



# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA ORDER PAPER

Wednesday 24 May, 2023

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## PRESENTATION OF REPORT

**Report of the Conference Committee on the Repeal of Quarantine Act and Enactment of Public Health Emergency Bill, 2023:**

**Hon. Olarewaju Ibrahim Kunle:**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Conference Committee on a Bill for an Act to Repeal the Quarantine Act and Enact the Public Health Emergency Act, make provisions Relating to Quarantine and make Regulations for Preventing the Introduction into and spread in Nigeria of declared Infectious Diseases, and for Related Matters”.

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## ORDERS OF THE DAY

### BILLS

1. A Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Federal Capital Territory Administration's Statutory Revenue Fund of the Federal Capital Territory Administration Account, the total sum of ₦579,693,907,532.00 (five hundred and seventy nine billion, six hundred and ninety–three million, nine hundred and seven thousand, five hundred and thirty–two Naira) only, of which the sum of ₦78,135,703,531.00 (seventy–eight billion, one hundred and thirty–five million, seven hundred and three thousand, five hundred and thirty–one Naira) only, is for personnel costs; and the sum of ₦122,513,919,180.00 (one hundred and twenty–two billion, five hundred and thirteen million, nine

hundred and nineteen thousand, one hundred and eighty Naira) only, is for overhead costs; while the balance of ₦379,044,284,822.00 (three hundred and seventy–nine billion, forty four million, two hundred and eighty–four thousand, eight hundred and twenty–two Naira) only, is for Capital Projects; for the service of the Federal Capital Territory, Abuja, for the financial year commencing from 1 January and ending on 31 December, 2023 – *Third Reading*.

2. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Exclusive Economic Zone Act, Cap. E17, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and the Territorial Waters Act, Cap. T5, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Enact the Nigerian Maritime Zones Act to Provide for the Maritime Zones of Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB. 1779) (*Senate*) (*Leader*) – *Third Reading*.
3. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Orthopaedic Hospitals Management Board Act, Cap. O10, laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to provide for Establishment of the National Orthopaedic Hospital, Ukpokwu, Anambra State and the National Orthopaedic Hospital, Ihitte, Ihitte-Uboma, Imo State and for Related Matters (HB.2189) – *Third Reading*.
4. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Medical Centers Act and Establish Federal Medical Center Uli, Anambra State and for Related Matters (HB. 2194) – *Third Reading*.
5. A Bill for an Act to Establish National Institute for Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Okota, Isolo, Lagos State and for Related Matters (HB.1912) – *Third Reading*.
6. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Medical Centers Act and Establish Federal Medical Centre, Ejigbo, Lagos State to Provide for Legal Framework for the Administration and Management of the Centre and for Related Matters (HB.1913) – *Third Reading*.
7. A Bill for an Act to Establish National Youth Service Corps Trust Fund (NYSCTF) for the purpose of providing a Sustainable Source of Funds for the National Youth Service Corps, Skill Acquisition, Training and Empowerment of Corps Members, Training and Retraining of the Personnel of the National Youth Service Corps, Development of Camps and NYSC formations and Facilities therein and for Related Matters (HB. 1795) – *Third Reading*.
8. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Nigerian Education Bank Act and Enact the Students’ Loan (Access to Higher Education) Act to Provide Easy Access to Higher Education for Indigent Nigerians through Interest-Free Loans from the Nigerian Education Loan Fund Established in this Act with a view to Provide Education for all Nigerians and for Related Matters (HB. 06) – *Third Reading*.
9. A Bill for an Act to Establish Office of Budget Management of the Federation and to Provide a Legal Framework for Budget Process Management in the Federal Government of Nigeria to ensure effective Regulation of Budget Preparation, Presentation, Implementation and Auditing and for Related Matters. (HB. 2063) – *Third Reading*.
10. A Bill for an Act to Establish Nigerian Health Infrastructure Development Fund, to enhance and Promote the Health and well-being of Nigerians from all walks of life and boost Local Healthcare capacity through the provision of critical Health Infrastructure and for Related Matters (HB. 908) – *Third Reading*.
11. A Bill for an Act to Provide a Legal Framework for the Protection of Personal Information and establish the Nigeria Data Protection Commission for the Regulation of the Processing of the Personal Information and For Related Matters (HB. 2203) – *Third Reading*.
12. A Bill for an Act to Provide that 10% of Jobs available in all Federal Government Ministries, Departments, Agencies and Companies be distributed among the physically challenged persons in Nigeria where such Persons apply and are Qualified for the Job and for Related Matters (HB. 02) – *Third Reading*.

13. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Medical Residency Training Act and for Related Matters (HB.2205) (*Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila, Hon. Tanko Yusuf Sunnunu & Hon. Samuel Babatunde Adejare*) – *Second Reading*.
14. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Fire Service Act, Cap. F29, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Enact the Federal Fire and Rescue Service Bill and for Related Matters (HB.2218) (*Leader*) – *Second Reading*.
15. A Bill for an Act to provide for Establishment of the National Veterinary Research Institute, Gombe, charged with the Responsibility of facilitating research in Animal Diseases, Treatment, Control, Nutrition and Standardisation of Manufactured Animal Feeds and for Related Matters (HB.2212) (*Senate*) – *Second Reading*.
16. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of Institute of Information and Communication Technology, Nsu, Ehime-Mbano, Imo State and for Related Matters (HB.2213) (*Senate*) – *Second Reading*.
17. A Bill for an Act to Establish Micro Biology Council of Nigeria to Provide for the Control of its Membership and to Promote and Foster the Practice of Micro Biology in the Federation and for Related Matters (HB.2222) (*Senate*) – *Second Reading*.
18. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Explosives Act 1964 and Enact the Explosives Act, to Regulate the Manufacture, Storage, Possession, Use, Distribution, Purchase, Sale, Transportation, Importation and Exportation of Explosives and for Related Matters (HB.2220) (*Senate*) – *Second Reading*.
19. A Bill for an Act to Amend the National Institute for Legislative Studies Act, No.13, 2011 to, among other things, expand the Mandate of the Institute to Conduct Induction/Refresher Courses for Newly Elected Members of the National/State Houses of Assembly, Promotion Examination for Staff of the National Assembly and National Assembly Service Commission, Institutionalise Legislative Mentorship to Strengthen Democratic Governance and for Related Matters (HB.2221) (*Hon. Jihmon O. Abdul and Hon. Henry Nwawuba*) – *Second Reading*.
20. A Bill for an Act to Amend the National Assembly Library Trust Fund (Establishment) Act, No. 11 of 2022 to provide for Additional Source of Fund for the Management of the Library to enhance the Capacity Legislators and National Assembly staff and for Related Matters (HB.2223) (*Hon. Henry Nwawuba and Jonathan Gbwefi*) – *Second Reading*.
21. A Bill to Repeal the National Fertilizer Quality Control Act, No 23, 2019 and Enact the National Fertilizer and Agricultural Pesticide Control Bill to provide an Improved Regulatory Framework for the Manufacture, Importation, Sale and Distribution of Fertilizer and Agricultural Pesticides in Nigeria; and for Related Matters (HB.2224) (*Hon. Olarewaju Ibrahim Kunle*) – *Second Reading*.

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## MOTIONS

22. **Call on the Federal Road Safety Corps to Mitigate the Rising Number of Accidents along the Bauchi-Maiduguri Highway:**  
**Hon. Mansur Manu Soro:**

**The House:**

*Notes* that the primary responsibility of government is to protect lives and properties and provide for the general welfare of citizens;

*Informed* that Darazo/Ganjuwa Federal Constituency is geographically located along the Bauchi-Maiduguri highway to the east, Bauchi-Kano highway to the north and Darazo-Gombe highway to the south;

*Worried* about the rising number of motor accidents along the three federal highways with resultant loss of lives and properties;

*Also worried* about the available statistics which reveals that between January 2021 to December 2022, not fewer than 204 cases of road accidents were recorded on the three federal highways involving 1,895 persons out of which 237 deaths were recorded;

*Concerned* about the inadequate presence of the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) personnel along the affected federal highways and the lack of sufficient working facilities;

*Disturbed* that unless the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) rise to the challenge to address the situation, the loss of lives will continue unabated.

*Resolves to:*

- (i) Urge the Federal Road Safety Corps to provide office accommodations, and mobility and deploy additional personnel along the affected highways;
- (ii) also urge the Federal Road Safety Corps to complete and equip their office edifice located at Zalanga along the Bauch-Maiduguri highway;
- (iii) further urge the Federal Road Safety Corps to provide safety signages on dangerous areas of the affected highways and work with the Government of Bauchi State, transport unions and other stakeholders to sensitize road users on obligations of making roads safe for users.

