



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA
ORDER PAPER

Thursday, 8 December, 2005

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

PRESENTATION OF REPORT

Joint Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development: Hon. Usman Mani Nasarawa:
"That this House do receive the Report of the Joint Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development on a Bill for Act to Provide for the Establishment of the National Agriculture Development Fund (*Referred 1/9/2005*).

ORDERS OF THE DAY

MOTION

- 1. **Inhuman and Forceful Eviction of Federal Civil Servant from Federal Government High Rise Buildings in Lagos (Bar Beach Towers, Reeve Road Towers, Alagbon Towers):**

Hon. Habeeb A. B. Fasinro	Hon. Oluwole Adeyemi	Hon. Jumoke Okoya-Thomas
Hon. Victor Lar	Hon. Femi Gbajabiamila	Hon. Baba Ahmed Yusuf
Hon. Abdul Ningi	Hon. Mercy Almona -Isei	Hon. Nnanna Uzor Kalu
Hon. Abike Dabiri	Hon. Ita Enang	Hon. Bawa Bwari
Hon. Farouk Lawan	Hon. Gabriel Suswam	Hon. E. Ogon
Hon. Obetan Obetan	Hon. Mohammed A. Maifata:	

The House:

Notes that the occupants of Federal Government High Rise Buildings in Lagos who are Federal civil servants are being physically intimidated, threatened and brutalized by members of the Armed Forces and the Police in the process of forcefully ejecting them;

Aware that there are several injunctions, court orders and rulings against the Federal Government and its agents restraining them from any action until the determination of the various pending substantive suits;

Concerned that the lack of adherence to the rule of law would lead to a break down of law and order which would result in an imminent clash between the residents and the Armed Forces;

Worried that other high rise residents like 1004, Awolowo Road Towers, Eric Moore Towers and Mullimer Road Towers would be the next victims of this brutal and inhumane action;

Regrets that various meetings between the residents and the military has not yielded any positive outcome;

Resolves to:

- (i) *Call* on the Federal Government to adhere to the Rule of Law;
- (it) *Request* the Chief of Defence Staff and Inspector General of Police to withdraw their personnel from the affected houses and stop further intimidation and forceful ejection of the occupants.

BILL

A Bill for an Act to Amend the National Population Act (Cap. N67 LFN 2004) and for Related Purposes, 2005 (SB. 19) - *Second Reading*.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

Joint Committee on Labour, Employment and Productivity, Petroleum Resources and Justice:
Hon. Solomon Agidani:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Joint Committees on Labour, Employment and Productivity, Petroleum Resources and Justice on the increase in Prices of Petroleum Products and approve the Recommendation therein" (*Laid.- 24/11/2005*).

Recommendation:

The due process towards the formulation of a Bill to amend the present PPPRA Act could be commenced in the event of any strong Reservation on any of the provisions of that Act for the consideration of the entire House.

Committee on Petroleum Resources:
Hon. Cairo Ojoughboh:

"That this House do consider the Report of the House Committee on Petroleum Resources on a Bill for an **Act to Make Provision for the Establishment of the Nigeria Extractive Industry Transparency Initiative (NEITI) and Other Matters Connected Therewith, 2005** and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Laid: 30/11/2005*).

Joint Committee on Petroleum Resources and Gas:
Hon. Cairo Ojoughboh:

"That this House do consider the Report of the Joint Committee on Petroleum Resources on a Bill for an Act to Provide for the Change of Name of the Petroleum Technology Development Fund and the Re-Designation and Re-Enactment of the Petroleum Technology Development Act as the Petroleum and Minerals Technology Development Fund Act; and for Other Related Matters and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Laid: 30/11/2005*).

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

	<i>Committee Rules and Business</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>
1.		Thursday, 8 December, 2005	1.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 Assembly Complex
2.	Emergency and Disaster Management	Thursday, 8 December, 2005	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 19 Assembly Complex
3.	Women Affairs and Youth Development	Thursday, 8 December, 2005	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 23 Assembly Complex
4.	Petroleum Resources (<i>Meeting with NNPC and SPDC</i>)	Thursday, 8 December, 2005	1.00 p.m.	Committee Room 22 Assembly Complex
5.	Peace and National Reconciliation (<i>Meeting with NNPC</i>)	Thursday, 8 December, 2005	1.30 p.m.	Committee Room 09 Assembly Complex
6.	Communications	Thursday, 8 December, 2005	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 24 Assembly Complex
7.	National Planning	Thursday, 8 December, 2005	2.30 p.m.	Committee Room 22 Assembly Complex
8.	Sports and Social Development	Thursday, 8 December, 2005	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 23 Assembly Complex