



# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA ORDER PAPER Wednesday, 3 December, 2025

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## PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

1. **Committee on Electoral Matters:**  
**Hon. Adebayo Balogun:**  
“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Electoral matters on a Bill for an Act to Repeal the Electoral Act, 2022 and Enact the Electoral Bill, to Regulate the Conduct of Federal, State and Area Councils in the Federal Capital Territory Elections and for Related Matters (HB. 2479) (*Referred: 23/7/2025*).”
2. **Committee on Industry:**  
**Hon. Enitan Badiru:**  
“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Industry on a Bill for an Act to Amend the National Sugar Development Council Act, 2004 to Provide for the Functions and Powers of the Council and for Related Matters (HBs. 2022 and 2030) (*Referred: 8/5/2025*).”
3. **Committee on Federal Polytechnic and Higher Education:**  
**Hon. Fuad Kayode Laguda:**  
“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Federal Polytechnics and Higher Education on a Bill for an Act to Establish Federal College of Entrepreneurship and Skills

Acquisition, Illela, Sokoto State, to Provide Full-Time Courses, Teaching Instruction and Training in Technology, Applied Science, Arts, Social Sciences, Humanities and Management; and for Related Matters (HB.927) (*Referred:20/11/2024*).

**4. Committee on Federal Polytechnic and Higher Education:**

**Hon. Fuad Kayode Laguda:**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Federal Polytechnics and Higher Education on a Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of the National Institute for Technical and Vocational Education Wamba, Nasarawa State and for Related Matters (HB.118) (*Referred:20/11/2024*).

**7. Committee on Police Affairs:**

**Hon. Abubakar Makki Yalleman**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Police Affairs on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Nigeria Police Act No.2, 2020, to Ensure at Least 15 Percent Women Representation in the Recruitment of Police Officers, require the Nigeria Police Force to Provide and Maintain Genuine Responsive Compliance Programme in the Recruitment, Training, Marital Status, Posting and Discipline of Police Officers and ensure the Establishment of a Unit to Monitor and Maintain Records of Gender Responsive Compliance Programme and for Related Matters (HB.1717)” (*Referred:2/7/2025*).

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## ORDERS OF THE DAY BILLS

1. A Bill for an Act to Establish Federal College of Nursing and Midwifery, Zaria, Kaduna State to provide Training and Research in General Nursing, Midwifery and other Specialties of Nursing and for Related Matters (HB. 2115) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
2. A Bill for an Act to Repeal National Honours Act, Cap. N43, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Nigerian National Merit Award Act, Cap. N122, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 and Enact the Nigerian National Honours and Merit Award Commission to, among other things, Provide for Establishment of a Commission to Regulate Matters Related to National Honours and Merit Award in Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB.05) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
3. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Medical Centres Act, 2022 and Provide for Establishment of Federal Medical Centre, Kumo, Gombe State and for Related Matters (HB.2177) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
4. A Bill for an Act to Establish Petroleum Training Institute Ibeno, Akwa Ibom State to provide courses of instruction, training and research in petroleum technology and to produce technicians and other skilled personnel required to run the petroleum industry and for Related Matters (HB.362) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
5. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Medical Centres Act, 2022 to provide for Establishment of Federal Medical Centre, Oleh, Delta State and for Related Matters (SB. 197) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
6. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Polytechnics Act, Cap. F17, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to, among other things, review the Functions of the Polytechnics and for Related Matters (HB.2114) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
7. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Universities of Technology Act, Cap. F23, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Provide for Establishment of Federal University of Technology, Yaba, Lagos State and for Related Matters (HB.1910) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**

8. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria Act, Cap. A 12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (as amended) to make provision for Establishment of Federal College of Agriculture, Zaria, Kaduna State and for Related Matters (HB. 2116) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
  9. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria Act, Cap. A 12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (as amended) to make provision for Establishment of Federal College of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Zaria, Kaduna State and for Related Matters (HB.2117) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
  10. A Bill for an Act to Provide for the Enactment of Child Online Access Protection Bill and Other Issues of Online Violence Against the Nigerian Child and for Related Matters (HB. 244) (*Hon. Julius Ihonvbere*) – **Third Reading.**
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## DEBATES ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

