



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

ORDER PAPER

Thursday, 31 July, 2008

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

1. Patriot Alarm Bill, 2008 (HB. 117) (*Hon. Arole Fancy*) — *First Reading*.
2. Mobile Telephone Line Registration Bill, 2008 (HB. 118) (*Hon. Arole Fancy*) — *First Reading*.
3. Court Order Elections (Streamlining of Tenure) Bill, 2008 (HB. 83) (*Hon. H. S. Dickson*) — *First Reading*.

PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

1. **Committee on Interior:**
Hon. E. West Idahosa:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Interior".
2. **Committee on Environment:**
Hon. Duro Faseyi:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Environment".
3. **Committee on Communications:**
Hon. Jerry Manwe:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Communications".
4. **Committee on Federal Capital Territory Administration:**
Hon. Atai Ali Usman Aidoko:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Federal Capital Territory Administration".
5. **Committee on Federal Capital Territory Area Councils:**
Hon. David Idoko:
"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Federal Capital Territory Area Councils".

6. **Committee on Niger Delta Development Commission:****Hon. Agboola Ajayi:**

"That this House do receive the 2007/2008 Sessional Report of the Committee on Niger Delta Development Commission".

MOTIONS

1. Recession of the House decision on the 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):

Hon. Ita Enang**Hon. Shuaibu H. Abdullah****Hon. Ezeiuche Ubani****Hon. Aminu Musa****Hon. Samson Osagie****Hon. Mulikat A. Adeola****Hon. Fatima R. Rasaki****Hon. Adedeji Emmanuel O.****Hon. Muraina S. Ajibola****Hon. A. T. Sam Tsokwa****Hon. Bala Adamu Kuta****Hon. Adeogun A. Abiodun****Hon. Bala Ibn Na' Allah****Hon. Dave Salako****Hon. Abba Lawan****Hon. Aminu Musa Koko****Hon. Emmanuel Jime**

The House:

Notes that on November 14, 2007, by a Resolution and pursuant to Order XV, Rule 8, committed the 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 to the Committee of Whole for consideration;

Aware that several Honourable Members have requested that this motion be brought to rescind the said decision and recommit it to the Joint Committee on Information and Justice for further legislative input into the Bill;

Further aware that the need has now arisen for the House to revisit the said decision on the Bill in the public interest;

Resolves to:

Rescind her decision of Wednesday, November 14, 2007 on the said Bill and order its re-committal to the Joint Committee on Information and Justice.

Imminent Collapse of the Enugu-Onitsha Federal Highway at Onyeama Mines:**Hon. Pat. Asadu****Hon. Uche Ekwunife****Hon. Paul Eze****Hon. Ifeanyi Ugwuanyi****Hon. Mohammed S. Abdu****Hon. Gil Nnaji****Hon. Peace Nnaji****Hon. Esemey Eyiboh****Hon. Ogbuefi Ozomgbachi****Hon. Darlington Okereke****Hon. Ofor Chukwuegbo****Hon. Adamu G. Kalba****Hon. Christopher Eta****Hon. Chinyere Igwe****Hon. Kareem T. Abisodun****Hon. Stanley Ohajuruka****Hon. Agoro Lanre****Hon. Bitrus Kaze****Hon. David M. Ilo****Hon. Abba Anas Adamu****Hon. Elizabeth Ogbaga****Hon. Kayode Amusan****Hon. Danladi M. Liman****Hon. Hassan A. Shekarau****Hon. Mikail Bmitosahi****Hon. Umeoji Chukwuma****Hon. J. J. Idachaba****Hon. Ahmed Dayyabu****Hon. Asita Honourable****Hon. Haruna M. Fatahi****Hon. Dele Obadina****Hon. Oyetunji P. Omotayo****Hon. Chukwuka Onyema****Hon. Chinedu Eluemunoh****Hon. Bala Adamu Kuta****Hon. Ibrahim M. Garba****Hon. Emma Uchieze****Hon. Sabbath Sandy Obot****Hon. Emmanuel Jime****Hon. Nnana Uzor Kalu****Hon. Innocent Chima****Hon. Kalu Uduma**

The House:

Notes the imminent collapse of the Enugu - Onitsha Federal Highway at Onyeama Mines Section which links the South Eastern States, South-South States and the Northern parts of the country;

Worried that both lanes of the road are under serious threat of imminent collapse from erosion at the Onyeama Mines and the erosion of Abor Hills and Valleys from Enugu City;

