



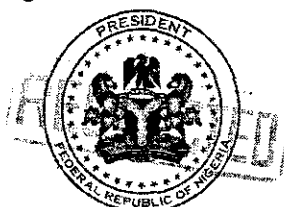
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 18 November, 2009

1. The House met at 11.50 a.m. Mr Speaker read Prayers.
2. **Votes and Proceedings:**
Mr Speaker announced that he had examined and approved the Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 17 November, 2009.

By unanimous consent, the Votes and Proceedings was adopted.

3. **Message:**
Mr Speaker read the following Message from the President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria:



PRESIDENT,
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

November 16, 2009

*The Rt Honourable Dimeji Bankole, CFR
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
National Assembly Complex,
Three-Arms Zone,
Abuja.*

Dear brother,

**FORWARDING OF A DRAFT BILL FOR AN ACT TO
ESTABLISH THE NATIONAL LAND REFORM
COMMISSION AND FOR RELATED MATTERS**

I forward herewith, for your kind consideration and passage into law, a Bill for an Act to Establish the National Land Reform Commission and for Related Matters.

It is my hope that this Bill will receive the usual expeditious consideration of the Honourable Members.

Please accept, Mr Speaker, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed)

UMARA MUSA YAR'ADUA

4. Announcement:

Visitors:

Mr Speaker acknowledged the presence in the Gallery, of:

- (i) Staff and Students of Jehovah Jireh International College, Taraba State;
- (ii) Staff and Pupils of God's Anointed Nursery/Primary School, Nyanya, Abuja;
- (iii) National Association of Public Administration Students, Kogi State University, Ayingba, Kogi State;
- (iv) Members of the Apos Foundation of Nigeria.

5. Matters of Urgent Public Importance:

- (i) Rising on Order V of Rule 4, of the Standing Orders of the House, Hon. Beni Lar drew the attention of the House to the publication in the 'ThisDay' Newspapers of Tuesday, 17 November, 2009 and reported that Nigerians living in some part of Bakasi were being forced to leave the area. She noted that such eviction posed a lot of danger to the nation and urged the House to consider the matter as one of Urgent Public Importance.

Question that the matter be considered as one of Urgent Public Importance, put and agreed to.

Matter to Stand-over till the next Legislative Day.

- (ii) Further rising on Order VIII, Rule 4, of the Standing Orders of the House, Hon. Dino Melaye referred to the Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 17 November, 2009 item 5 (i) and maintained that the \$300m World Bank loan recently accepted by the Government did not follow due process. He noted that the country's exit from the debtor nations had been negated by the present loan.

Matter referred to the Chairman, Committee on Rules and Business, Finance and Aids, Loans and Debt Management and Hon. Dino Melaye to confer with them.

6. Privileges:

- (i) Relying on Order V of Rule 1 of the Standing Orders of the House, Hon. Samson Positive referred to the House Resolution (HR. 61/2009) calling on the Hon. Minister of Federal Capital Territory to remove the speed bumps within the Abuja Metropolis and noted that the publication in the 'Daily Trust' Newspapers of Wednesday, 18 November, 2009, was to the effect that the Hon. Minister would not comply with the resolution.

Mr Speaker directed the Chairman, Committee on Federal Capital Territory to take up the matter with the Hon. Minister of F.C.T.

- (ii) Also referring to Order V, Rule 1 of the Standing Orders of the House, Hon. Igo Aguma drew the attention of the House to the publication in the 'ThisDay' Newspapers of Wednesday, 18 November, 2009 and noted that the appointment of the Director-General, Bureau of Public Procurement did not comply with the provisions of the Public Procurement Act due to non-constitution of the National Council on Public Procurement before his appointment.

Mr Speaker upheld Hon. Igo Aguma's Point of Order and directed the Committee on Public Procurement to investigate the matter and report back to the House.

- (iii) Relying on Order V, Rule 4 of the Standing Orders of the House, Hon. Halims Agoda, referred to the Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 17 November, 2009, item 6 on Petroleum Products Deregulation and complained that the reports in the 'ThisDay' Newspapers of Wednesday, 18 November, 2009 was contrary to the House Resolution on the Petroleum Products Deregulation. He read the House Resolution as a confirmation of the Newspapers misrepresentation and called on the Media to always correctly report the proceedings of the House to avoid misleading the general public.