**23. Need to Investigate the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Trade and Investment for Unauthorized Virement and Illegal Utilization of Funds Appropriated for ZIP 20221459 in the Appropriation Act 2022:  
Hon. Gaza Jonathan Gbefwi:**

**The House:**

*Notes that* all funds appropriated for, and assented to in the Appropriation Act must be utilised for the item they were appropriated for in the Appropriation Act;

*Also notes* that it is only via a corrigendum from the National Assembly that funds appropriated for a particular item can be used or applied elsewhere;

*Aware that* the Federal Ministry of Finance has funded ZIP projects 100% and all contractors with certificates of completion of such projects should have been paid according to certified work done;

*Worried* that after the said contractor who was fully awarded the contract for ZIP 20221459, successfully completed the job and was certified by the Ministry of Trade and Investments, the Ministry refused to pay the contractor;

*Concerned* that the said contractor borrowed funds and is facing a debt crisis which is the story of a lot of our starting business enterprises that have been run out of business due to the insensitive attitude of some ministries and government agencies;

*Also aware that* the office of the Accountant General of the Federation has released all funds as contained in a letter written to my office on request;

*Cognizant that* it is against the laws of the Federal Republic of Nigeria to use funds appropriated for an item for another item in the budget as unauthorized Virement of funds is an offence under the laws;

*Resolves to:*

- (i) urge the Federal Government to mandate all Ministries Departments and Agencies (MDAs) and Parastatals government to work on creating a system that ensures prompt payment of

- contractors after completing their jobs satisfactorily and also facilitate a fair and transparent system of payment that is accessible to all, regardless of their size;
- (ii) mandate the Committee on Trade and Investment to call on the Ministry of Trade and Investment, to pay the Contractor without further delay;
  - (iii) also mandate the Committee to investigate Permanent Secretary who is the chief Accounting Officer of the Ministry of Trade and Investment for the unauthorized utilization of funds appropriated for the ZIP 20221459.
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## CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

- 24. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria Act, Cap. A12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to make provision for Establishment of Federal College of Agriculture, Geidam and for Related Matters (HB.1277) – *Committee of the Whole: 4/5/2023*).
- 25. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Revenue Mobilization, Allocation and Fiscal Commission Act, Cap. R7 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Enact the Revenue Mobilization, Allocation and Fiscal Commission Bill to Grant the Commission Enforcement Powers in the Monitoring of Accruals to and Disbursement of Revenue from the Federation Account and to bring the Act in conformity with the provisions of the 1999 Constitution (as amended) and for Related Matters (HB. 2214 (*Senate*) – *Committee of the Whole: 4/5/4/2023*).
- 26. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Produce (Enforcement of Export Standards) Act, Cap. P32 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Enact the Federal Produce Inspection Service (Enforcement of Export Standards) (Establishment) Bill, 2023 to Provide for the Inspection and Enforcement of Grades and Quality Standards of Produce and Commodities intended for Export from Nigeria at Ports of Shipment and for Related Matters (HB. 2166) (*Leader*) – *Committee of the Whole: 23/5/2023*.
- 27. A Bill for an Act to Amend Relevant Tax, Excises and Duty Statutes in line with the Macroeconomic Policy Reforms of the Federal Government, and make further Provisions in specific Laws in Connection with the Public Financial Management of the Federation and for Related Matters (HB. 1757) (*Leader*) – *Committee of the Whole: 4/5/2023*.
- 28. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection Act and Enact the Safety and Radiation Bill, 2019 by Establishing the Nigerian Nuclear Regulatory Authority to Provide for Nuclear Security and Safeguards and for Related Matters (HB. 586) (*Hon. Edwin Anayo*) – *Committee of the Whole:3/5/2023*.
- 29. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the National Commission for Museums and Monuments Act, Cap. N19 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Enact the National Commission for Museums and Monuments Act, 2022 to Reposition the Commission to meet Current Realities in Heritage Resource Management and for Related Matters (*Hon. Dachung Musa Bagos*) – *Committee of the Whole:18/1/2023*.
- 30. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Nigerian Minerals and Mining Act, No. 20, 2007 and enact the Nigerian Minerals and Mining Act, 2023 for the effective regulation of all aspects of the exploration and exploitation of minerals to provide for a conducive environment for investment in the mineral and mining sector in Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB.87) (*Hon. Abubakar Hassan Fulata*) – *Committee of the Whole: 4/10/2022*.
- 31. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of Nigeria Weight and Measures Regulatory Agency; and for Related Matters (HB. 2183) (*Hon. Olufemi Fakeye*) – *Committee of the Whole: 5/4/2023*.
- 32. A Bill for an Act to Establish Federal Polytechnic, Ayede, Oyo State and to make Comprehensive Provisions for its Due Management and Administration; and for Related Matters (HB.1800) (*Hon. Odebummi Olusegun.*) – *Committee of the Whole: 23/5/2023*.

