



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

ORDER PAPER

Wednesday, 15 October, 2008

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

PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

1. **Committee on HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria Control:**
Hon. Oluwole Olakunde:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria".
2. **Committee on Judiciary:**
Hon. Mulikat Akande-Adeola:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Judiciary".
3. **Committee on Legislative Compliance:**
Hon. Daemi Kunaiyi-Akpanah:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Legislative Compliance".
4. **Committee on Public Petitions:**
Hon. C. I. D. Maduabum:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Public Petitions".
5. **Committee on Youth and Social Development:**
Hon. Debo Oyedokun:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Youth and Social Development".

ORDERS OF THE DAY

MOTION

3. **Alignment and Reconstruction of the Dangerous Bends along Lafia-Akwanga Road in Nassarawa State:**

Hon. Shauibu Hashimu Abdullahi	Hon Isa Ambaka	Hon. Muhammed Alamkura
Hon. Ahmed Aliyu Wadada	Hon. Samuel Egya	Hon. Emmanuel Jime
Hon. Ogbuefi Ozomgbachi	Hon. J. J. Idachaba	Hon. Njidda Gella

Hon. Makanjuola Gbenga
Hon. TsegbaTerngu
 The House:

Hon. Saudatu Sani

Hon. Emmanuel N. Deeyah

Notes that the 77km Lafia-Akwanga road is a major link between the Southern and Northern parts of Nigeria;

A ware that the road is a narrow two lane road, characterized by dangerous bends that require alignment and rehabilitation;

Disturbed that several lives have been lost over the years due to the deplorable state of the road;

Worried about the untold hardships suffered by commuters whenever the road is cut off or blocked due to frequent accidents and vehicle breakdown;

Concerned with the non-release and utilization of funds appropriated in the past four years for the rehabilitation of the road;

Resolves to:

- (I) Urge the Federal Government to immediately begin the dualization of the Road or provide an alternative access route by embarking on the construction of Lafia-Doma Rafin Gabas - Nasarawa - Ara - Apo - Abuja Road;
- (//) Urge the Federal Government to ensure timely release of funds allocated for road construction and rehabilitation nationwide before the end of the current financial year.

BILLS

- 2. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Trade Unions Act, Trade Disputes Act and make Comprehensive Provision for Collective Labour Relations and for Matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 89) — *Second-Reading*.
- 3. A Bill for an Act to Provide a Framework for the Regulation, Development and Management of a National Health System and set Standards for Rendering Health Services in the Federation, and for Other Matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 108) — *Second Reading*.
- 4. A Bill for an Act to make Provision for the Regulation and Registration of Lobbyists in Nigeria and for Matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 113) — *Second Reading*.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

5. **Committee on Privatization and Commercialization:**

Hon. Njida Gella:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Privatization and Commercialization on the Sale of Ajaokuta Steel Company in Kogi State to Global Infrastructure (Nig.) Ltd and approve the Recommendations Therein" (*Laid: 17/7/2008*).

Recommendations:

- (i) The Joint Committee recommends that **the** decision of the Federal Executive Council be upheld in respect of Ajaokuta Steel Company Ltd and Nigerian Iron Ore Mining Company (NIOMCO);
- (n) That the Federal Executive Council should set up a Presidential Committee to convene a Stakeholders Forum on the way forward for the Nigerian Steel Industry that will culminate into a National Steel Policy in support of Vision 2020;
- (in) That the workers' outstanding salaries and allowances should be paid in full;
- (iv) That in respect of KOCH Nigeria Ltd, all the contract outstanding bills on Itakpe be paid after proper assessment of their claims by the Federal Ministry of Mines and Steel;
- (v) That in the future, all transactions concerning Privatization and Commercialization of Public Enterprise must be carried out through the National Council on Privatization (NCP) and Bureau of Public Enterprise (BPE) in accordance **with** section 1 of the 1999 Public Enterprises (Privatisation and Commercialization) Act.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

	<i>Committee 1.</i>	<i>Date</i> Wednesday,	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>
	Rules and Business	15 October, 2008	10.00 a.m.	Committee Room 06 Assembly Complex
2.	Federal Character	Wednesday, 15 October, 2008	11.00 a.m.	Committee Room 17 Assembly Complex
3.	Pensions	Wednesday, 15 October, 2008	12.00 p.m.	Committee Room 1.04 New Building (House) Assembly Complex