



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

ORDER PAPER

Tuesday, 20 May, 2008

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

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

1. Nigerian Social Welfare Commission (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2008 (HB. 52) (*Hon. Iorwase H. Hembe and 44 Others*) — *First Reading*.
2. National Graduates Employment Programme (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2008 (HB. 56) (*Hon. Bassey Etim*) — *First Reading*.

PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

1. **Joint Committee on Environment and Emergency and Disaster Preparedness:**
Hon. Duro Faseyi:
"That this House do receive the Report of the Joint Committee on Environment and Emergency and Disaster Preparedness on the Flood Disaster in Parts of Wase Federal Constituency and 6 other Local Government Areas of Plateau State" (*Mandated on: 13/11/2007*).
2. **Committee on Interior:**
Hon. West Idahosa:
"That this House do receive the Report of the Committee on Interior on the Urgent Need for the Relocation of Ikot Ekpene Prison to its Permanent Site" (*Mandated on: 14/11/2007*).
3. **Joint Committee on Works, Power and Steel and Water Resources:**
Hon. Chuma Nzeribe:
"That this House do receive the Report of the Joint Committee on Works, Power and Steel and Water Resources on giving Priority to Abandoned Federal Government Projects (*Mandated on: 15/11/2007*).

ORDERS OF THE DAY

BILLS

1. Federal Capital Territory Appropriation Bill, 2008 — *Second Reading {First Allotted Day}*.

2. A Bill for An Act to Provide for Fines in Enactments to be Expressed in Terms of Penalty Units; to Provide for the Amounts of Fines in Existing Enactments to be Converted Into Penalty Units and to Provide for Connected Matters, 2008 (HB. 45) — *Second Reading*.
 3. A Bill for an Act to Abolish and Prohibit Dichotomy and Discrimination Between First Degrees and the Higher National Diploma in the Same Profession/field and Related Matters 2008 (HB.48) — *Second Reading*.
 4. A Bill for an Act to Establish the National Climate Change Commission of Nigeria for the Strategic Planning and Co-ordination of National Policies in the Field of Climate Change and Energy and for Matters Connected Therewith, 2007 (HB. 22) - *Second Reading*.
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CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

5. **Committee on Police Affairs:**

Hon. Paulinus Igwe Nwagu:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Police Affairs on the Anti Riot Policemen in a Killing Spree and Arson attack in Ogaminana Town in Adavi Local Government Area of Kogi State and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Laid: 17/4/2008*).

Recommendations:

- (i) That the House should urge the Kogi State Police Command to train its officers and men on the way and manner to go about managing crisis in future;
- (ii) Urge the elites in the area to forget their difference and call on the youths to allow a conducive atmosphere for the National Iron Ore Mining Company's (NIOMCO) operations and production in the area for the benefit of all;
- (iii) Urge the Federal Government to call on National Iron Ore Mining Company to pay all outstanding entitlements to its employees and retrenched workers as well as bring out strategies that would strengthen its social relation with the host Community;
- (iv) Urge the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) to provide relief materials to the affected people and assist in rehabilitating them;
- (v) Urge the State and Adavi Local Government Authorities to assist in the rehabilitation of the damaged structures and vehicles as a result of the incident;
- (vi) To ensure lasting peace in the area, the people need to be much more educated on the operations and the limitations of the National Iron Ore Mining Company.

6. **Committee on Marine Transport:**

Hon. Ifeanyi Ugwanyi:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Committee on Marine Transport on the Under-Utilization of Sapele Sea Port and Abandonment of the Facilities at the Sapele Sea Port and approve the Recommendations Therein"

Recommendations:

- (i) That the Nigerian Navy move its Engineering Training College to another site such as the Naval logistic centre under construction in Oghara. They should be given a transitional period of 15 months to complete the movement;
- (ii) That the Sapele seaport be reverted to its original use i.e. commercial seaport and the Nigerian Ports Authority (NPA) should be allowed to takeover the port facilities with a well planned take-over programme aimed at the restoration of a full blown commercial activities;
- (iii) That there is an urgent need for an inter-governmental and Community relations initiative by the three tiers of government aimed at ensuring harmonious relationship between the personnel representing each tier;

- (iv) That there is the need for the presence of security personnel at Sapele seaport on resumption of commercial activities to curb the activities of Niger Delta militants and hoodlums that could disrupt normal business activities in the port in their struggle for the emancipation of the region;
- (v) That the relevant House Committees be charged to ensure the implementation of any of the above Recommendation(s).

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

	<i>Committee</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>
1.	Rules and Business	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 Assembly Complex
2.	Education	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 313 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
3.	Public Petitions (<i>Investigative Hearing</i>)	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 429 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
4.	Army	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.30 p.m.	Committee Room 13 Assembly Complex
5.	Petroleum Resources	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 440 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
6.	Defence	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 120 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
7.	Customs Services	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 221 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
8.	Emergency and Disaster Preparedness (<i>Meeting with NOS DRA & FRSQ</i>)	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 312 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
9.	Women Affairs (<i>Inauguration of the Gender Electoral Reform</i>)	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	7.00 p. m.	Hearing Room 022 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
10.	Health	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 313 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
11.	Water Resources	Tuesday, 20 May, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 23 Assembly Complex