



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

ORDER PAPER

Thursday, 17 April, 2008

1. Prayers
2. Approval of the Votes and Proceedings
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PRESENTATION OF REPORT

**Committee on Police Affairs: Hon.
Paulinus Igwe Nwagu:**

"That this House do receive the Report of the House Committee on Police Affairs on the Anti Riot Policemen in a killing spre4e and arson attack in Ogaminana Town in Adavi Local Government Area of Kogi State".

ORDERS OF THE DAY

MOTION

1. Upsurge in Cases of Armed Robbery and Shooting of Nigerians in

South Africa:

Hon. Oduwaiye Gbenga Hon.
Sokonte Davies Hon. Peter Linus
Umoh Hon. Kalu Igu Uduma
Hon. Bashir Adamu Hon.
Ahmed Tsoho Kargi Hon.
Danlami Hamza Hon. Egberibin
Donald Jacob The House:

Hon. Tata A. Omar Hon.
Olumuyiwa B. Obadina Hon.
Maimunat Adaji Hon. Lynda
Chuba Ikpeazu Hon. Kabiru
Marafa Achida Hon. Halima
Hassan Tukur Hon. Dahiru
Zubairu Hon. Ini Udoka

Hon. Yakubu Dogara Hon.
Kareem T. Abisodun Hon.
Mohammed K. Darangi Hon.
Sada Soli Jibia Hon.
Mohammed A. Saleh Hon.
Nkeiruka Onyejeocha Hon.
Muhammad Sani Hon.
Chukwuma Umeoji:

Notes the recent upsurge in the unwarranted harassment, intimidation, brutalisation and cases of robbery attacks on Nigerians in South Africa especially those arriving through the South African Airports;

Concerned that South African immigration officials amongst others are being alleged of complicity in such robberies that have taken familiar designs;

Alarmed at the more worrisome recent dimension of cases of extra-judicial and unprovoked shooting of Nigerians on the streets by officers of the South African Police;

Aware that the centre-piece of Nigeria's Foreign Policy is "Citizen Diplomacy" which makes a Nigerian Citizen, wherever he or she may be, the focal point of Nigeria's interest;

Further aware of the leadership role that Nigeria played during the emancipation struggles of South Africa during and after the Apartheid regime and the resultant feelings of camaraderie and mutual respect between the two countries until late;

Resolves to:

- (i) - -urge the Federal Government to convey the strong displeasure of our Nation as regards these attacks, - to the South African government and demand cogent explanations thereabout as well as necessary guarantees as to the security of lives and property of Nigerians in that country;
- (ii) direct the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to investigate the upsurge in seemingly systematic armed robbery attacks and unprovoked shootings of Nigerians in South Africa and to report its findings to this House;
- (iii) ensure that victims of such attacks are given proper medical care by our Consulate in South Africa and are duly compensated for their injuries and losses.

BILLS

- (a) A Bill for an Act to Establish a Trust Fund for the Physically Challenged in Nigeria and for Other Matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 37) - *Second Reading*.
- (b) A Bill for an Act to Ensure full Integration of Nigerians with Disability into the Society and to Establish a National Commission for Persons with Disability and Vest it with the Responsibilities for their Education, Health Care and Protection of their Social, Economic, Civil and Political Rights and for Other Matters Connected Therewith, 2008 (HB. 46) — *Second Reading*.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

A Bill for an Act to make Public Record and Information more freely available, provide for Public Access to Public Records and Information, Protect Public Records and Information to the extent consistent with the Public Interest and the Protection of Personal Privacy, Protect Serving Public Officials from adverse consequences for disclosing certain kinds of Official Information without authorisation and Establish Procedure for the achievement of those Purposes and Related Purposes Thereof, 2007 (HB. 3) — *Committee of Whole 14/11/2007*.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

<i>Committee</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>
Rules and Business (Review of the Standing Orders)	Thursday, 17 April, 2008	4.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 Assembly Complex
Niger-Delta Development Commission	Thursday, 17 April, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 305 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
Communications (Meeting with Minister of Information)	Thursday, 17 April, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 312 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
Public Procurement	Thursday, 17 April, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 07 Assembly Complex
Commerce	Thursday, 17 April, 2008	1.30 p.m.	Committee Room 03 Assembly Complex
Conference Committee on Certain Political and Judicial Office Holders Bill, 2008)	Thursday, 17 April, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 324 New Building (Senate) Assembly Complex