



# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA ORDER PAPER Wednesday 2 March 2022

---

1. Prayers
  2. National Pledge
  3. Approval of the Votes and Proceedings
  4. Oaths
  5. Messages from the President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (if any)
  6. Messages by the Senate of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (if any)
  7. Messages from Other Parliament(s) (if any)
  8. Other Announcements (if any)
  9. Petitions (if any)
  10. Matters of Urgent Public Importance
  11. Personal Explanation
- 

## PRESENTATION OF BILLS

1. Civil Defence Corps, Correctional, Federal Fire and Immigration Services Board Bill, 2022 (HB. 1859) (*Executive*) – *First Reading*.
2. Federal University of Education (Technical) Gombe, Gombe State (Establishment) Bill, 2022 (HB. 1880) (*Hon. Abubakar Yunusa Ahmad*) – *First Reading*.
3. National HIV Trust Fund (Establishment) Bill, 2022 (HB. 1881) (*Hon. Ibrahim Makama Misau*) – *First Reading*.
4. Tertiary Education Trust Fund Act (Amendment) Bill, 2022 (HB. 1882) (*Hon. Beni Lar*) – *First Reading*.
5. Violence Against Persons (Prohibition) Act (Amendment) Bill, 2022 (HB. 1883) (*Hon. Ganiyu Abiodun Johnson*) – *First Reading*.
6. Standards Organization of Nigeria Act (Amendment) Bill, 2022 (HB. 1884) (*Hon. Ganiyu Abiodun Johnson*) – *First Reading*.
7. Federal University of Environmental Sciences, Bekwarra, Cross River State (Establishment) Bill, 2022 (HB. 1885) (*Hon. Legor Idagbo*) – *First Reading*.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY BILLS

1. A Bill for an Act to Establish Maritime University, Okerenkoko; and for Related Matters (HB. 1133) (*Senate*) – *Second Reading*.
2. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Examination Malpractices Act, Cap. E15, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Enact the Examination Malpractices Bill to Expand Offences Relating to Examination Malpractices and Prescribe Adequate Punishment; and for Related Matters (HB. 1735) (*Hon. Olarewaju Ibrahim Kunle*) – *Second Reading*.
3. A Bill for an Act to Amend the University Teaching Hospitals (Reconstitution of Boards Etc.) Act, Cap. U15, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Restructure the Composition of the Governing Board, Review the Nomenclature of the Heads of the Hospitals, Redefine the Qualifications of the Heads of the Hospitals, Provide a Definite Tenure of Office of the Heads of the Hospitals, including Students of Health Sciences in the Training Programmes of the Hospitals and include Hospitals Established Post-Enactment of the Extant Legal Framework in the Schedule; and for Related Matters (HB. 1221) (*Hon. Bamidele Salam*) – *Second Reading*.
4. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of Nigerian Military Academy, Umuoma (Okpo), Igbo-Eze North, Enugu State to be a Military Institution with Power to Award Degrees in accordance with the Academic Standards prescribed by the National Universities Commission; and for Related Matters (HB.1573) (*Hon. Simon Chukwuemeka Atigwe*) – *Second Reading*.

## MOTIONS

5. **Need to Investigate the Duplication of Functions of Agencies of the Federal Government:**  
**Hon. Tahir Mohammed Monguno:**

**The House:**

*Notes* that Section 153(1) of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) established certain Federal Executive Bodies and Section 4(2) of the 1999 Constitution empowers the National Assembly to repeal obsolete laws and enact new ones for the good governance of the Federation;

*Aware* that Nigeria has been gaining on the world index of Ease of Doing Business (EDB) rising from the 145<sup>th</sup> position in 2019 to 131<sup>st</sup> in 2020, hence there is a need to consolidate on this improvement;

*Worried* that with the existence of about 1,484 Agencies, Departments, Boards, Parastatals and Corporations in the country with the attendant duplication of functions and clash of interests, there is a likelihood of the latest World Bank annual ratings to slide considerably;

*Believes* in the need for stock-taking and review the functions of all government Agencies:

*Resolves to:*

Set up an *Ad-hoc* Committee to:

- (i) investigate duplication of duties, overlapping functions and counter-productivity of established Agencies, Departments, Boards, Parastatals and Corporations in the country;
- (ii) ascertain root cause analysis of the regular bickering among some established Agencies, Departments, Boards, Parastatals and Corporations in the country;
- (iii) establish areas of mergers, synergies and justification of the existence of some established Agencies, Departments, Boards, Parastatals and Corporations, which are no longer needed in the country and report back within six (6) weeks for further legislative action.