### 1. LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Establish Local Government Councils as a Tier of Government and for Related Matters (HBs.2121, 1117 and SB. 471)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004, to Provide for the Establishment, Independence, and Functions of the Office of the State Auditors-General for Local Governments and the Federal Capital Territory Area Councils, to Strengthen Fiscal Oversight, Promote Accountability, And Enhance Good Governance at the Grassroots and for Related Matters (HB. 2288 and SB: 194)
- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to substitute the Names "Okpe" and "Sapele" with "Okpe East" and "Okpe West" respectively in Part I of the First Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 and for Related Matters (HB.1314)
- (iv) A Bill for an Act to Alter Part I of the First Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to reflect the proper Name of Ibadan North-East Local Government Area of Oyo State and for Related Matters (HB. 1482)
- (v) A Bill for an Act to Alter Part I of the First Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Change the Name of Sabon Gari Local Government Area of Kaduna State to Zaria North Local Government Area, also to make consequential Amendments by adding the "word" South to the Name of the existing Zaria Local Government Area of Kaduna State and for Related Matters (HB.1442)
- (vi) A Bill for an Act to Alter Part I of the First Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 to reflect the proper Name of Jaba Local Government Area of Kaduna State and for Related Matters (HB. 1614)
- (vii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provision of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Change the Name of Irewole Local Government Area of Osun State to Ikire Local Government Area and for Related Matters (HB.1098)
- (viii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C23, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Change the Names of Eket and Esit-Eket in Part I of the First Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 and for Related Matters (HB.1522)

- (ix) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C23, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Change the Name of Ibeno in Part I of the First Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 and for Related Matters (HB. 1523)
- (x) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C23, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Change the Name of the Local Government from Aiyekire Local Government Area to Aiyedire Local Government Area of Ekiti State in Part I of the First Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 and for Related Matters (HB.2028)

## **2. INCLUSIVE GOVERNANCE AND CITIZENSHIP**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provision of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Grant Citizenship Rights to Spouses and for Related Matters (HB. 1195 and SB. 351)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Cap. C.23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004 to include Citizenship by Investment as one of the Classes of Citizenship in Nigeria; to provide for the Acquisition of Nigerian Citizenship by Qualified Foreign Investors who meet specified Investment Thresholds and for Related Matters (HB. 2059)
- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to provide Special Seats for Women in the National Assembly and State Houses of Assembly and for Related Matters (HB. 1349 & SB. 440)

## **3. ELECTORAL REFORMS**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Provide the criteria for Appointing Members and Additional Powers for the State Independent Electoral Commission and for Related Matters (SB. 806)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Provide for Independent Candidacy in Presidential, Governorship, National Assembly, State Houses of Assembly and Local Government Councils Elections and for Related Matters (HB.1630 & SB. 812)
- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 Cap. C.23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004, to Establish and Empower the Electoral Offences Commission to provide for the Investigation and Prosecution of Electoral Offences and for Related Matters (HB. 1219)

## **4. STRENGTHENING OF INSTITUTIONS**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 to increase the number of Members of the Federal Civil Service Commission to provide each State of the Federation and Federal Capital Territory, Abuja the opportunity of one person Representation and for Related Matters (HB. 188)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provision of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to ensure that every Local Government in each State has at least One Member Representing the Local Government in the House of Assembly of that State and for Related Matters (SB. 424)

- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Establish the Office of the Attorney-General of the Federation and of the State separate from the Office of the Minister of Justice, or Commissioner for, Justice of the State in order to make the Offices of the Attorneys-General Independent and insulated from Partisanship and for Related Matters (SB.420 & HB. 1697)
- (iv) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to separate the Office of the Governor from that of the Deputy Governor on issues of Qualification or Disqualification and for Related Matters (HB. 994 and SB. 804)

## **5. SECURITY/STATE POLICE**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (1999) to provide for the Establishment of State and Community Police; and for Related Matters (SB. 484 & HBs. 617, 1305,1920 and 1807)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 999 to Provide for the Financial Independence of the Armed Forces of the Federation and for Related Matters (HB. 2360)