Mr. Speaker ordered the Chairman, Rules and Business to take up the matter.

7. Presentation of Reports:

(i) Joint Committee on Appropriations and Finance:

Motion made and Question proposed, " That this House do receive the Report of the Joint Committee on Appropriations and Finance on a Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦353,600,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-Three Billion, Six Hundred Million Naira) only, of which ₦100,050,000,000 (One Hundred Billion, Fifty Million Naira), only, is for additional Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the balance of ₦253,550,000,000 (Two Hundred and Fifty-Three Billion, Five Hundred and Fifty Million Naira) only, is for contribution to the Development Fund for additional Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 2010" (*Hon. Ayoade Adeseun*).

Question put and agreed to.

Report laid.

(ii) Joint Committee on Police Affairs and National Security and Intelligence:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That this House do receive the Report of the Joint Committee on Police Affairs and National Security and Intelligence on the Grave Security Situation in Anambra State" (*Hon. Abdul Ahmed Ningi*).

Question put and agreed to.

Report laid.

8. Approval of \$500 Million Loan in Accordance with Debt Management Office Act, 2003:

Motion made and Question proposed:

The House:

Notes that Mr President in his letter dated 27 July, 2009 requested the House to endorse the Emergency Supplementary Expenditure to effectively respond to current challenges;

Recall that 2009 Appropriation Act inadvertently omitted or insufficiently provided for certain items;

Aware that the Supplementary budget would be funded from a Special concessional facilities from the World Bank.

Appreciates that the concessionary terms for the World Bank facility include zero interest rate, 0.75% for service charge, 0.5% commitment charge on undisbursed balance, 10 years grace period and 40 year repayment period, among others;

Further aware that the World Bank Loan, if approved would address core infrastructural development in Power, Works, Transport and Aviation Sectors;

Resolves to:

- (i) approve the request of Mr President in the equivalent amount of \$500 million as Loan from the World Bank;
- (ii) further approve from the World Bank Account the distribution of the Federal Government's share of the Excess Crude disbursed earlier this year amounting to ₦98,873 Billion Naira or such other as at today (*Hon. Tunde Akogun*).

Debate:

Amendment Proposed:

Leave out all the words in *clause (ii)* and *insert* the following instead thereof:
 "Further approve the distribution of the Federal Government's share disbursed earlier this year amounting to ₦98,873 billion Naira or such other as at today" (*Hon. Leo Ogor*).

Question that the amendment be made, put and agreed to.

Main Question as amended be put and agreed to.

The House:

Noted that Mr President in his letter dated 27 July, 2009 requested the House to endorse the Emergency Supplementary Expenditure Bill so that the Government can effectively respond to current challenges;

Recalled that 2009 Appropriation Act inadvertently omitted or insufficiently provided for certain items;

Aware that the Supplementary Budget would be funded from a Special concessional facilities from the World Bank.

Appreciated that the concessional terms for the World Bank facility include zero interest rate, 0.75% for service charge, 0.5% commission charge on undisbursed balance, 10 years grace period and 40 year repayment period, among others;

Further aware that the World Bank Loan, if approved would address core infrastructural development in Power, Works, Transport and Aviation Sectors;

Resolved to:

- (i) approve the request of Mr. President in the equivalent amount of \$500 million as Loan from the World Bank;
- (ii) further approve the distribution of the Federal Government's share disbursed earlier this year amounting to ₦98.873 billion naira or such other as at today (**HR. 71/2009**).