**6. Call for Investigation to Ascertain the Status of Returned Artifacts in Nigeria:****Hon. Ibrahim A. Isiaka:****The House:**

*Notes* that after several years, most countries are gradually returning artifacts and artworks looted from Nigeria during the colonial era, which have been on display in museums across the world;

*Recalls* the role of the National Assembly through a Motion on Wednesday, December 7, 2016 calling for an investigation of Nigeria's lost artifacts for which an Ad-hoc Committee was constituted to ensure the return of those artifacts;

*Believes* that with the gradual return of the masterpieces, there is a need to acknowledge the role played by the House of Representatives on the historical outcome of their efforts;

***Resolves to:***

Reconstitute the *Ad-hoc* Committee on Stolen Artefacts from the country to liaise with relevant stakeholders to ascertain the current status of stolen Nigerian Artefacts and report back within Twelve (12) weeks for further legislative action.

**7. Urgent Need to Provide Emergency Clinics along Federal Highways Across the Federation:****Hon. Mallam Bukar Gana:****The House:**

*Notes* that Road traffic accidents have become a global public health concern but not enough attention is given to it in terms of public health enlightenment and strategic policies by the government to achieve sustainable control;

*Also notes* that although some accidents are inevitable, a lot can be done to minimize fatalities through the establishment of functional road traffic clinics across the States of the federation;

*Aware* that the Federal Government is constitutionally bound to protect lives and properties of its citizens by providing security and essential amenities amongst others, and Section 10(3)(q) of the Federal Road Safety Commission Act empowers the Federal Road Safety Commission to provide roadside and mobile clinics for the free treatment of road accident victims within the nation;

*Also aware* that the Federal Road Safety Commission was established to, amongst other things, rescue road accident victims from the crash site, administer first aid treatment, and operate road accident clinics to treat minor accident cases and stabilize critical victims before transferring them to the nearest hospitals;

*Concerned* that there are only forty-seven traffic accident clinics across Nigeria, fifteen of which are furnished but non-functional, fourteen (14) are not furnished and non-functional, while only 18 are furnished and functional;

*Also concerned* that according to the Nigeria Bureau of Statistics (NBS), 11,363 accidents were recorded in 2016 with a total number of 30,105 injured victims out of which 28,250 were adults, 1,855 were children, while 5,053 people lost their lives;

*Worried* that the deplorable state of major highways and reckless driving occasioned by over speeding, drunkenness, and total disregard of traffic rules by commuters have contributed to incessant road accidents, and the country requires functional clinics to prevent needless deaths;

*Also worried* that the available roadside clinics are grossly insufficient to cater for the medical needs of commuters as the functional ones are poorly managed, and commuters will continue to die needlessly for lack of immediate medical attention;

***Resolves to:***

- (i) Urge the Federal Government to establish and adequately equip more Emergency Clinics for Road Accident Victims on Federal highways across the Federation;

- (ii) also urge the Federal Road Safety Commission to liaise with the Federal Ministry of works and Housing, and States Emergency Management Authorities to ensure that accident victims receive quick medical attention;
- (iii) mandate the Committee on Federal Road Safety Commission to ensure compliance.

## 8. Need to Construct Rail Tracks to Dangote Refinery, Lagos:

**Hon. Akinola Moshood Kayode:**

### **The House:**

*Notes* that the Dangote Group is constructing a refinery in the Lekki Free Zone in Lagos-State, which is projected to be a 650,000 barrels per day, integrated refinery and petrochemical facility, and is expected to be Africa's biggest oil refinery as well as the world's biggest single-train facility upon completion;

*Also notes* that the refinery is expected to process a variety of light and medium grades crude oil to produce Euro-V quality clean fuels including gasoline and diesel as well as jet fuel and polypropylene; Further notes that the refinery, upon completion, will double Nigeria's refinery capacity as well as provide job opportunities for thousands of Nigerians;

*Aware* that the refinery has access roads, pipeline systems, tank storage facilities, crude oil, and product handling facilities, thus high traffic is expected on that axis;

*Concerned* that considering the usual heavy traffic situation on the Lekki axis of Lagos State, the influx of activities that the Dangote refinery will bring would result in serious traffic congestion, hence an alternative means of transportation needs to be provided to prevent unending gridlocks;

### *Resolves to:*

- (i) Urge the Federal Government to construct a rail track to the Dangote Refinery to mitigate the traffic gridlocks that may arise with the use of only road transportation by constructing Rail Tracks to Dangote Refinery, Lagos;
- (ii) mandate the Committees on Works and Land Transport to ensure compliance.

