



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

ORDER PAPER

Tuesday, 1 July, 2008

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

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

1. Public Procurement (Establishment, etc.) (Amendment) Bill, 2008 (HB. 87) — *First Reading*.
2. Labour Standards Bill, 2008 (HB. 88) (*Executive*) — *First Reading*.
3. Collective Labour Relations (Special Provisions) Bill, 2008 (HB. 89) (*Executive*) — *First Reading*.
4. Labour Institutions (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2008 (HB. 90) (*Executive*) — *First Reading*.
5. Occupational Safety and Health Bill, 2008 (HB. 91) (*Executive*) — *First Reading*.
6. Chemical Weapons Prohibition Bill, 2008 (HB. 92) (*Executive*) — *First Reading*.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

BILLS

1. A Bill for an Act to Enable Effect to be given in the Federal Republic of Nigeria to the Agreement Between the Federal Republic of Nigeria and Republic of South Korea for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with Respect to Taxes on Income and Capital Gains, 2008 (HB. 30) — *Second Reading*.
2. A Bill for an Act to Prohibit Arbitrary, Malicious, Indiscriminate or Capricious Dismissal, Lay-Offs or Removal of any Worker from Employment by any Employer of Labour in the Public or Private Sectors of the Economy, Provide for the Recompense of any affected Worker in Accordance with the terms Specified Thereof and for Other Matters Connected Therewith 2008 (HB. 55) — *Second Reading*.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

3. Committee on Rules and Business:

Hon. Ita Enang:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Rules and Business on the Proposed House Calendar for the 2nd Session, 5th national Assembly and approve the Recommendations therein" {Laid: 25/6/2008}.

HOUSE LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR, JUNE 24, 2008 - JUNE 4, 2009

S/No.	House Legislative Period	Activity/No. of Days
1.	Tuesday, 24 June, 2008 to Thursday, 33 July, 2008	House in Session 18 Sitting Days
2.	Friday, 1 August, 2008 to Monday, 15 September, 2008	Recess 31 Days
3.	Tuesday, 16 September, 2008 to Thursday, 25 September, 2008	House in Session 15 Sitting Days
4.	Friday, 26 September, 2008 to 3 October, 2008	Id-el Fitri Recess 6 Days
5.	Tuesday, 6 October, 2008 to Thursday, 4 December, 2008	House in Session 44 Sitting Days
6.	Friday, 5 December, 2008 to Monday, 15 December, 2008	Id-el Kabir Recess 7 Days
7.	Tuesday, 16 December, 2008 to Thursday, 19 December, 2008	House in Session 4 Sitting Days
8.	Friday, 22 December, 2008 to Tuesday, 5 January, 2009	Christmas/New Year Recess 9 Days
9.	Tuesday, 6 January, 2009 to Thursday, 9 April, 2009	House in Session 68 Days
10.	Friday, 10 April, 2009 to Monday, 17 April, 2009	Easter Break 6 Days
11.	Tuesday, 20 April, 2009 to Thursday, 4 June, 2009	House in Session 32 Sitting Days
12.	Thursday, 4 June, 2009	End of Session —

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

*WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2008	—	INDEPENDENCE DAY
*THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2008	-	CHRISTMAS DAY
*FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2008	—	BOXING DAY
*THURSDAY, JANUARY 1, 2009	—	NEW YEAR DAY
*FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2009	-	WORKERS' DAY
*FRIDAY, MAY 29, 2009	—	DEMOCRACY DAY
*ID-EL FITRI HOLIDAY	-	UPON ANNOUNCEMENT
*ID-EL KABIR HOLIDAY	-	UPON ANNOUNCEMENT
*EASTER HOLIDAY	-	UPON ANNOUNCEMENT

13. The total number of available Sitting Days from June 24, 2008 to June 4, 2009 is 261 out of which the House will sit for a minimum of 181 days.
14. Sessions of the House will include days when the House suspends Plenary for her Committees to work, and includes Mondays and Fridays.
15. The House may in a motion for adjournment adjourn the House to a date other than that stated in this Calendar.

4. Committee on Petroleum Resources (Downstream):

Hon. Clever Ikisikpo:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Petroleum Resources (Downstream) on Fire

outbreak from Ruptured Pipelines belonging to Warri Refinery and Petrochemical Company in Ubeji, Warri South Local Government Area of Delta State and approve the Recommendations therein:

Recommendations:

- (i) Owing to the volatility of Petroleum Produces, Operators in the Downstream Sector should take extreme precaution in the use of facilities;

Shell Petroleum Development Company (SPDC) should be compelled to make adequate compensations to the affected communities;

- (iii) Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) should regard the protection of lives and properties as very sacrosanct and paramount in their communities of operations.

5. **Committee on Petroleum Resources (Downstream):**

Hon. Clever Ikisikpo:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Petroleum Resources (Downstream) on the Ijegun Pipeline fire outbreak of May 15, 2008 and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Laid: 25/6/2008*).

Recommendations:

- (i) **That** Lagos State Government should demolish as a matter of urgency, all structures situated on the NNPC Pipeline right of way with adequate compensation for settlers;
- (ii) **That** there must be adequate consultations between State Governments and Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) concerning projects in Pipeline environments before the commencement of any project;
- (iii) That Petroleum Products and Marketing Company (PPMC) should immediately begin to replace all aged, corroded and obsolete equipment and pipelines to check susceptibility of explosions in the near future.