**33. Report of the Conference Committee on the Repeal of Quarantine Act and Enactment of Public Health Emergency Bill 2023:**

**Hon.**

“That the House do consider the Report of the Conference Committee on a Bill for an Act to Repeal the Quarantine Act and Enact the Public Health Emergency Act, make provisions Relating to Quarantine and make Regulations for Preventing the Introduction into and spread in Nigeria of declared Infectious Diseases, and for Related Matters and approve recommendations therein”

**34. Committee on Industry:**

**Hon. Enitan Dolapo Badiru:**

“The House do consider the Report of the Committee on Industry on a Bill for an Act to Repeal the Standards Organisation of Nigeria Act, No.14 of 2015 and Enact the Standards Organisation of Nigeria Act, 2023 for the Purpose of Providing Additional Functions for the Organisation, Creating New Offences and Increasing Penalties for Offences Relating to Standardization and for Related Matters (HBs 2169, 1749 and 1884) and approve recommendations therein” (*Laid:23/5/2023*).

**35. Committee on Commerce:**

**Hon. Femi Fakeye:**

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Commerce on a Bill for an Act to Establish Nigerian Institute for Industrial Security and for Related Matters (HB 2083) and approve recommendations therein” (*Laid:24/11/2022*).

**36. Ad-hoc Committee on the Volume of Fuel Consumed Daily in the Country:**

**Hon. Abdulkadir Sa’ad Abdullahi:**

“That the House do consider the Report of the *Ad-hoc* Committee on the Volume of Fuel Consumed Daily in the Country and the Need to Ascertain the Actual Daily Consumption of Premium Motor Spirit (PMS) in Nigeria and approve recommendations therein”(*Laid: 4/5/2023*).

**1. Findings Relating to Supply of Premium Motor Spirit**

the Table below (Table 7.1.1) contains information extracted from the NNPC Submission in comparison with the NMDPRA, NUPRC, NN and NCS relating to the crude oil lifted under the DSDP program operated by the NNPC within the period of Year 2016-2021.

**Crude Lifted under DSDP Swap Agreement 2016-2021**

YEAR	ALLOCATED LIFTED QUOTA OF CRUDE (BBL) NUPRC RECORD	CRUDE (BBL) NUPRC RECORD	CRUDE (BBL) NNPC RECORD	CRUDE (BBL) NMDPRA RECORD	CRUDE (BBL) NN RECORD	CRUDE (BBL) NCS RECORD
2016	162,425,000	101,177,505	81,108,667	101,177,505		18,800,140
2017	162,425,000	101,547,982	100,671,980	100,606,473	140,743,733	157,883,881
2018	162,425,000	119,836,075	117,933,390	119,836,075	91,924,989	211,413,588
2019	162,425,000	115,740,532	149,421,189	116,262,259	270,968,268	11,423,976.359
2020	162,425,000	152,588,325	150,154,308	152,066,598	471,481,705	40,079,043.959
2021	162,425,000	142,370,106	139,469,660	142,370,106	14,443,500	59,047,294
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>974,550,000</b>	<b>733,260,525</b>	<b>738,759,194</b>	<b>732,319,016</b>	<b>989,562,195</b>	<b>498,647,923.318</b>

- (a) the sum total of 974,550,000 (BBL) of crude was designated as the Domestic quota for the year 2016-2021 available for the DSDP program, from the record of NUPRC,
- (b) the total sum of crude lifted under the DSDP program within 2016-2021 from the record of NNPC was 738,759,194 (BBL) while:
- (i) the record from the NUPRC indicates a sum total of 733,260,525 (BBL), with a difference of 5,498,669 (BBL) when compared with the NNPC record,
- (ii) the record from the NMDPRA indicates a sum total of 732,319,016 (BBL), with a difference of 6,440,178 (BBL) when compared with the NNPC record,

- (iii) the record from the NN indicates a sum total of 989,562,195 (BBL), with 250,803,001 (BBL) in excess, when compared with the NNPCL record, and
- (iv) the record from the NCS indicates a sum total of 498,647,923.318 (BBL), with a difference of 240,111,270.682 (BBL) when compared with the NNPCL record.

the Table below (Table 7.1.2) contains information extracted from the records of NMDPRA, NNPCL, NN and NCS relating to the PMS imported from all sources within the period of Year 2017-2021.

