



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

ORDER PAPER

Tuesday, 28 October, 2008

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

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

1. Supplementary Appropriations Bill, 2008 (HB. 143) (*Executive*) — *First Reading*.
2. River Basin Development Authorities (Amendment) Bill, 2008 (HB. 142) (*Hon. Patrick'Asadu*) — *First Reading*.
3. National Minimum Wage (Amendment) Bill, 2008 (HB. 84) (*Hon. Doris Uboti*) — *First Reading*.
4. National Projects Monitoring Agency (Establishment), Bill 2008 (HB. 101) (*Hon. Uche Ekwueme*) — *First Reading*.
5. Transportation of Animals (Prohibition of Undue Pain and Suffering) Bill, 2008 (HB. 106) (*Hon. Yusuf Maitama Tuggar*) — *First Reading*.
6. National Directorate of Employment (Amendment) Bill, 2008 (HB. 115) (*Hon. Christopher S. Eta and 9 others*) — *First Reading*.
7. National Judicial Council (Staff) Bill, 2008 (HB. 118) (*Hon. Agoro Lanre Adeniran*) — *First Reading*.
8. Statutory Instrument (Legislative Scrutiny) Bill, 2008 (HB. 119) (*Hon. Agoro Lanre Adeniran*) — *First Reading*.
9. Nigerian Infants Health Welfare Commission Bill, 2008 (HB. 131) (*Hon. Abike Dabiri*) — *First Reading*.
10. Police Public Complaints Bureau (Establishment) Bill, 2008 (HB. 127) (*Hon. Kayode Jelili Amusan*) — *First Reading*.
11. Compulsory Free Universal Basic Education Act (Amendment) Bill, 2008 (HB.128) (*Hon. Kayode Jelili Amusan*) — *First Reading*.

PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

1. **Committee on Industries:**
Hon. Solomon U. Agidani:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Industries".
2. **Committee on Banking and Currency:**
Hon. Ogbuefi O. Ozomgbachi:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Banking and Currency".
3. **House Services:**
Hon. Muhammed A. Almakua:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the House Services Committee".

ORDERS OF THE DAY

..... MOTION

The Inability of the Nigerian Navy and Other Government Agencies in Combating the Increasing Incidence of Hijacking Fishing Vessels in Nigeria Territorial Waters:

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| 1. | Hon. Chuma Nzeribe | Hon. Emeka Ihedioha | Hon. Yakubu Dogari |
| | Hon. Jerry S. Manwe | Hon. Hussein Namadi Abdulkadir | Hon. Suleiman A. K. |
| | Hon. Alaba Ojomo | Hon. Aliyu Ahman Fategi | Hon. Binta Masi Garba |
| | Hon. Umar M. Bature | Hon. Ado Garba | Hon. Sa'ad M. C. Tahir |
| | Hon. Mohd A. Mai fata | Hon. Mutu Nicholas E. | Hon. Uche Ekwunife |
| | Hon. Raph Okeke | Hon. Nkeiru Onyejeocha | Hon. Chu-Chu Onyema |
| | Hon. Chuma Umeorji | Hon. Charles Odedo | Hon. Austin Nwachukwu |
| | Hon. Emma Uchieze | Hon. Halims Agoda | Hon. Leo Dilkon |
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| | Hon. John Owan Enoh | Hon. Samuel Egya | Hon. Barnabas Bala Bantex |
| | Hon. Ndudi Elumelu | Hon. Almakura Mohammed | Hon. Doris Ubob |
| | Hon. Aro S. Bamidele | Hon. Mathew Omegara | Hon. Pat Asadu |
| | Hon. Farouk Lawan | Hon. Aniedi Ikpong King | Hon. Njidda A. Gella |
| | Hon. Bala Ibn Na'Allah | Hon. Igo Aguma | Hon. Ike Chinwo |
| | Hon. Gilbert Nnaji | Hon. J. J. Idachaba | Hon. Chille Igbawua |
| | Hon. Mustapha Khabeeb | Hon. Umaru I. Kurfi | Hon. Isah E. Dobi |
| | Hon. Muh'd Umar Jega | Hon. Clever M. Ikisikpo | Hon. Patrick Obahiagbon |
| | Hon. Kabiru Marafa Achida | Hon. Florence Tinuke Akinwale | Hon. H. S. Dickson |
| | Hon. IsaM. Asheru | Hon. Umar Buba Jibril | Hon. Khadya B. A. Ibrahim |
| | Hon. Albert Abiodun Adeogun | Hon. Omo Christopher Isu | Hon. Ayo Adeseun |
| | Hon. Abike Dabiri | Hon. Juliet Akano | Hon. Patty Etete Inemeh |
| | Hon. OtunbaE. O. Adedeji | Hon. Gbenga Elegbeleye | Hon. Chuka Ama-Nwauwa |
| | Hon. Rufus Omeire | Hon. Kalu I. U. | Hon. Jim K. Audu |
| | Hon. Mohammed Darangi | Hon. Sada Soli Jibia | Hon. Warman W. Ogoriba |
| | Hon. Abbas Olopoenia | Hon. Christina Demnenge Alaaga | Hon. Ihiabe S. A. Positive |
| | Hon. Isah Idris Umaru | Hon. Eziuche Ubani | Hon. Betty Apiafi |
| | Hon. O. P. Nwogu | Hon. Kamil Akinlabi Mudashiru | Hon. Agoro Lanre A. |
| | Hon. Halima Hassan Turkur | Hon. Ofor Chukwuegbo | Hon. Bitrus B. Kaze |
| | Hon. Elizabeth Ogbaga | Hon. Sylvester Ogbaga | Hon. Omo Christopher Isu |
| | Hon. Kolawole Ismaila | Hon. Oguakwa K. Graham-Bur | Hon. Patrick Ikhariale |
| | Hon. Herman Hembe | | |