9. Recission: Re: Public Procurement (Amendment) Act:

Motion made and Question proposed:

The House:

Whereas the House, upon conference with the Senate did pass the harmonized version of the Public Procurement Act, (Amendment) Bill, 2009;

Whereas upon passage, a clerical error reading revealed lacuna, and possible conflict between the Principal Act sought to be amended and the harmonized amendment Bill itself, particularly Section 35 (1) of the Amendment Bill;

Whereas it is expedient that the said Bill be re-called and recommitted for re-consideration of the said Bill to eliminate the apparent conflict and to save time of possible amendment after Mr President's assent, or avoid possible withholding of assent by Mr President;

It is therefore moved, and it is resolved as follows:

- (i) that the House do recall and re-commit the Bill, Public Procurement (Amendment) Bill, 2009 (HB.87) for re-consideration;
- (ii) that the House do agree to amend the clause of the said Bill in the manner set out hereafter, to wit.

In addition to any other regulation as may be prescribed by the Bureau, a Mobilization fee of an amount which in the opinion of the procuring entity is reasonably sufficient for expeditious execution of the works or services may be paid to a supplier or contractor supported by requisite performance bond from a reputable bank (*Hon. Ita Enang*).

Debate:

Question put and agreed to.

The House:

Whereas the House, upon Conference with the Senate did pass the harmonized version of the Public Procurement Act (Amendment) Bill, 2009;

Whereas upon passage, a cursory reading revealed lacuna, and possible conflict between the Principal Act sought to be amended and the harmonized amendment Bill itself, particularly Section 35 (1) of the Amendment Bill;

Whereas it is expedient that this Bill be re-called and recommitted for re-consideration of the said Bill to eliminate the apparent conflict to save time of possible amendment after Mr President's assent, or avoid possible withholding of assent by Mr President;

It is therefore moved, and be it resolved as follows:

- (i) that the House do recall and re-commit the Bill, Public Procurement (Amendment) Bill, 2009 (HB.87) for re-consideration;
- (ii) that the House do agree to amend the clause of the said Bill in the manner set out hereafter, to wit.

In addition to any other regulation as may be prescribed by the Bureau, a Mobilization fee of an amount which in the opinion of the procuring entity is reasonably sufficient for expeditious execution of the works or services may be paid to a supplier or contractor supported by requisite performance bond from a reputable bank (**HR. 72/2009**).

10. Consideration of Report:

Joint Committee on Appropriations and Finance:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That this House do receive and consider the Report of the Joint Committee Appropriations and Finance on the a Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦353,600,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-Three Billion, Six Hundred Million Naira) only, of which ₦100,050,000,000 (One Hundred Billion, Fifty Million Naira), only, is for additional Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the balance of ₦253,550,000,000 (Two Hundred and Fifty-Three Billion, Five Hundred and Fifty Million Naira) only, is for contribution to the Development Fund for additional Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 2010 and approve the Recommendations therein" (*Hon. Ayoade Ademola Adeseun*).

Question put and agreed to.

Question, that the House do resolve into the Committee of Supply to consider the Report of the Committee on Appropriations on the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II II and approve the Recommendations therein
— Agreed to.

(IN THE COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY)

(*Mr Speaker in the Chair*)

SCHEDULE

PART A — NON RECURRENT (NON-DEBT) EXPENDITURE

1. Service-Wide Votes

(i) Parastatals Pensions Arrears Settlement		
Recurrent	—	₦13,800,000,000.00
		— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Thirteen Billion, Eight Hundred Million Naira (₦13,800,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for Parastatals Pensions Arrears Settlement stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (ii) Balance of Parastatals Pensions Arrears Settlement: Verified
Recurrent — ₦15,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Fifteen Billion Naira (₦15,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for the Balance of Parastatals Pensions Arrears Settlement: Verified stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (iii) NITEL/MTEL Buy-Out Pension Settlement
Recurrent — ₦9,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Nine Billion Naira (₦9,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for NITEL/MTEL Buy-Out Pension Settlement stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (iv) Refund of VAT Collection by FIRS to FCT
Recurrent — ₦29,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Twenty-Nine Billion Naira (₦29,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for Refund of VAT Collection by FIRS to FCT stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (v) Ministry of Foreign Affairs: Shortfalls in Remittances to Missions
(July - December 2006)
Recurrent — ₦4,500,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Four Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦4,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for Ministry of Foreign Affairs: Shortfalls in Remittances to Missions stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (vi) FMBN: Civil Servants and Affordable Home Mortgage Scheme
Recurrent — ₦10,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Ten Billion Naira (₦10,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for FMBN: Civil Servants and Affordable Home Mortgage Scheme stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (vii) Emergency Road Rehabilitation Works (FERMA: Direct Labour)
Recurrent — ₦15,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Fifteen Billion Naira (₦15,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for Emergency Road Rehabilitation Works (FERMA: Direct Labour) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

