressway;

Disturbed that the reported murder is one out of many cases of extrajudicial killings in the country and violates the operational ethos of a modern Police Force;

Resolves to:

Mandate the Committee on Police Affairs to visit the bereaved family and conduct investigations into the circumstances surrounding the alleged killing in Obinomba Community of Delta State with a view to bringing the culprits to book and report back within three (3) weeks for further legislative action.

**10. Need to Investigate the Operational Activities of Public Health Institutions in the Federal Capital Territory (FCT), Abuja:
Hon. Mohammed Auwal Jatau:**

The House:

Notes that Public Health Institutions were established to control, manage and remedy healthcare challenges of Nigerians who have one form of sickness or the other;

Concerned that the Management of Public Health Institutions in the Federal Capital Territory rather than strengthening the Institutions for sustainability, engages in sharp practices where supplied drugs and medical facilities are misused or converted to personal use, thereby letting patients bear the brunt;

Also concerned that patients in Public Health Institutions in the Federal Capital Territory are compelled to donate blood for transfusion and pay heavily for laboratory tests, regardless of whether the blood is utilized or not for the purpose;

Worried that most of the drugs purchased by patients within the hospitals were attested to be sub-standard and expensive as the pharmacists, in collaboration with the Public Healthcare Institutions, diverted the standard drugs, hospital facilities and modern equipment to private clinics, while the hospitals remained neglected without government intervention.;

Disturbed by the irregularities perpetuated in the Federal Capital Territory Health Institutions where delivery kits are sold to pregnant women at the cost of six thousand naira and a bed space goes for between two to five thousand naira, depending on the location, which could be cheaper in private hospital;

Cognizant of the need to take necessary measures to address the irregularities ravaging the Public Healthcare Institutions in the Federal Capital Territory so as to restore public confidence in the Government;

Resolves to:

Mandate the Committee on Federal Capital Territory to investigate the irregularities in the operational activities of Public Health Institutions in the Federal Capital Territory and report back within two (2) weeks for further legislative action.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

11. **Committee on Tertiary Education and Services:**

Hon. Aminu Suleiman:

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Tertiary Education and Services on a Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of Federal College of Education (Technical) Ako, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State; and for Related Matters (HB 430) and approve the recommendations therein” (*Laid:1/7/2021*).

12. **Committee on Tertiary Education and Services:**

Hon. Aminu Suleiman:

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Tertiary Education and Services on a Bill for an Act to Establish Federal College of Agriculture, Malumfashi, Katsina State; and for Related Matters: (HB. 424) and approve the recommendations therein: (*Laid:1/7/2021*).

13. **Committee on Public Petitions:**

Report on the Petition by Onoriode Odjegba, Managing Director, Eurafic Energy Limited:

Hon. Jerry Alagbaoso:

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the petition by Onoriode Odjegba, Managing Director, Eurafic Energy Limited against the Hon. Minister of State for Petroleum Resources and Director, Department of Petroleum Resources and Petralon Energy Limited on Dawis Island Marginal Field and the Revocation of their Field License in April 2020 for failure to bring the Field into Production and approve the recommendations therein’ (*Laid:21/9/2021*);

- (i) Urge the Hon. Minister of State for Petroleum Resources and the Executive Director of Department of Petroleum Resources to review the revocation process of Eurafic Energy Limited operating licence and proffer an amicable solution that will take care of all the parties involved in the Joint Operating Agreement in the production and development of the oil field in question;
- (ii) that for justice, fairness and equity to prevail in the Joint Operating Agreement among the parties involved, the Federal Ministry of Petroleum Resources, through the Department of Petroleum Resources should ensure that the Field in question be awarded to both existing parties in the Joint Agreement.

14. Committee on Public Petitions:

Report on the Petition by Mr. Enwerem Lambert Ahamefule:

Hon. Jerry Alagbaoso:

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the petition by Mr. Enwerem Lambert Ahamefule against the Federal Institute of Industrial Research, Oshodi, Lagos on the victimization, impunity and abuse of office by the Board and Management of the Institute and approve the recommendations therein” (*Laid: 6/7/2021*);

- (i) Urge the Chairman, Board of the Federal Institute of Industrial Research, Oshodi (FIIRO) as well as the Director General/Chief Executive Officer, Federal Institute of Industrial Research, Oshodi to proffer amicable solution to the matter;
- (ii) that henceforth federal character principles be maintained in the employment and promotion of the Staff of the Institute.

15. Committee on Public Petitions:

Report on the Petition by Anangbashim Julius and Associates:

Hon. Jerry Alagbaoso:

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the petition by Anangbashim Julius and Associates on behalf of Dr Francis Sabastine Dekaa against the Director General/CEO of the Nigeria Meteorology Agency (NIMET) on the wrongful termination of his appointment and approve the recommendations therein” (*Laid: 6/7/2021*).

- (i) Urge the Director General, NIMET to review the report of the Committee that recommended the termination of the Appointment of Dr. Francis Sabastine Dekaa because the termination was carried out without exhausting due process;
- (ii) reinstate him back to the Service of the Nigeria Meteorology Agency (NIMET) and pay him all salary and entitlements or post him back to the Federal Civil Service Commission if his services were no longer required at the Nigeria Meteorology Agency;
- (iii) urge the Permanent Secretary of the Federal Civil Service Commission to recall Dr. Francis Sabastine Dekaa and redeploy him to a relevant Agency where his services are needed as the country cannot throw away an asset like Dr. Francis Sabastine Dekaa whom the Government had heavily used taxpayer money to invest on and develop.

16. Committee on Public Petitions:

Report on the Petition by TETFUND Sponsored Stranded Scholars:

Hon. Jerry Alagbaoso:

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the petition by TETFUND Sponsored Stranded Scholars against the Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFUND) on the Appeal to reconsider reimbursing the remaining 2013/2014 TETFUND Sponsored Scholars and approve the recommendation therein” (*Laid: 6/7/2021*).

Urge the Executive Secretary of TETFUND to pay the Sponsored Scholars stranded as a result of the upsurge of exchange rate, the balance of the money owed them.

17. Committee on Public Petitions:

Report on the Petition by Nnaemeka Ejiofor and Associates:

Hon. Jerry Alagbaoso:

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Public Petitions on the Petition by Nnaemeka Ejiofor and Associates on behalf of the Management of Seals Consultants against the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) on the determination and management Information of dormant account balance within the Nigerian Financial System and approve the recommendations therein” (*Laid: 9/12/2020*).

- (i) Urge the Central Bank of Nigeria to come up with a draft bill for establishment of Dormant Account Trust Fund that will enable the Management of seals consults operate under a legal entity;
- (ii) also urge the Central Bank of Nigeria to review the Petitioners' contract services rendered so far on the establishment of Dormant Account Trust Fund Company, a project which Seals Consults (Managing Director), a former Staff of Central Bank of Nigeria with the knowledge of banking system has initiated be compensated for his unrelented effort that took them seven years to develop.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

S/N	Committee(s)	Date	Time	Venue
1.	Rules and Business	Thursday, 30 September 2021	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 (White House) Assembly Complex
2.	Public Petitions (<i>Investigative Hearing</i>)	Thursday, 30 September 2021	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 429 (New Building) Assembly Complex
3.	Environment	Thursday, 30 September 2021	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 247 (New Building) Assembly Complex
4.	Aids, Loans and Debts Management	Thursday, 30 September 2021	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 201 (New Building) Assembly Complex