## 9. Need to Complete the Hajj Terminal of the Sultan Abubakar III International Airport, Sokoto:

**Hon. Balarebe Shehu Kakale**

**SHon. Balarabe Abdullahi Salame**

**Hon. Kokani Bala**

**Hon. Yakubu Muhammad Bello**

**Hon. Yusuf Tanko Sununu**

**Hon Kabiru Yahaya**

**Hon. Ahmed Shehu**

**Hon. Kabiru Yahaya**

**Hon. Maishinko Mani**

**Hon. Mohammed Saidu Bargaja**

**Hon Jega Muhammed Umar**

**Hon. Ibrahim Tukura Kabir**

**Hon. Hassan Bello Shinkafi**

**Hon. Ahmed Muhammad Bakura**

**Hon. Abubakar Sulaiman Gumi**

**Hon Sani Umar Dan-Galadima:**

### **The House:**

*Notes* that the Sultan Abubakar III International Airport, Sokoto is the third busiest Airport in the North and a major International passenger feeder to Abuja and Kano with its strategic location in the Northwestern aerospace of Nigeria, and plays a strategic role in growth and economic development of the Nation;

*Also notes* that the Airport has the largest Hajj Terminal serving three States with additional aviation auxiliary functions to Abuja, Kano, Kaduna and Kebbi Airports and handling over 10,000 International Hajj and Umrah passengers annually;

*Aware* that considering the strategic importance of the Airport, contracts were awarded in 2013 to upgrade and build a standard Hajj terminal as required by National and International Aviation Regulations;

*Concerned* that nine years after the award, the Hajj Terminal is still under construction with dire need of necessary facilities such as access roads, parking spaces, lightings, fence, offices, and other public conveniences;

*Also concerned* that the acute shortage of operational and security staff and personnel, the non-functioning approach Lighting System for night movements, lack of perimeter fencing and other Aviation safety and security infrastructure at the Airport will hamper operations, especially considering the fast-approaching 2022 Hajj;

*Cognizant* that the single lane Airport Access Road needs to be dualized, with street lights as well as security gadgets including patrol vehicles, and other passenger safety measures ought to be installed especially as regards COVID-19 protocols;

*Commend* Gugari, Amanawa, Fatakori, Bagarawa, Kolalo, Dan Dogo, Ruggar kura, Tuntube, Tsehe, Gangarau, Girgiri, Shuni, Ruggar Busau, Madorawa and Gidan Boiyya communities for their continued support and vigilance in terms of security at the Sultan Abubakar III International Airport, Sokoto State;

*Resolves to:*

- (i) Urge the Federal Government to intensify efforts to complete the International Hajj Terminal, adequately equip and repair all faulty Aviation Navigation and safety instruments at the Sultan Abubakar Internal Airport, Sokoto State before the commencement of the 2022 Hajj;
- (ii) mandate the Committees on Aviation and Pilgrimage Affairs to ensure compliance.

**10. Urgent Need to Replace the Power Sub-Station (Power Plant) at the Jos University Teaching Hospital (JUTH):**

**Hon. Dachung Musa Bagos:**

**The House:**

*Notes* that Jos University Teaching Hospital (JUTH) is a health institution providing medical services and training of medical students, it also experienced an influx of patients and receives a large number of patients based on referrals from other hospitals that are not equipped or certified to handle some certain ailments;

*Also notes* that Jos University Teaching Hospital (JUTH) was established in 1975 as a Federal Government general hospital and currently has eight faculties with an average yearly student intake of 3,500;

*Aware* that on 21 February 2022 a fire outbreak occurred at the Jos University Teaching Hospital powerhouse due to power surge and protection failure which led to the destruction of power plants;

*Also aware* that the fire outbreak destroyed equipment worth hundreds of millions of naira while some of the staff are currently receiving medical treatment;

*Also concerned* that one of the staff of the works department on night duty inhaled too much carbon monoxide gas, has been unconscious and presently in ICU receiving treatment;

*Concerned* that at the moment there is a total power blackout which is already affecting the efficacy of work thereby slowing necessary treatments which ought to be given to patients both on admission and outdoor patients;

*Also concerned* that some key activities will be paralyzed if swift action in ensuring the immediate restoration of power is not restored within the shortage possible time;

*Resolves to:*

- (i) Urge the Federal Ministry of Health to immediately replace the burnt down equipment through special intervention;
- (ii) also urge the Federal Ministry of Power to urgently install new power plants and restore power supply to the teaching hospitals;

- (iii) mandate Committees on Health Institutions to investigate the cause of the fire outbreak and the extent of damage and report back within two (2) weeks;
- (iv) also mandate Committees on Health Institutions and Power to ensure compliance.

---

## CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

11. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of National Child Protection and Enforcement Agency; and for Related Matters (HB. 288) *Committee of the Whole: 29/10/2019.*
- 

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

S/N	Committee(s)			Date	Time	Venue
1.	Rules and Business			Wednesday 2 March 2022	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 (White House) Assembly Complex
2.	Public Hearing)	Petitions	(Investigative	Wednesday 2 March 2022	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 429 (New Building) Assembly Complex