FOURTH REPUBLIC 10<sup>H</sup> NATIONAL ASSEMBLY (2023–2027) SECOND SESSION NO. 136



# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA ORDER PAPER

Tuesday, 25 March, 2025

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### PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

#### 1. Committee on Population:

#### Hon. Odimayo Okunjimi John:

"That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Population on a Bill for an Act to Repeal the National Identity Management Commission Act, 2007 and to provide for the Establishment of a National Identity Database and the National Identity Management Commission and for Related Matters (HB. 1281) (*Referred:* 11/7/2024).

#### 2. Committee on Youth Development:

#### **Hon. Martins Etim Esin:**

"That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Youth Development on a Bill for an Act to Establish the National Youths Welfare Scheme Fund to Manage and Coordinate Youth Welfare Service to reduce challenges in governance and Security in the Country and for Related matters (HB. 04) (*Referred:* 11/7/2024).

3. Ad-hoc Committee on the Investigation on the National Hajj Commission of Nigeria (NAHCON): Hon. Sada Soli:

"That the House do receive the Report on the *Ad –hoc* Committee on the Investigation of the National Hajj Commission of Nigeria (NAHCON) and the FCT Muslim Pilgrims Welfare Board over the shoddy treatment of Nigerian Pilgrims during the 2024 Hajj Exercise" (HR.23/07/2024) (*Referred:11/7/2024*).

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

### **BILLS**

1. A Bill for an Act to Establish the Federal University of Science and Technology Kabo, Kano State to make Provision for its Due Management and Administration and for Related Matters (SB. 691) (Senate) (Leader) (Hon. Julius Ihonvbere, Owan Federal Constituency) – Second Reading.

#### JUDICIAL REFORMS

- 2. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to make the Recommendation of the National Judicial Council Mandatory for the Removal from Office of Heads of Nigeria Courts and for Related Matters (HB.2203) (Hon. Abbas Tajudeen and Hon. Marcus Onobun) Second Reading.
- **3.** A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C23, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2024 to Provide for the Establishment of the Ecclesiastical Court of Appeal of the Federal Capital Territory Abuja and the Ecclesiastical Court of Appeal of the States; and for Related Matters (HB. 79) (Hon. Francis Ejiroghene Waive) Second Reading.
- 4. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Make the Court of Appeal the Final Appeal Court in Governorship, National and State Houses of Assembly Election Petitions and for Related Matters (HB. 1212) (Hon. Nnamdi Ezechi) Second Reading.
- 5. A Bill for An Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria Cap. C23 LFN 2004 to Confer Jurisdiction on the Federal High Court to try Offences arising from Violations of the Provisions of the Electoral Act and any other Related Act of the National Assembly and for Related Matters (HB. 115) (Hon. Muktar Shagaya) Second Reading.
- 6. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (As Amended) to Provide for Transition of Substantive Heads of Courts in Nigeria and Strengthen the Procedure for Removal of Judicial Officers in Order to Guaranteed the Independence of the Judiciary; and for Related Matters (HBs. 1230 and 1354) (Hon. Kwamoti Bitrus Laori and Hon. Patrick Umoh) Second Reading.
- 7. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria,1999 to Provide for Appointment of Chairman of the State Judiciary Service Commission among the Retired Chief Judges of the State, Grand Khadis of Sharia Court of Appeal, Presidents of the Customary Court of Appeal and Judges of the State High Court, to bring the Procedure for Such Appointment to be in Conformity with the Global Best Practices, Curb Duplication of Duties and Over-Concentration of Powers in the Office of the Chief Judges of a State and Provide for the Appointment of Chairman of the Federal Judicial Service Commission among the Retired Chief Justices of Nigeria, President of the Court of Appeal and Justices of the Supreme Court; to Bring Procedure for such Appointment to be in Conformity with the Global Best Practices; to Curb Duplication of Duties and Over-Concentration of Powers in the Office of the Chief Justice of Nigeria and for Related Matters (HBs.1729 and 1730) (Hon. Mansur Manu Soro) Second Reading.

- 8. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Expand the Number of Justices of the Supreme Court, enhance Service efficiency and timely dispensation of Justices, Improve Citizens' Access to Justice and Conform with Federal Character Principles and for Related Matters (HBs.1569, 1345, 1346 and 1877) (Hon. Patrick Umoh, Hon. Mansur Manu Soro, Hon. Wole Busayo Oke and Hon. Ishaya David Lalu) Second Reading.
- 9. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 to Provide for the Presumed Resignation from Office of the Chief Justice of Nigeria, Justices and Judges of Certain Courts in Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB. 1886) (Hon. Afam Ogene) Second Reading.
- 10. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Confer Original Jurisdiction on the Court of Appeal on Matters Relating to the Office of a Governor or Deputy Governor of a State; and for Related Matters (HB. 1341) (Hon. Patrick Umoh) Second Reading.
- 11. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic Of Nigeria, 1999 to Raise the Composition of the Code of Conduct Tribunal From Three to Seven; to Provide for Representation From Each Geo-Political Zones Of Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB. 1924) (*Hon. Shehu Dalhatu*) *Second Reading*.

