



**SENATE OF THE
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA
ORDER PAPER**

Wednesday, 22nd April, 2026

1. **National Anthem**
2. **Prayers**
3. **Approval of the Votes and Proceedings**
4. **Oaths**
5. **Announcements (if any)**
6. **Petitions**

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

1. **Federal Medical Centres Act (Amendment) Bill, 2026 (HB. 55) - First Reading**
Sen. Bamidele, Michael Opeyemi (*Ekiti Central-Senate Leader*).
2. **Closed Circuit Television (Compulsory Installation) Bill, 2026 (HB. 177) - First Reading**
Sen. Bamidele, Michael Opeyemi (*Ekiti Central-Senate Leader*).
3. **Utilities Charges Commission Act (Amendment) Bill, 2026 (SB. 1029) - First Reading**
Sen. Barau, Jibrin (*Kano North*).
4. **Border Communities Development Agency Act (Amendment) Bill, 2026 (SB. 1025) - First Reading**
Sen. Agadaga, Benson Sunday (*Bayelsa East*).
5. **Mining Sites Remediation and Reclamation Bill, 2026 (SB. 1028) - First Reading**
Sen. Ekong, Sampson (*Akwa-Ibom South*).

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRESENTATION AND CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

1. **Report of the Committee on Establishment and Public Service Matters**
National Assembly Service Pension Board (Establishment) Act (Amendment) Bill, 2026 (SB. 463)
Sen. Cyril, Oluwole Fasuyi (*Ekiti North*)
- That the Senate do Receive and Consider the Report of the Committee on Establishment and Public Service Matters on the National Assembly Service Pension Board (Establishment) Act (Amendment) Bill, 2026 (SB. 463).
2. **Report of the Committee on Health (Secondary & Tertiary)**
National Health Act, 2014 (Amendment) Bill, 2026 (SB. 886)
Sen. Banigo, Ipalibo Harry (*Rivers West*)
- That the Senate do Receive and Consider the Report of the Committee on Health (Secondary & Tertiary) on the National Health Act, 2014 (Amendment) Bill, 2026 (SB. 886)
3. **Reports of the Committee on Ethics, Code of Conduct and Public Petitions**
Sen. Imasuen, Neda Bernards (*Edo South*)
- That the Senate do Receive and Consider the Reports of the Committee on Ethics, Code of Conduct and Public Petitions in respect of:

- a. Petition from Dr. Onyeché Jane Odoh against the Nigeria Customs Service (NCS) on alleged seizure of her Lexus Car ES 350, 2010 Model by men of the Nigeria Customs Service on June, 21st 2019 at Ebute, Oja Odan, Lagos State;
- b. Petition from Mr. Kingsley Nwanji against Energy Commission of Nigeria (ECN) over his Wrongful Suspension from Service by the Management of the Commission in May, 2015; and
- c. Petition from Samuel C. Uwaeme Esq., on behalf of Messrs Sampson Kalango and two (2) others against the Nigeria Police Force (NPF) over alleged lawlessness, impunity and illegal occupation of the land of his clients at Circular Road, Plot 2, Presidential Housing Estate, Phase III, Port-Harcourt, Rivers State by the Nigeria Police Force.

MOTION

1. Urgent Need for Immediate Federal Intervention to address Escalating Ecological Degradation across Esan Land in Edo Central Senatorial District.

Sponsor: Sen. Ikpea, Joseph (*Edo Central*)

The Senate:

Notes that Esan Land—which comprises Esan Central, Esan West, Esan North-East, Esan South-East, and Igueben LGAs—lies within the tropical rainforest/derived savanna ecological zone on a dissected plateau approximately 390 metres above sea level, a terrain that naturally channels heavy rainfall into deep gullies and valleys, thereby increasing erosion vulnerability;

Also notes that the Ewu Gully Erosion Site in Esan Central LGA has expanded dangerously, cutting off access routes and threatening to engulf residential and commercial areas; and that in Esan West LGA, the Ukhun-Emaudo erosion corridor has severely compromised community roads and large expanses of farmland;

Further notes that the region's forest reserves—rich in economic species such as Iroko, African Walnut, Obeche, and Mahogany—are rapidly depleting due to uncontrolled logging and farming expansion, leaving the soil increasingly exposed to gully formation and land degradation;

Concerned that the Ambrose Alli University Flood and Gully Site in Ekpoma have caused recurring flooding, displacement, and extensive infrastructure damage, worsened by urban expansion and deforestation in an area where natural forest cover once accounted for more than half of the land area;

Also concerned that despite several ecological assessments conducted over the years, there has been no visible federal intervention by the Ecological Fund Office (EFO), the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA), or the Federal Ministry of Environment, even as the threat escalates with each rainy season; and

Worried that the continued destruction of key access roads, farmlands, and community infrastructure could trigger widespread displacement, loss of livelihoods, increased rural poverty, and heightened insecurity within Edo Central and neighbouring regions.

Accordingly resolves to:

- i. *Urge* the Ecological Fund Office, the Federal Ministry of Environment, and the Nigerian Erosion and Watershed Management Project (NEWMAP) to urgently conduct on-the-spot assessments and immediately commence intervention works across the identified erosion sites in Esan Land;
- ii. *Also urge* the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) to provide emergency relief materials and support to affected communities pending long-term ecological remediation;
- iii. *Mandate* the Committees on Environment, Ecology & Climate Change to engage relevant Agencies to ensure prompt allocation and release of funds for erosion control, land reclamation, and afforestation projects in Edo Central Senatorial District; and

- iv. *Also mandate* the Committee on Ecology and Climate Change to liaise with the Ecological Fund Office, the Federal Ministry of Environment, and the Edo State Government to prioritise the erosion sites in Esan Land under the next cycle of national ecological intervention programmes.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

No.	Committee	Date	Time	Venue
1.	Ad-hoc Committee on the Investigation of the Nigeria Railway System	Wednesday, 22 nd April, 2026	3.00pm	Meeting Room 211 Senate New Building
2.	National Planning and Economic Affairs	Thursday, 23 rd April, 2026 (Screening Exercise)	2.00pm	Meeting Room 117 Senate New Building
3.	Ethics, Code of Conduct and Public Petition	Thursday, 23 rd April, 2026	2.00pm	Meeting Room 120 Senate New Building
4.	Banking, Insurance and Other Financial Institutions	Thursday, 23 rd April, 2026 (Screening Exercise)	2.00pm	Meeting Room 328 Senate New Building