

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

FOURTH REPUBLIC  
2ND NATIONAL ASSEMBLY  
THIRD SESSION  
No. 71



ORDER PAPER

Wednesday, 9 November, 2005

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

PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

- 1. Joint Committee on Labour and Productivity, Petroleum Resources and Justice:  
Hon. Solomon Agidani:  
"That this House do receive the Report of the Joint Committee on Labour Employment and Productively, Petroleum Resources and Justice on the Impending increase in Prices of Petroleum Products" (Pursuant to HR. 28/2005 of Thursday, 25 August, 2005).
- 2. Committee on Justice:  
Hon, Alex Nwofe:  
"That this House do receive the Report of the House Committee on Justice on the Remote and Immediate Causes of the Problems Encountered by Law Graduates in Securing Admission into the Nigerian Law School" (Pursuant to HR. 35/2005 of Thursday, 22 September, 2005).
- 3. Committee on Information:  
Hon. Halims Agoda:  
"That this House do receive the Report of the House Committee on Information on the Operation of Digital Satellite Television Services in the Country" (Pursuant to HR. 29/2005 of Tuesday, 30 August, 2005.)
- 4. Committee on Communications:  
Hon. Mustapha Lekan:  
"That this House do receive the Report of the House Committee on Communications on the Investigation into the causes of poor reception provided by Service Providers and contractual conditions between the Service Providers and the Government" (Pursuant to HR. 37/2005 of Wednesday, 12 October. 2005).

ORDERS OF THE DAY

MOTION

- 1. Illegal Admission Examinations by Nigerian Universities:  
Hon. Shehu Garba Matazu      Hon. Altine Shchu Kajiji      Hon. Ibrahim Bawa Kamba  
Hon. Nuhu Bobbo Gurin      Hon. Bello A, Moriki      Hon. Shehu U. A. Yamedi  
Hon. Sule Aliyu Bindawa      Hon. Chidi Nwogu      Hon. Joel Danlami Ikanya

Hon. Terfa Atii  
 Hon. Ben Nwankwo  
 Hon. Osinakachukwu Ideozu  
 Hon. Bassey Otu  
 Hon. Wunmi Bewaji  
 Hon. J. M. Owor  
 Hon. Wale Ogunbanjo  
 Hon. Ike Chinwo  
 Hon. Nnana Uzor Kalu:  
 The House:

Hon. Bashir Idris Nadabo  
 Hon. Femi Onimole Hon.  
 Umar I. El-Yakubu Hon.  
 David Idoko Hon. Zagi  
 Caleb Hon. Abiodun  
 Akinlade Hon. Chidi  
 Duru Hon. George Sekibo

Hon. Peter Jiya Hon. C. I.  
 D. Maduabum Hon. Alex  
 Ukam Hon. Haruna  
 Yerima Hon. Musa Ibrahim  
 Ahmadu Hon. E. Fakeye  
 Hon. Bernard Oboh Hon.  
 Musa Wuyep

*Notes* that in accordance with Section 5 of the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board Act, 1989, the Board is the only legal authority in law charged with the responsibility of conducting admission examinations into our tertiary institutions;

*Further notes* that the Board has performed this function creditably since its establishment;

*Mindful* of the role the Board had played and is still playing in promoting Higher Education in Nigeria and its effort at conducting hitch-free and credible admission examinations to tertiary institutions in Nigeria;

*Concerned* that the recent directives by the Hon. Minister of Education to Nigerian Universities to conduct further admission tests is illegal and unfair to the candidates and a burden to parents/guardians;

*Resolves to:*

- (i) *request* the Hon. Minister of Education to withdraw the directives to Nigerian Universities to conduct fresh admission examinations for candidates who had already scored the required cut-off points in the last JAMB examinations;
- (ii) *mandate* the House Committees on Education and Justice to conduct a Public Hearing on this matter and report to the House within two weeks.

## BILLS

2. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Nigerian Deposit Insurance Corporation Act, 1988 and to Re-Enact the Nigeria Deposit Insurance Corporation Act, 2005; and for Matters Connected Therewith, 2005 (HB. 160)—*Second Reading*.
3. A Bill for an Act to Repeal the Chartered Institute of Bankers of Nigeria Act, 1990 and Re-Enact the Chartered Institute of Bankers of Nigeria; and for Matter Connected Therewith, 2005 (HB.161)—*Second Reading*.
4. A Bill for an Act to Amend the Central Bank of Nigeria Act, (Cap. C4 LFN, 2004); and for Connected Purposes, 2004 (SB.113), 2004—*Second Reading*.

## CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

5. Joint Committee on Governmental Affairs and Justice:  
 Hon. Alex Nwofe:  
 "That this House do consider the Report of the Joint Committee on Governmental Affairs and Justice on A Bill for an Act to Amend the Federal Road Safety Commission Act, Cap. 141, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 1990 and approve the Recommendations therein" {Laid: 11/10/2005}.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

|    |                                                         | <i>Date</i> Wednesday, 9<br>November, 2005 | <i>Time</i><br>10.00 a.m. | <i>Venue</i><br>Committee Room 06<br>Assembly Complex |
|----|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. | Committee Rules<br>and Business                         |                                            |                           |                                                       |
| 2. | Health and Human Services                               | Wednesday, 9 November, 2005                | 11.00 a.m.                | Committee Room 03<br>Assembly Complex                 |
| 3. | Public Accounts (National<br>Hospital Management Board) | Wednesday, 9 November, 2005                | 10.00 a.m.                | Hearing Room 04<br>Assembly Complex                   |
| 4. | Public Accounts                                         | Wednesday, 9 November, 2005                | 11.00 a.m.                | Hearing Room 04<br>Assembly Complex                   |
| 5. | Gas Resources                                           | Wednesday, 9 November, 2005                | 12.00 p.m.                | Committee Room 04<br>Assembly Complex                 |
| 6. | Petroleum Refineries                                    | Wednesday, 9 November, 2005                | 11.00 a.m.                | Committee Room 19<br>Assembly Complex                 |
| 7. | Communications                                          | Wednesday, 9 November, 2005                | 11.00 a.m.                | Hearing Room 03<br>Assembly Complex                   |
| 8. | Joint Committee on the<br>Review of 1999 Constitution   | Wednesday, 9 November, 2005                | 2.00 p.m.                 | Senate Hearing Rm 01<br>Assembly Complex              |