Regrets the disastrous consequences the collapse of this road would have on the economic and commercial activities in the area;

Further worried that repair works on this road which was done haphazardly had completely stopped in spite of the rainy season;

Further aware that only an immediate/urgent intervention from the Federal Ministries of Transportation and Environment and Housing can prevent this road from being totally destroyed by erosion;

Resolves to:

- (i) Urge the Federal Ministries of Transportation and Environment and Housing to quickly intervene and stop the destruction of the Enugu-Onitsha Federal Highway by erosion;
- (i) Mandate the House Joint Committee on Works, Environment and Legislative Compliance to liaise with the relevant agencies to ensure speedy action on the repair works on the road and report to the House within 8 weeks.

3.	Violation of Constitutional Provision in Granting Immigrant Status and Resident Permit:		
	Hon. Fatimat Raji-Rasaki	Hon. K. G. B. Oguakwu	Hon. Iho, David M.
	Hon. Uche Ekwunife	Hon. Igwe P. Nwagu	Hon. Kayode Idowu
	Hon. Ofor Chukwuegbo	Hon. Adewusi Rasak	Hon. Duro Faseyi
	Hon. Depo Oyedokun	Hon. Galiru Garba Salako	Hon. Nnenna U.
	Hon. Agoro Lanre	Hon. Betty Apiafi	Hon. Elizabeth Ogbaga
	Hon. Folake Olunloyo O.	Hon. Chuma Nzeribe	Hon. Bassey E. Otu
	Hon. John Halims Agoda	Hon. Aro Samuel Bamidele	Hon. Daniel Reyeniiyi
	Hon. Lynda Chuba Ikpeazu	Hon. Florence Tinuke Akinwale	Hon. Asita Honourable
	Hon. Nasiru Sule Garo	Hon. Olaka Nwogu	Hon. Garba Musa G.
	Hon. Ahmed Dayyabu	Hon. Suleiman Oba Nimata	Hon. M. S. Ibrahim
	Hon. A. M. Sadiq	Hon. Dele Obadiwi	Hon. Halima Hassan
	Hon. J. J. Idachaba	Hon. Muhammad Sani Abdu	Hon. Nkeiruka Onyejeocha
	Hon. Sani A. Dabai	Hon. Oyewole Diya	Hon. Emmanuel Jime
	Hon. Kamil A. Mudashiru	Hon. Saudatu Sani	Hon. Herman Hembe
	Hon. Rufus Gueire	Hon. Olabanji Olayemi	Hon. Isah Idris Umaru
	Hon. Abraham Khalid M.	Hon. Akindahunsi Titilayo	Hon. Umar Buba Jibril
	Hon. Muhammad U. Jega	Hon. Overah, O. Joyce	Hon. Albert T. Sam-Tsokwa
	Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila	Hon. Shuaibu H. Abdullahi	Hon. Bush Alebiosu
	Hon. Aminu Shehu Shagari	Hon. Maimunat U. Adaji	
	The House:		

Notes that section 32 of the 1999 Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria grants the spouse of a Nigerian citizen a special immigrant status with full resident status;

Further notes that the said provision is in agreement with international practices in developed democracies world-wide;

Aware that the Immigration Department of the Ministry of Interior is not complying with this constitutional provision as men folks whose wives are Nigerian citizens are often denied of the Special Immigrant Status and Resident Permit;

Regrets that the breach of this Constitutional provision is also an inhibition to family harmony;

Resolves to:

- (i) Condemn the said practice as unconstitutional and an unwarranted inhibition to family harmony;
- (ii) Call on the Minister of Interior to ensure that this provision as enshrined in the Constitution is complied with by granting all spouses of Nigerian citizens, male or female Special Immigrant Status without any discrimination whatsoever.

4.