(viii)	Margin for Increased Costs		
	Recurrent	—	₦1,500,000,000.00
			— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of One Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦1,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for Margin for Increased Costs stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of Ninety-Seven Billion, Eight Hundred Million Naira (₦97,800,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent (Non-Debt Expenditure for Service Wide Votes stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

2. **National Assembly:**

(i)	Senate Recurrent Supplementation		
	Recurrent	—	₦600,000,000.00
			— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Six Hundred Million Naira (₦600,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for Senate Recurrent Supplementation stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

(ii)	House of Representatives Recurrent Supplementation		
	Recurrent	—	₦900,000,000.00
			— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Nine Hundred Million Naira (₦900,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for House of Representatives Recurrent Supplementation stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

(iii)	Management Recurrent Supplementation		
	Recurrent	—	₦750,000,000.00
			— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Seven Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦750,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent Estimates for Management Recurrent Supplementation stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of Two Billion, Two Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦2,250,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Recurrent (Non-Debt Expenditure for National Assembly stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

PART B — CAPITAL

1. **Federal Ministry of Transport**

(i)	15% Counterpart Funding for \$500m Chinese Loan (Abuja-Kaduna)		
	Capital	—	₦19,650,000,000.00
			— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Nineteen Billion, Six Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦19,650,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for 15% Counterpart Funding for \$500m Chinese Loan (Abuja-Kaduna) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

- (ii) Funding Shortfall: Rehabilitation of Lagos-Jebba Rail Line
Capital — ₦1,700,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of One Billion, Seven Hundred Million Naira (₦1,700,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Funding Shortfall: Rehabilitation of Lagos-Jebba Rail Line stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (iii) Funding Shortfall: Rehabilitation of Jebba-Kano Rail Line
Capital — ₦3,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Three Billion Naira (₦3,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Funding Shortfall: Rehabilitation of Jebba-Kano Rail Line stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of Twenty-Four Billion, Three Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦24,350,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Federal Ministry of Transport stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

2. **Nigerian Railway Corporation**

- (i) Procurement of 25 Railway Locomotives — Supplementation
Capital — ₦12,500,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Twelve Billion, Five Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦12,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for 15% Counterpart Funding for \$500m Chinese Loan (Abuja-Kaduna) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (ii) Provision of Rail Mass Transit Services in Selected Cities (Lagos, Kano, Port Harcourt, Enugu, Jos, Maiduguri and Abuja)
Capital — ₦1,500,000,000.00

Amendment Proposed:

In line 2 of the schedule on Provision of Rail Mass Transit Services in Selected Cities, *leave out* the town "Aba" (Hon. *Uke Ihedioha*).

Question that the amendment be made, put and agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of One Billion, Five Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦1,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Provision of Rail Mass Transit Services in Selected Cities (Lagos, Kano, Port Harcourt, Enugu, Jos, Maiduguri and Abuja) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of Fourteen Billion Naira (₦14,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for the Nigerian Railway Corporation stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

3. **Ministry of Federal Capital Territory Administration**

- (i) Expansion of Airport Road and Kubwa Road
Capital — ₦46,500,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Forty-Six Billion, Five Hundred and Fifty Million Naira (₦46,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Expansion of Airport Road and Kubwa Road stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.
— Agreed to.

- (ii) Seed Money for Infrastructural Development of FCT
Residential Districts (Loan to FCT)
Capital — ₦20,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Twenty Billion Naira (₦20,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Seed Money for Infrastructural Development of FCT Residential Districts (Loan to FCT) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.
— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of Sixty-Six Billion, Five Hundred Million Million Naira (₦66,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for the Ministry of the Federal Capital Territory Administration stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.
— Agreed to.