#### PMS Imported from all Sources within 2016–2021

YEAR	PMS (LITRS) NMDPRA RECORD	PMS (LITRS) NNPCL RECORD	PMS (LITRS) NN RECORD	PMS (LITRS) NCS RECORD
2016		8,698,520,766	15,522,912,600	9,194,357,031.6
2017	18,334,305,459	12,690,976,639.9	18,371,292,316	1,225,725,776.54
2018	19,527,490,784	20,617,247,846	77,384,630,700	6,063,367,077.3
2019	20,584,964,537	18,235,327,973.2	27,546,840,386	8,205,500,690.4
2020	20,345,321,201	17,802,627,464.7	25,336,658,100	17,138,104,235.2
2021	22,592,043,120	21,336,680,337.7	27,603,839,562	13,449,373,748.2
2022	24,346,925,589	5,383,614,158.0	15,982,337,800	3,783,793,087.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>125,731,050,690</b>	<b>104,764,995,622.3</b>	<b>207,748,511,464</b>	<b>59,060,221,646.3</b>

the table below reflects, the daily average of PMS supply within the year 2017 to 2022 as presented by NMDPRA, which is at variance with the other Stakeholders such as the NNPCL, NN and NCS

#### Daily Average Supply of PMS by Estimation of Stakeholders (2017-2022)

YEAR	NMDPRA	NNPCL	NN	NCS
2017	50,230,973.86	34,769,799.013	50,332,307.715	3,358,152.812
2018	53,499,974.75	56,485,610.537	212,012,686.849	16,611,964.595
2019	56,397,163.12	49,959,802.666	75,470,795.578	22,480,823.809
2020	55,740,606.03	48,774,321.821	69,415,501.644	46,953,710.233
2021	61,896,008.55	58,456,658.459	75,626,957.704	36,847,599.310
2022	66,703,905.72	91,247,697.593	88,300,208.840	20,904,934.183

## 2. Finding Relating to Storage of Premium Motor Spirit

sequel to the submission submitted by the NMDPRA, the following are the findings relating to the storage of premium motor spirit (PMS):

- (i) there are 242 Depots approved for operations in Nigeria, herewith attached as Appendix VII,
- (ii) there are 143 Depots that received PMS within the year 2017-2022, herewith attached as Appendix VIII.

upon careful scrutiny of Appendix VII and VIII, the table below contains findings extracted from the NMDPRA submission.

#### Depots with Corresponding PMS Received within 2017-2022

S/N	DEPOT NAME	2017 (LITRS)	2018 (LITRS)	2019 (LITRS)	2020 (LITRS)	2021 (LITRS)	2022 (LITRS)
1.	ABA	35,653,417	206,980,549	148,766,201	68,811,455	66,949,824	12,683,066
2.	FRADRO	20,064,450	51,785,979	NIL	83,766,732	172,964,672	354,982,355
3.	HOGL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	81,757,444	170,801,941
4.	HONG NIG. LTD	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	74,758,315
5.	GONZAG A	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	110,399,739	343,208,831
6.	ZAMSON	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	40,027,470
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>55,717,867</b>	<b>258,766,528</b>	<b>148,766,201</b>	<b>152,578,186</b>	<b>432,071,679</b>	<b>996,461,978</b>

the six (6) Depots contained in the Table 7.2 above, are listed as having received the corresponding PMS as follow: 55,717,867; 258,766,528; 148,766,201; 152,578,186; 432,071,679; and 996,461,978 liters within the year 2017-2022 respectively, whereas they are not on the list of Depots approved for operation in Nigeria.

- (a) the record of the volume of product (PMS) that are on thru-put arrangements cannot be ascertained due to the muddle-up reconciliation report between the NNPC/PPMC and the marketers;
- (b) some of the Depot owners are gradually closing down their investment, due to the harsh and unhealthy economic conditions under which, they are constrained to operate, including but not limited to:
  - (i) Delay in the supply of the petroleum product (PMS) by the NNPC/PPMC after payment. The delay, consequently resulted into huge accumulated interest on the loan obtained from banks by depot owners;
  - (ii) Indiscriminate offer of credit sales by NNPC/PPMC to selected Depot owners, thereby creating unfair platform for competition;
  - (iii) Indiscriminate access to foreign exchange by selected marketers, while others are compelled to patronize the parallel market to obtain their Forex in spite of the huge significant difference, thereby creating unhealthy rivalry in the industry.