The Need to Resume Oil Exploration in the Benue Trough:

Hon. Muhammad Sani Abdu
 Hon. Gurai Alhaji Adamu
 Hon. Shuaibu Umar Galadima
 Hon. Oluwale Olu
 Hon. Nkeiruka Onyejeocha
 Hon. Darlington Okereke
 Hon. Samiala Mohammed
 Hon. Ahmad Aliyu Wadada
 Hon. Salisu Yusuf Majirmi
 Hon. Jibo Muhammed
 Hon. Albert T. Sam-Tsokwa
 Hon. IsaM. Ashiru
 Hon. Ogbuefi Ozomgbachi

Hon. Ndudi Elumelu
 Hon. Ekperikpe L. Ekpo
 Hon. Leo Ogor
 Hon. CO. Oyelabi
 Hon. Husein N. Abdulkadir
 Hon. Nimota Oba Suleiman
 Hon. Bala Adamu Kuta
 Hon. Mohammed Ali Ndume
 Hon. Mustapha A. Tssyana
 Hon. George E. Daika
 Hon. Abiodun Adesida
 Hon. Njidda A. Gella

Hon. Emmanuel Jimi
 Hon. Hassan A. Haruna
 Hon. Abba Anas Adamu
 Hon. Joseph j. Ajatha
 Hon. Ibrahim Mohd Garba
 Hon. Ahmed Dayyabu
 Hon. Sabbath S. Obot
 Hon. Rabe Nasir
 Hon. Ubale J. Kiru
 Hon. Ahmed M. Salik
 Hon. Ayo Ademola
 Hon. Solomon U. Agidanini

The House:

Notes the Federal Government's intensive and aggressive approach to increase in the Nation's oil reserves by inviting bids for acreage in the country's sedimentary basins of the Benue trough and there was prospect for commercial oil and gas in the area;

Further notes that pursuant to this policy decision of Government, oil exploration activities were commenced by Shell, Chevron and Elf in the Benue Trough;

Aware that a successful oil and gas exploration require commitment, unshakeable and untiring determination for years, before significant commercial deposits are found as was the case in the Niger Delta, Saudi Arabia and Venezuela;

Disturbed that owing to unexplained reasons, the multinational companies given the concession to explore oil and gas in the Benue Trough stopped or abandoned their exploration activities, a move that has negative impact on our country's economy;

Resolves to:

- (i) Urge the Multinational Oil Companies engaged in the Benue Trough to resume the exercise of oil exploration without delay;
- (ii) Mandate the Committee on Petroleum (Upstream) to investigate the reasons for the abrupt stoppage of exploration activities in the Benue Trough and report back to the House within two months.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

Joint Committee on Appropriations and Finance:

Hon Ayoade Ademola Adeseun

"That this House do receive and consider the Report of the Joint Committee on Appropriations and Finance on a Bill for an Act to Amend the 2008 Appropriation Act and Parts A, B, C and D of the Schedule Thereto, 2008 and approve the Recommendations therein".

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO AMEND THE 2008 APPROPRIATION ACT AND
PARTS A, B, C AND D OF THE SCHEDULE THERETO

BE IT ENACTED by the National Assembly of the Federal Republic of Nigeria as follows —

1. The Long Title of the 2008 Appropriation Act is amended as follows —

Amendment of
Long Title to
the 2008
Appropriation
Act.

(a) Delete the Long Title and substitute with the following "A BILL FOR AN ACT TO AUTHORISE THE ISSUE FROM THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND OF THE FEDERATION THE TOTAL SUM OF N2,647,492,865,643.00 (TWO TRILLION, SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY SEVEN BILLION, FOUR HUNDRED AND NINETY TWO MILLION, EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY FIVE THOUSAND, SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY THREE NAIRA) ONLY OF WHICH THE SUM OF N162,570,000,000.00(ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY TWO BILLION, FIVE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY MILLION NAIRA) ONLY IS FOR STATUTORY TRANSFERS AND THE SUM OF N372,200,000,000.00(THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY TWO BILLION, TWO HUNDRED MILLION NAIRA) ONLY IS FOR DEBT SERVICE, WHILE THE SUM OF N1,327,709,334,850.00 (ONE TRILLION, THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY SEVEN BILLION, SEVEN HUNDRED AND NINE MILLION, THREE HUNDRED ANDTHYRTY FOUR THOUSAND, EIGHT HUNDRED AND FIFTY NAIRA) ONLY IS FOR RECURRENT (NON-DEBT) EXPENDITURE AND THE BALANCE OF N785,013,530,793.00 (SEVEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY FIVE BILLION, THIRTEEN MILLION, FIVE HUNDRED AND THIRTY THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED AND NINETY THREE NAIRA) ONLY IS FOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE DEVELOPMENT FUND FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER,2008.