4. **Federal Ministry of Health**

- Completion of Primary Healthcare Centres
Capital — ₦1,700,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of One Billion, Seven Hundred Million Naira (₦1,700,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Completion of Primary Healthcare Centres stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.
— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of One Billion, Seven Hundred Million Naira (₦1,700,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Federal Ministry of Health stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.
— Agreed to.

5. **National Assembly**

- (i) Senate Capital Supplementation
Capital — ₦200,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Two Hundred Million Naira (₦200,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Senate Capital Supplementation stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.
— Agreed to.

- (ii) House of Representatives Capital Supplementation
Capital — ₦300,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Three Hundred Billion Naira (₦300,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for House of Representatives Capital Supplementation stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.
— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of Five Hundred Hundred Million Naira (₦500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for the National Assembly stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

6. **Expenditure Items**

- (i) Post-Amnesty Intervention in the Niger Delta:
- (a) Port-Harcourt West Railway: Feasibility Study, Design and Const. (22 billion);
 - (b) Port-Harcourt Coastal Highway: Design & Const. (20 billion);
 - (c) Port-Harcourt West Road: Additional Funding (34 billion);
 - (d) Port-Harcourt Land and Waterway Transportation System: Feasibility Study, Design & Const. (5 billion).
 - (e) Port-Harcourt Land Reclamation/Environmental Remediation: Feasibility Study, Design & Implementation (10 billion).
 - (f) Development of New Towns: Feasibility Study, Design & Const. (10 billion).
 - (g) Warri - Elele Road: Design & Const. (5 billion).
 - (h) Amnesty Reintegration Programme (8 billion)
- Capital — ₦114,000,000,000.00.

Amendments Proposed:

- (i) In the schedule on Expenditure Items: Post-Amnesty Intervention in the Niger Delta, item "(f)", let the figure (10 billion) and insert the figure "8 billion" instead thereof (Hon. Emeka I. Igho).

Question that the amendment be made, put and agreed to.

- (ii) Insert a new item (i) as follows:
"Port Harcourt - Opobo - Azumini - Ukanafun road (2 billion) (Hon. Emeka Ihedioha).

Question that the amendment be made put and agreed to.

— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of One Hundred and Fourteen Billion Naira (₦114,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Post-Amnesty Intervention in the Niger Delta stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (ii) Public Mass Transit (Revolving Fund to Procure Vehicles)
Capital — ₦10,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Ten Billion Naira (₦10,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Public Mass Transit (Revolving Fund to Procure Vehicles) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (iii) Additional Poverty Alleviation Interventions (Grants) NWC (300m), SMEDAN (400m), NAPEP (300m) & NDE (500m)
Capital — ₦1,500,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of One Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦1,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Additional Poverty Alleviation Interventions (Grants) NWC (300m), SMEDAN (400m), NAPEP (300m) & NDE (500m) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (iv) Mass Transit for Federal Higher Institutions
(Max 50 Million Naira per Institution)
Capital — ₦2,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Two Billion Naira (₦2,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Mass Transit for Federal Higher Institutions (Max 50 Million Naira per Institution) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

Amendment Proposed:

In the Expenditure Item: Textiles, Cotton and Garment Industry Resuscitation Scheme Initiative: Seed Money, insert the figure "₦10,000,000,000" as Capital votes (*Hon. Independence Ogunewe*).

Question that the amendment be made, put and agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of One Hundred and Fifty-Six Billion, Five Hundred Million Naira (₦156,500,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Expenditure Items stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

7. Real Sector Support Programme

- (i) Bank of Industry (Further Federal Government Equity Contribution)
Capital — ₦14,000,000,000.00.

Amendment Proposed:

Leave out the figure "₦14,000,000,000.00" and insert the figure "₦4,000,000,000.00" instead thereof (*Hon. Independence Ogunewe*).

Question that the amendment be made, put and agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Four Billion Naira (₦4,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Bank of Industry (Further Federal Government Equity Contribution) stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (ii) NERFUND: SME Support
Capital — ₦2,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Two Billion Naira (₦2,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for NERFUND: SME Support stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- (iii) NEXIM: Export Stimulation Scheme
Capital — ₦3,000,000,000.00
— Agreed to.

