



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 16 January, 2019

1. The House met at 11.23 a.m. Mr Speaker read the Prayers.
2. **Votes and Proceedings**
Mr Speaker announced that he had examined and approved the *Second Votes and Proceedings* of Thursday, 20 December, 2018.

The Votes and Proceedings was adopted by unanimous consent.

3. **Announcement:**
 - (i) **Bereavement:**
Mr Speaker read communications from the following:
 - (a) The family of Hon. Abdul-Kabir Ayeola (*Ibeju-Lekki Federal Constituency*), a serving Member, announcing his death which occurred on Sunday, 30 December, 2018; and
 - (b) Hon. Abdussamad Dasuki (*Kebbe/Tambuwal Federal Constituency*), announcing the demise of Alhaji Usman Aliyu Shehu Shagari, a former Member and first Executive President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria which occurred on Friday, 28 December, 2018 at the age of 93.

Hon. Pally Iriase and Hon. Adamu Abubakar Chika said the Christian and Moslem prayers respectively in honour of the deceased.

Mr Speaker announced that a Valedictory Session in honour of the deceased would be held on Thursday, 17 January, 2019.

- (i) **2019 Appropriation Bill:**
Mr Speaker announced that the second reading debate on the 2019 Appropriation Bill would commence on Thursday, 17 January, 2019 and mandated the Committee on Appropriations to circulate copies of the Bill to Members.

4. Suspension of Sitting

Motion made and Question proposed "That the House do suspend its sitting in honour of the deceased; and also set down all other items on the Order Paper, pursuant to Order Eight, Rule 6 (3)" (Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila — House Leader) — *Agreed to.*

5. Adjournment

That the House do adjourn till Thursday, 17 January, 2019 at 11.00 a.m. (Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila — House Leader).

The House adjourned accordingly at 11. 41 a.m.

Yakubu Dogara
Speaker