2. The Schedule to the 2008 Appropriation Act is hereby amended by the substitution of the sums appropriated to the heads of expenditure in Parts A (Statutory Transfer), B (Debt Service), C (Recurrent Non-Debt Expenditure) and D (Capital Expenditure) of the Schedule with the sums specified against each such head of expenditure in the fifth column of Parts A, B, C and D of the Schedule to this Act.

Amendment of
Schedule to the
2008
Appropriation
Act.

3. For the purposes of this Act the term "Schedule" includes the Detailed Amended Estimates of expenditure attached thereto.

Interpretation.

4. This Act may be cited as the Appropriation Amendment Act 2008.

Short Title.

SCHEDULE

PART A — STATUTORY TRANSFERS

<i>Head</i>	<i>Transfer</i>	<i>2008 Amendment Appropriation (N)</i>
270000 National Judicial Council	670000	78,000,000,000
Niger-Delta Commission	320606 Universal	40,570,000,000
Basic Education Scheme		44,000,000,000
Total — Statutory Transfer		162,570,000,000

PART B — DEBT SERVICE

<i>Head</i>	<i>Nature of Debt</i>	<i>2008 Amendment Appropriation (N)</i>
400000 Domestic Debts		306,200,000,000
400000 Foreign Debts		66,000,000,000
Total — Debt Service		372,200,000,000

PART C — RECURRENT (NON-DEBT) EXPENDITURE

<i>Head</i>	<i>Ministry/Department/Agency</i>	<i>2008 Amendment Appropriation (N)</i>
200000	Presidency	18,145,275,715
200000	Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation (SGF)	30,121,145,867
210000	Youth Development	41,671,041,861
240000	Women Affairs	1,333,313,909
250000	Agriculture & Water Resources	24,131,603,750
260000	Auditor-General for the Federation	2,297,521,589
280000	Independent Corrupt Practices and Related Offences Commission	2,100,000,002
300000	Defence/MOD/Army/Air Force/Navy	143,151,839,130
320000	Education	167,101,819,621
340000	Foreign and Intergovernmental Affairs	33,384,137,032
350000	Finance	8,041,308,737
360000	Health	89,385,498,735
370000	Commerce and Industry	6,569,520,778
380000	Information and Communications	15,635,613,582
390000	Interior	249,365,178,944
400000	Office of the Head of Service of the Federation	4,852,958,525
410000	Justice	11,657,275,764
420000	Labour and Productivity	5,328,968,502
430000	Science and Technology	10,239,327,452
440000	Transportation	31,791,511,022
460000	Energy	30,378,298,250
490000	Mines and Steel Development	3,831,577,047
600000	National Salaries, Incomes and Wages Commission	340,332,206
530000	Environment, Housing and Urban Development	9,865,443,908
650000	Culture and NOA	9,861,019,598
200000	National Planning Commission	3,867,490,654
200000	National Sports Commission	7,230,227,871
700000	Office of the National Security Adviser	26,389,100,870
	Total Executive	988,068,350,922
	Federal Executive Bodies	
310000	National Population Commission	4,038,712,892
660000	Code of Conduct Bureau	926,325,031
460000	Public Complaints Commission	2,008,996,208
640000	Revenue Mobilisation Fiscal & Allocation Commission	1,870,007,697
470000	Federal Civil Service Commission	1,184,971,443
230150	Police Service Commission	508,910,075
540000	INEC	11,300,581,785
610000	Federal Character Commission	1,796,145,037
	Total — Federal Executive Bodies	23,634,650,168
	The Legislature	
210000	National Assembly Office	7,205,921,645
210050	Senate	28,768,644,134
210100	House of Representatives	47,148,215,964
210601	NASS Service Commission	1,072,551,027
210300	Legislative Aides	4,793,000,990
210350	PAC Secretariat (Senate)	120,000,000
210602	PAC Secretariat (House)	120,000,000
210603	NASS General Services	8,097,000,000
	Total — National Assembly	97,325,333,760
	Consolidated Revenue Fund Charges — General	
400000	Pension - Pay As You Go System	99,900,000,000
400000	Arrears of Parastatals' Pension N Pay As You Go System	3,000,000,000
400000	Life Insurance for Public Servant	5,000,000,000
400000	Transfer to the Redemption Fund	36,100,000,000