#### **LEGISLATURE**

- 12. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C23, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 1999 (Power of proclamation of New Assembly by Clerk or NASS/Clerk of House Assembly) and to make provision for the Chief Justice of Niger to make Proclamation on the Inauguration of National Assembly and for Related Matters (HBs. 33, 69 and 1309) (Hon. Francis Ejiroghene Waive, Hon. Oluwole Oke and Hon. Ghali Mustapha Tijani) Second Reading.
- 13. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 to Specify the Time Within Which the Executive Shall Present to the National Assembly any Treaty Between the Federation and any Other Country for Enactment; and for Related Matters (HB. 619) (*Hon. Benjamin Okezie Kalu*) Second Reading.
- 14. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Alter the Oath Taking of the Members of the National Assembly and Members of Assembly in Sections 52, and 94 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB. 1320) (Hon. Sada Soli) Second Reading.
- 15. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Remove Transitional Law-Making Powers from the Executive Arm of Government; and for Related Matters (HB. 2175) (Hon. Ahmed Idris Wase) Second Reading.
- 16. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Establish the FCT House of Assembly and for Related Matters (HB. 1783) (Hon. Sesoo Ikpagher) Second Reading.
- 17. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Regulate the Application of Regional and International Human Rights Treaties Ratified by Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB. 1197) (Hon. Daniel Asama Ago) Second Reading.
- 18. A Bill for an Act to Alter Section 91 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to Provide for Uniform Standards and remove ambiguity, and for Related Matters, 2025 (HB. 2170) (Hon. Adebayo Olusegun Balogun) Second Reading.

#### **INCLUSIVE GOVERNANCE**

- 19. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as altered) to Provide for Special Seats for the Physically Challenged Persons in Nigeria's Federal, State and Local Government Areas, and Legislative Houses and for Related Matters (HB.1931) (Hon. Tajudeen Abbas and Hon. Marcus Onobun) Second Reading
- 20. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 as (amended) to provide for Six Special Seats for Special Interest Groups in the House of Representatives and for Related Matters (HB1811) (*Hon. Akintunde Rotimi*) *Second Reading*.
- 21. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Ensure Gender Equality in the Composition of the Federal Character Commission and for Related Matters (HB. 1419) (*Hon. Kafilat Ogbara*) *Second Reading*.

#### SECURITY AND POLICING

22. A Bill for An Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic Of Nigeria, 1999 to Provide for the Establishment of State Police and Local Government Police and For Related Matters (HBs. 1305 & 1807) (Hon. Francis Ejiroghene Waive and Hon. Akintunde Rotimi) – Second Reading.

#### **OTHERS**

- 23. A Bill an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 to Permit Public Servants to engage in Healthcare Education, Production and Services beyond Farming and for Related Matters (HB. 2176) (Hon. Ahmed Idris Wase) Second Reading.
- 24. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria Cap. C23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Provide for the Recognition and Development of the Geo-Political Zones in Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB. 1850) (Hon. Abbas Tajudeen and Hon. Marcus Onobun) Second Reading.
- 25. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Change the Name of the Auditor-General of the Federation to Auditor-General of the Federal Government; and for Related Matters (HB. 1700) (Hon. Mansur Manu Soro) Second Reading.
- 26. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 to Remove the Restriction Placed on Power and Duties of the Auditor-General of the Federation and States by Sections 85(2) and 125(2) Respectively and to Insert New Sections in the Constitution that Shall Provide for the Financial Autonomy of the Offices of the Auditor-General of the Federation and of the States and for Related Matters (HB. 1404) (Hon. Babajimi Benson) Second Reading.
- 27. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to strengthen the Office of the Auditor-General of the Federation and the Auditor-General of a State, and for Related Matters (HB.260) (Hon. Mutu Nicholas Ebomo) Second Reading.

#### **ELECTORAL MATTERS**

- 28. A Bill for an Act to Alter Section 143(2) (a) and 188(2) (a) of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 and for Related Matters (HB.994) (*Hon. Sada Soli*) *Second Reading*.
- 29. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 Cap. C23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Establish and Empower the Political Parties Registration and Regulatory Commission to Register, Regulate, and Monitor the Organization and Operation of Political Parties; and for Related Matters (HHB. 1217) (Hon. Aminu Jamo Daura) Second Reading.

