

SENATE OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 10th May, 2006

1. The Senate met at 10. 20 a.m. The President read Prayers.
2. **Votes and Proceedings:**
The Senate President announced that he had examined the Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 9th May, 2006 and approved same.

By unanimous consent, the Votes and Proceedings were adopted.
3. **Announcement:**
The Senate President announced the presence of General Muhammad Buhari (Rtd.), former Head of State, Alhaji Balarabe Musa, former Governor of old Kaduna State and other dignitaries in the gallery to observe Senate proceedings.
4. **Committee on Ethics, Code of Conduct and Public Petitions:**
Report on Petition on Sundry Allegations against Senator Nasiru I. Mantu, Deputy Senate President:
Motion made and Question Proposed: That the Senate do receive the Report of the Committee on Ethics, Code of Conduct and Public Petitions on the petition on sundry allegations against Senator Nasiru I. Mantu, Deputy Senate President (*Senator Titus O. Olupitan*).

Question put and agreed to. Report

Laid.
5. **Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (Amendment) Bill 2006 (SB. 297) (Second Reading)**

(Fourth Allotted Day) (Adjourned Debate Tuesday, 9th May, 2006):

Resumed debate on the Amendment Bill.

The following Senators made contributions:
 - (i) Senator Udoma Udo Udoma
 - (ii) Senator Martyns-Yellowe Ibiapoye S.
 - (iii) Senator Hayatu B. Gwarzo
 - (iv) Senator Abubakar Maikafi
 - (v) Senator Jonathan S. **Zwingina**

- (vi) Senator Saidu M. Dansadau , - -
- (vii) Senator Francis A. Nzeribe
- (viii) Senator Isa **Maina**
- (ix) Senator James E. Manager
- (x) Senator Ledogo L. Maeba
- (xi) Senator Bassey **Ewa-Henshaw**
- (xii) Senator Chris Adighije
- (xiii) Senator Felix O. Ibru
- (xiv) Senator Mahmud K. Bello
- (xv) Senator Gbenga Ogunniya
- (xvi) Senator Sa'ad A. Mohammed
- (xvii) Senator Gregory I. Ngaji
- (xviii) Senator Victor Ndoma-Egba
- (xix) Senator Abu Ibrahim

Extension of Time of Sitting:

Motion made and Question Proposed: That the Senate do sit (this day) beyond the time appointed for the termination of the sitting of the Senate (*Senate majority Leader*).

Question put and agreed to.

Resumed Debate:

- (xx) Senator Nuhu Aliyu
- (xxi) Senator John K. Brambaifa

6. Adjournment:

And it being 2.10 p.m. the Senate President adjourned **the** Senate till Thursday, 1 Hh May, 2006 at 10. 00 a.m.

Adjourned accordingly at 2. 10p.m.

Ken Nnamani
President of the Senate