Question,

That the expenditure of Three Billion Naira (₦3,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for NEXIM: Export Stimulation Scheme stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

Main Question,

That the expenditure of Nine Billion Naira (₦9,000,000,000.00) for the purposes set out under the Capital Estimates for Real Sector Support Programme stand part of the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

— Agreed to.

- Clause 1:** Issue and Revenues
- appropriation of additional sum of ₦353,600,000,000 from the Consolidated Revenue Fund for 2009.
- (1) The Accountant-General of the Federation shall, when authorised to do so by warrants signed by the Minister charged with responsibility for finance, pay out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation during the year ending on the 31st of March 2010, the sums specified by the warrants, not exceeding in the aggregate ₦353,600,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-Three Billion, Six Hundred Million Naira) only.
- (2) The amount mentioned in subsection (1) of this section is hereby appropriated to the heads of expenditure as specified in the Schedule to this Act.
- (3) Amounts appropriated under the 2009 Appropriation Acts i.e. (i) 2009 Appropriation Act, (ii) 2009 Supplementary Act I, (iii) 2009 Supplementary Act II implemented through 31st March, 2010.

Amendment Proposed:

In subclause (3), line 3, immediately after the figure "2010", insert the words "with respect to capital projects only" (Hon. Ali Ndume).

Question that the amendment be made, put and agreed to.

Committee Recommendation:

Retain the provisions in Clause 1 of the Bill as amended (Hon. Ayoade Ademola Adeseun) — Agreed to.

Question that Clause 1 stand part of the Bill, put and agreed to.

Clause 2: Release of Funds from the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Amounts appropriated under this Act shall be released from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation and applied only for the purpose specified in the Schedule to this Act.

Committee Recommendation:

Retain the provision in Clause 2 of the Bill (Hon. Ayoade Ademola Adeseun) — Agreed to.

Question that Clause 2 stand part of the Bill, put and agreed to.

Clause 3: Virement.

In the event that a need arises to vire amounts within the heads of expenditure to which sums have been appropriated under this Act, such virement shall only be effected with the prior approval of the National Assembly.

Committee Recommendation:

Retain the provision in Clause 3 of the Bill (Hon. Ayoade Ademola Adeseun) — Agreed to.

Question that Clause 3 stand part of the Bill, put and agreed to.

Clause 4: Interpretation.

For the purposes of this Act the term "Schedule" includes the detailed estimates of expenditure attached thereto.

Committee Recommendation:

Retain the provision in Clause 4 of the Bill (Hon. Ayoade Ademola Adeseun) — Agreed to.

Question that Clause 4 stand part of the Bill, put and agreed to.

Clause 5: Short Title.

This Bill shall be cited as the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II.

Committee Recommendation:

Retain the provision in Clause 5 of the Bill (Hon. Ayoade Ademola Adeseun) — Agreed to.

Question that Clause 5 stand part of the Bill, put and agreed to.

Chairman to report Bill.

(HOUSE IN PLENARY)

Mr Speaker, in the Chair, reported that the Committee of Supply considered the Report of the Joint Committee on Appropriations and Finance on the a Bill for an Act to authorise the issue from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation the total sum of ₦353,600,000,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty-Three Billion, Six Hundred Million Naira) only, of which ₦100,050,000,000 (One Hundred Billion, Fifty Million Naira), only, is for additional Recurrent (Non-Debt) Expenditure while the balance of ₦253,550,000,000 (Two Hundred and Fifty-Three Billion, Five Hundred and Fifty Million Naira) only, is for contribution to the Development Fund for additional Capital Expenditure for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 2010. It approved Clauses 1 as amended, approved Clauses 2 - 5 and the Schedule as amended.

Question that the House do adopt the Report of the Committee of Supply on the Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2009 II, put and agreed to.

12. Adjournment:

That this House do now adjourn till Thursday, 19 November, 2009 at 10.00 a.m. (*Hon. Emeka Ihedioha*).

Adjourned accordingly at 2.30 p.m.

Dimeji Sabur Bankole
Speaker