Service-Wide Votes

990000 The 35,000 Right-sized Employees' Pension	3,000,000,000
990000 Implementation Of Teachers' Salary Structure	781,000,000
990000 Public Service Wage Adjustments (Including Promotions)	10,000,000,000
990000 ASUU/Other Unions Agreements	16,900,000,000
990000 Judgment Debts	6,000,000,000
Decongestion of Nigerian Prisons	3,000,000,000
990000 Contribution To International Organisations	4,000,000,000
990000 Margin For Increased Costs	3,000,000,000
990000 Contingency	4,000,000,000
990000 Public Service Reforms	22,500,000,000
990000 Bio-Metric Verification of Parastatals' Pensioners	1,500,000,000
Total CRF Charges	218,681,000,000
Total Recurrent (Non-Debt)	1,327,709,334,850

PART D — CAPITAL EXPENDITURE

Head	Ministry/Department/Agency	2008 Amendment Appropriation (N)
200000 Presidency		21,481,564,484
200000 Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation (SGF)		14,090,397,863
210000 Youth Development		5,155,498,646
240000 Women Affairs		1,646,800,000
250000 Agriculture & Water Resources		107,404,647,713
260000 Auditor-General for the Federation		334,000,000
280000 Independent Corrupt Practices and Related Offences Commission		1,488,338,165
300000 Defence/MOD/Army/Air Force/Navy		22,951,298,116
320000 Education		49,910,287,898
330000 Federal Capital Territory Administration		46,058,110,000
340000 Foreign and Intergovernmental Affairs		7,819,685,000
350000 Finance		4,613,547,353
360000 Health		54,589,425,597
370000 Commerce and Industry		1,721,945,271
380000 Information and Communications		3,850,000,000
390000 Interior		21,634,200,154
400000 Office of the Head of Service of the Federation		1,983,969,600
410000 Justice		1,153,365,481
420000 Labour and Productivity		1,068,388,139
430000 Science and Technology		9,008,301,848
440000 Transportation		131,747,381,947
460000 Energy		125,719,895,877
490000 Mines and Steel Development		3,176,675,825
600000 National Salaries, Incomes and Wages Commission		101,015,369
530000 Environment, Housing and Urban Development		6,941,175,000
650000 Culture and NOA		1,889,281,085
200000 National Planning Commission		2,532,509,347
200000 National Sports Commission		2,623,383,294
700000 Office of the National Security Adviser		1,000,000,000
Total Executive		653,695,089,070
Federal Executive Bodies		
310000 National Population Commission		1,181,139,082
660000 Code of Conduct Bureau		255,452,176
640000 Revenue Mobilisation Fiscal & Allocation Commission		500,000,000
470000 Federal Civil Service Commission		100,000,000
230150 Police Service Commission		90,660,000
540000 INEC		1,392,936,000
610000 Federal Character Commission		570,800,704
Total Federal Executive Bodies		4,090,987,962

The Legislature

210000 National Assembly Office	1,300,000,000
210050 Senate	5,000,000,000
210100 House of Representatives	9,000,000,000
210601 NASS Service Commission	297,453,761
Total National Assembly	15,597,453,761

Capital Supplementation

990000 Adjustments to Capital Costs	2,000,000,000
990000 Counterpart Funding	6,000,000,000
990000 MDGS Social Safety Nets	8,000,000,000
990000 Conditional Grants (MDGs)	59,300,000,000
990000 Millennium Development Goals — Monitoring and Evaluation	2,000,000,000
990000 MDGs Capacity Building	2,000,000,000
990000 Provision of Bandwidth and Connectivity for MDAs by Galaxy Backbone Plc	3,000,000,000
Presidential Intervention (P.I.P. roads in Oil Producing States)	28,330,000,000
990000 Development of Bakassi Local Government	1,000,000,000
Total — Capital Supplementation	111,630,000,000
Total Capital Expenditure	785,013,530,793
Aggregate Expenditure	2,647,492,865,643

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

	<i>Committee</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>
1.	Rules and Business	Thursday, 31 July, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 Assembly Complex
2.	Women Affairs and Social Development	Thursday, 31 July, 2008	1.00 p.m.	Committee Room 019 New Building (House) Assembly Complex
3.	Water Resources	Thursday, 31 July, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 23 Assembly Complex
4.	Public Service	Thursday, 31 July, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 17 Assembly Complex
5.	Capital Market and Institutions and Banking and Currency (Joint Meeting)	Thursday, 31 July, 2008	2.00 p.m.	Hearing Room 01 Assembly Complex