The House:

Notes the importance of fish as a source of protein and its operation as a means of gainful employment and source of revenue;

Worried about the increasing incidence of hijacking of coastal vessels engaged in fishing operations in the costal regions of Lagos, Delta, Rivers, Ondo and Bayelsa States;

Aware of the recent complaint and public outcry for help by the Nigerian Trawler Owners Association (NITOA) in combating the growing menace of sea piracy in Nigerian coastal waters;

Disturbed that if this menace is not checked, cost of insurance cover for ship movement into Nigeria would increase and have negative effects on various sectors of the economy;

Concerned that the fate of 8 Captains and 96 crew members of fishing vessels who were recently abducted to unknown location by these pirates from their vessels in Sambrayo in Bayelsa State is unknown;

Further worried about the apparent inability of the Nigerian Navy to effectively combat this growing trend in the Nigerian coastal waters;

Further concerned that this unchallenged and growing trend of coastal piracy may be directly linked to the growing cases of theft of Nigeria crude oil estimated at about 500,000 barrels per day;

Resolves to:

- (i) Condemn in very strong terms the apparent lack of will by the Nigerian Navy to seriously combat sea piracy in Nigerian coastal waters especially the inability to move swiftly to save the lives of the hapless Captain and their vessels, resulting in brazen acts of kidnapping, torture, murder, rape and robbery by pirates;
- (ii) Set up an *Ad-hoc* Committee to investigate the inability of the Nigerian Navy to protect our maritime assets and to ascertain the adequacy of measures used in protecting our waters and the level of preparedness of the Nigeria Navy to fight coastal crime and make appropriate recommendations to the House within 60 legislative days.

BILLS

2. A Bill for an Act to Establish the National Commission for Conciliation and Arbitration, National Labour Council, the Office of the Registrar of Trade Unions, etc. to Administer the Provisions of Labour Laws in Nigeria and for Matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 90) — *Second Reading*.
3. A Bill for an Act to Repeal and Re-Enact the National Agricultural Seeds Council Act, 1992 and for Other Related Matters, 2008 (HB. 124) — *Second Reading*.
4. **Consolidation of Bills:**
 - (a) A Bill for an Act to Establish the National Food Reserve Agency and for matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 123) — *Second Reading*.
 - (b) A Bill for an Act to Establish the National Strategic Food Reserve Agency and for Matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 102) — *Second Reading*.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

5. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Nigerian Accounting Standards Board Act, No. 22 of 2003 and Enact the Financial Reporting Council of Nigeria Act and for Related Matters, 2008 (HB. 38) {*Adjourned Consideration: 10/9/2008*}.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

	<i>Committee</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>
1.	Rules and Business	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 Assembly Complex
2.	Power (<i>Meeting with Minister of Energy and MDAs under die Ministry</i>)	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	1.00 p.m.	Committee Room 107 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
3.	Agriculture	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 03 Assembly Complex

4.	Cooperation and Integration in Africa	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 436 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
5.	Judiciary and Justice (<i>Joint Meeting, Ad-hoc Committee on screening of nominees of Chairman and Commissioner of Law Reform Commission</i>)	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	1.30 p.m.	Committee Room 08 Assembly Complex
6.	Interior	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 14 Assembly Complex
7.	Constituency Outreach	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 415 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
8.	Water Resources (<i>Meeting with Ad-hoc Committee on Water Resources Development Commission</i>)	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	1.30 p.m.	Committee Room 23 Assembly Complex
9.	Internal Security	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008		
10.	Health	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008		
11.	Works	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 18 Assembly Complex
12.	Pensions (<i>Meeting with PENCOM and other Stakeholders</i>)	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 313 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
13.	Governmental Affairs	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008		
14.	Education	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	1.00 p.m.	Committee Room 312 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
15.	Labour, Employment and Productivity	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008		
16.	Ethics and Privileges	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	1.30 p.m.	
17.	Gas Resources	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	1.30 p.m.	

				New Building (House) Assembly Complex
18.	Foreign Affairs	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.00 p.m.	
				Committee Room 304 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
19.	Capital Market and Institutions	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	2.30 p.m.	
				Committee Room 19 Assembly Complex
20.	FCT	Tuesday, 28 October, 2008	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 327 New Building Assembly Complex