## **6. LEGISLATURE**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Institutionalize Legislative Bureaucracy in the Constitution and for Related Matters (SB. 811)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to specify the period for the laying of Appropriation Bill before the National and State Houses of Assemblies and for Related Matters (HB. 1694)
- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, Laws of the Federation Cap C23, 2004, to provide for the Inauguration of New Members after the Inauguration of the National Assembly or House of Assembly and for Related Matters (HB.33)
- (iv) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution, 1999 to provide the Procedure for Removing Presiding Officers of the House of Assembly of a State and for Related Matters (SB. 801)
- (v) 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)

## **7. JUDICIAL REFORMS**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to ensure expedited Hearing and Determination of Petitions challenging the Election of any Person to an Office created under the Constitution and for Related Matters (SB.508)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to provide for the Regulation of the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court and the Court of Appeal and for Related Matters (SB. 247)
- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to enable payment from the Federation Account to be made directly to the Heads of all Federal and State Courts through the National Judicial Council and for Related Matters (SB. 817)

- (iv) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to ease the burden on the Supreme Court, and strengthen it to focus on its responsibility as a Court of Policy and for Related Matters (SB. 816)
- (v) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to strengthen the Independence of the Judiciary by providing for an expeditious and seamless succession where there is a vacancy in a Judicial Office and safeguard the exercise of the Powers Conferred on the President or Governor to remove a Judicial Officer from office and for Related Matters (SB. 796)
- (vi) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to enhance equity in the composition of the National Judicial Council and for Related Matters (SB. 800)
- (vii) A Bill for an act to Alter the Provisions of the constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to enhance the Pension as well as Retirement Benefits of Retired Judicial Officers and for Related Matters (SB. 809)
- (viii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to enhance the jurisdictions of Courts, expand the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Federal High Court to include Electoral Offences and empower Judges elevated to Higher Courts to conclude Part-Heard Criminal Matters pending before them prior to their Elevation and for Related Matters (SBs. 795, 802 and 819)

## **8. HUMAN RIGHTS**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to further Define Acts that constitute Torture, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment and for Related Matters (HB. 1194 and SB.824)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Protect the right of an unborn Child Being Carried by a Pregnant Woman Sentenced to Death, Provides for the Right to a Healthy and Clean Environment and for Related Matters (HB. 1409 & SB. 825)
- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Provide for the Right to a Clean, Safe, and Healthy Environment under the Fundamental Right and Integration of Environmental Protection into the Right to Life and Dignity of the Human Person and for Related Matters (HB. 2492)

## **9. DEVOLUTION OF POWERS**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to move Construction of Roads other than Trunk 'A' Federal Roads to Concurrent Legislative List and for Related Matters (HB.1431)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to Provide for the Inclusion of Tourism and Tourism-Related Matters on the Concurrent Legislative List and for Related Matters (HB. 2060)
- (iii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Second Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to Transfer Quarantine from the Exclusive Legislative List to the Concurrent Legislative List and for Related Matters (HB.1543)

**10. TRADITIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provision of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to Establish Council of Traditional Rulers in Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB. 76 and SB. 532)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, Cap. C23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB.2630)

**11. FISCAL REFORMS**

- (i) A Bill for an Act to Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria Cap.23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004 to Mandate all Government Statutory Corporations, Commissions, Authorities, Agencies including all Persons and Bodies Established by Law to Submit yearly Financial Statement to the Auditor General within a Specified Period and for Related Matters (HB.770)
- (ii) A Bill for an Act to further Alter the Provisions of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to provide for the Public Disclosure of Reports of the Auditor General of the Federation and the Auditor-General of a State and for Related Matters (HB.695)

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## CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

**11. Report on the Draft Resolutions of the House of Representatives on National Security Reform and Enhancement:****Hon. Julius Ihonvbere:**

“That the House do consider the Report on the Draft Resolution of the House of Representatives on National Security Reform and Enhancement on the Rising Insecurity across the Federation, as Adopted from the Security Debates and approve recommendations therein”

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

S/N	Committee	Date	Time	Venue
1.	Rules and Business	Wednesday 3 December 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 (White House) Assembly Complex
2.	Public Petitions ( <i>Investigative Hearing</i> )	Wednesday 3 December 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 429 (New Building) Assembly Complex
3.	Lake Chad	Wednesday 3 December 2025	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 144 (New Building) Assembly Complex