### **3. Findings Relating to Distribution of Premium Motor Spirit**

Sequel to the summary of submission as reflected in item 6.3 of the report, the following are the findings relating to the distribution of petroleum products:

- (i) the over 5,000 km network of pipeline connecting the federation, which is deemed to be the cheapest and the safest means of transporting or distributing petroleum products has been abandoned due to theft, vandalism and economic sabotage,
- (ii) trucks are the only means of transporting or distributing petroleum products within the federation,
- (iii) a truck distributing PMS conveys an average of 41,000 litres contrary to the regulated quantity of 33,000 liters,
- (iv) given that the sum total of 66,703,905.72 liters was estimated as the daily average supply of PMS in year 2022 in accordance with the record of the NMDPRA, it will require an average of 1,519,4 trucks moving between locations on a daily basis, and
- (v) the Nigeria Custom in its presentation to the Committee, confirmed several interceptions of trucks and persons with jerry cans trying to smuggle PMS across the Nigerian borders and was unable to ascertain the quantity, neither were they able to safe keep the product due to the inflammability of petroleum product.

### **4. Findings Relating to Dispense of Premium Motor Spirit at Retail Outlets/Fueling Stations**

- (i) the sum total of 22,679 retail outlets/filling station are currently approved by the Nigerian Midstream Downstream Petroleum Regulatory Authority (NMDPRA) for operation in the federation,
- (ii) the NMDPRA, have no record indicating that a certain volume of PMS were discharged to a particular retail outlet/fueling station or dispensed,



- (iii) the record referred to in paragraph (b) is not a condition precedent to the renewal of licenses for the operation of the retail outlets/fueling stations.

## 5. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

arising from the plethora of findings, highlighted above and the fact that, the Nigeria Midstream Downstream Petroleum Regulatory Authority (NMDPRA) exercises regulatory function, over the Midstream and Downstream sector of the oil and gas industry as encapsulated in the Petroleum Industry Act, 2021.

### The summary of the Committee's findings are as follow:

- (i) upon thorough scrutiny of the records of various stakeholders, it's the considered opinion of the Committee that the total volume of PMS supplied in the year 2022 is put at 24,346,925,589 liters or less, which is in tandem with the record of the NMDPRA,
- (ii) the daily average volume of PMS supplied in the year 2022 is put at 66,703,905.72 liters or less,
- (iii) notwithstanding, the determination of the Committee to achieve its mandate, there are simply no data to conclusively arrive at the daily consumption of PMS, in view of the fact, that records or information on the daily dispense at the various retail outlets/fueling stations are not readily available.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

arising from the findings as highlighted in item 7 of this report. The Committee recommend as follow:

- (i) conduct a forensic audit of the Nigeria National Petroleum Corporation Limited (NNPCL) aimed at giving clarity to the DSDP program and the consortiums of DSDP operators with the view of unravelling the discrepancies in the importation and supply of premium motor spirit (PMS) commencing from 2015 to date;
- (ii) expedite the full implementation of the Petroleum Industry Act, 2021 which was contemplated to provide and address the challenges and the uncertainties within the oil and gas industry including but not limited to the supply, storage and distribution of premium motor spirit (PMS) in Nigeria;
- (iii) charge the Nigerian Midstream Downstream Petroleum Regulatory Authority (NMDPRA) with the responsibility of utilizing, the use of information technology (IT) to monitor, trucks conveying premium motor spirit (PMS) within locations and compel through similar technology a daily data report on the dispense of the product at all Retail Outlets/Fueling Stations, by making it a condition precedent for their continued operation;
- (iv) charge the agencies of Government, such as the Federal Ministry of Petroleum Resources, the Office of the Accountant General of the Federation (OAGF), Nigerian Port Authority (NPA), Nigeria Maritime and Safety Agency (NIMASA), National Bureau of Statistics (NBS), with the responsibilities of maintaining an independently generated data relating to their core mandate/jurisdiction.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

S/N	Committee (s)	Date	Time	Venue
1.	Rules and Business	Wednesday 24 May 2023	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 (White House) Assembly Complex
2.	Public Petitions ( <i>Investigative Hearing</i> )	Wednesday 24 May 2023	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 247 (New Building) Assembly Complex