- 30. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to Provide that General Elections to the Office of the President, State Governors, National Assembly, State Houses of Assembly and Local Government Area Councils shall be conducted simultaneously on the same date to be determined by the Independent National Electoral Commission in consultation with the National Assembly and for Related Matters (HBs. 1306 & 1514) (Hon. Francis Ejiroghene Waive, Hon. Ikeagwuonu Onyinye Ugochinyere & 34 Others) Second Reading.
- 31. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (As Amended) to Provide for Compulsory Resignation of National and State Executive Members of Political Parties Seeking Elective Government Positions (HB. 1381) (Hon. Mansur Manu Soro) Second Reading.
- 32. A Bill for an Act to Further Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Provide for the Determination of All Appeals Arising from Election Petition Tribunals Prior to Swearing-in of President-Elect, Vice-President-Elect, Governor-Elect, Deputy Governor-Elect, Members-Elect of the National and State Assemblies and for Related Matters (HB. 1154) (Hon. Mansur Manu Soro & five others) Second Reading.
- 33. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (As Amended) to Vest the Independent National Electoral Commission (INEC) with the Power to Conduct Local Government Area Council Elections and for Related Matters (HB. 1649) (Hon. Ikeagwuonu Onyinye Ugochinyere & 24 Others) Second Reading.
- 34. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as mended), to Provide for Regulation of Election Timelines by the Electoral Act and for Related Matters (HB. 2166) (Hon. Adebayo Olusegun Balogun) Second Reading.
- 35. A Bill for an Act to Alter Sections 68(1) (g) &109(1)(g) of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to Require the Official Resignation from Political Party before Defection by Members of the National Assembly and State House of Assembly and for Related Matters (HBs. 2167 and 2183) (Hon. Adebayo Olusegun Balogun) Second Reading.
- **36.** A Bill for an Act to Alter Section 239 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended), to Extend the Original Jurisdiction of the Court of Appeal to include Election Petitions arising from Governorship and Deputy Governorship Elections, Tenure of Governors and Deputy Governors of States and for Related Matters (HB. 2168) (*Hon. Adebayo Olusegun Balogun*) *Second Reading*.
- 37. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to grant the National Assembly Power to Alter Timelines for Election Tribunals and for Related Matters(HB. 2169) (Hon. Adebayo Olusegun Balogun) Second Reading.
- 38. A Bill for an Act to Alter Section 285 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended), by deleting Subsection (2) and amending Subsection (3) to remove references to the Governorship Election Tribunal, and for Related Matters (HB. 2173) (Hon. Adebayo Olusegun Balogun) Second Reading.
- 39. A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C23, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Establish the National Local Government Electoral Commission as an Independent Body Responsible for Organising, Conducting, and Supervising Elections into the Offices of Chairmen and Councilors of all the Local Governments Across the Federation, Including the Area Councils of the Federal Capital Territory, ensure the Credibility, Transparency, and Fairness of Local Government Elections and Promote Democratic Governance at the Grassroots Level; and for Related Matters (HB. 2122) (Hon. Benjamin Okezie Kalu & 6 others) Second Reading.
- **40.** A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to relieve the State Independent Electoral Commissions of the powers to conduct Local Government Council elections and bestow same on the Independent National Electoral Commission and for Related Matters (HB.1761) (Hon. Akin Alabi) Second Reading.

### CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

41. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Universities of Agriculture Act, Cap. F22, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to make Provision for the Establishment of Federal University of Agriculture, Obioakpa Orukanam, Akwa Ibom State and for Related Matters (SB.720) (Senate) (Leader) (Hon. Julius Ihonvbere, Owan Federal Constituency) – Committee of the Whole:2/3/2025.

## 42. Committee on Federal Road Safety Commission: Hon. Abiodun Derin Adesida.

"That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Federal Road Safety Commission on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Road Safety Commission (Establishment) Act, 2007 to Empower the Federal Road Safety Commission with the Responsibility for Road Traffic Administration and Safety Management, Preventing and Minimizing Road Traffic Crashes on Public Roads, the Supervision of Users of such Public Roads, the Regulation of Traffic thereon and clearing of obstruction on any part of the Public Roads and for Educating Drivers, Motorists and other Members of the Public generally on the proper use of Public Roads and Matters Related to Safety on the Public Roads and for Related Matters (HBs. 1604 & 1401) and approve recommendations therein" (*Laid: 17/12/2024*).

### **COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

S/N	Committee	Date	Time	Venue
1.	Rules and Business	Tuesday 25 March 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 (White House) Assembly Complex
2.	Public Petitions (Investigative Hearing)	Tuesday 25 March 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 429 (New Building) Assembly Complex
3.	Public procurement (Interactive Session with MDAs)	Tuesday 25 March 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 460 (New Building) Assembly Complex
4.	FCT Area Councils and Ancillary Matters (with Chairmen, FCT Area Councils)	Tuesday 25 March 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 107 (New Building) Assembly Complex
5.	Specialty Healthcare (Public Hearing)	Tuesday 25 March 2025	3.00 p.m.	Conference Room 231 (New Building) Assembly Complex
6.	Safety Standards and Regulations	Tuesday 25 March 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 201 (New Building) Assembly Complex