



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 19 May, 2016

1. The House met at 11.12 a.m. Mr Speaker read the Prayers.
2. **Votes and Proceedings**
Mr Speaker announced that he had examined and approved the *Votes and Proceedings* of Wednesday, 18 May, 2016.

By unanimous consent, the Votes and Proceedings was adopted.

3. **Announcement:**

(i) **Visitors in the Gallery:**

Mr Speaker recognized the presence of the following visitors:

- (a) Staff and Students of Astute Montessori Schools, Kuje, Abuja;
- (b) Staff and Students of St Philips Academy (Philiplans), Mararaba, Nasarawa State;
- (c) Staff and Students of Oak Heights Schools, Lugbe, Abuja.

(ii) **Bereavement:**

Mr Speaker read a communication from Hon. Ibrahim Danimazari Murtala (*Musawa/Matazu Federal Constituency*), announcing the demise of his mother, Hajiya Hadiza Murtala, on Tuesday, 17 May, 2016.

A minute silence observed in honour of the deceased.

4. **Petitions**

- (i) A petition from Mr Adeleke Kehinde on the non-payment of his salary, gratuity and compensation by Power Holdings Company for the injury he sustained while on official duty, was presented and laid by Hon. Rotimi Agunsoye (*Kosofe Federal Constituency*);
- (ii) Petition from the following persons were presented and laid by Hon. Evelyn Oboro (*Okpe/Sapele/Uvwie Federal Constituency*):
 - (a) V. E. Otomiewo & Co. (Solicitors) on behalf of Mr Wilson Nikoro and 7 others on the conversion of the Uvwie peoples' land acquired for public purposes turned into private use by the Nigerian Army Properties Limited;

- (b) Mr Fredrick A. Itaro on his termination of appointment by the Power Holding Company of Nigeria;
- (c) Effurun Community Development Committee on the non-compliance by the Local Content Law by IDMON Engineering and Construction Co. Limited, and Sea Track Group;
- (iii) A petition by A. I. Abubakar & Co. (Legal Practitioners & Consultants), on behalf of Mr Olajide Olabode on the non-payment of his severance benefits by the Bureau of Public Enterprises and office of the Accountant General of the Federation, was presented and laid (*Hon. Aina Thadeus Akinola — Moba/Ilejemeje /Ido Osi Federal Constituency*);
- (iv) A petition from Mr Mustapha Sani Usman and one other on behalf of the Leather Shoes and Bags Sellers Multi-purpose Cooperative Society Limited, Mohammed Abubakar Rimi Sabon Gari market, Kano on the incessant interceptions and confiscation of their goods by the Nigerian Customs, was presented and laid by Hon. Sani Umar Bala (*Tsanyawa/Kunchi Federal Constituency*);
- (v) Petitions from the following persons were presented and laid by Hon. Sylvester Ogbaga (*Abakaliki/Izzi Federal Constituency*):
 - (a) Ikwueto (Counsel and Solicitor) on behalf of Prof. Anthony O. Emeribe on the refusal by the Hon. Minister of Health to obey subsisting court orders not to interfere with his position and tenured appointment as the Registrar/Chief Executive Officer of the Medical Laboratory Science Council of Nigeria (MLSCN) pending the hearing and determination of the motion on notice;
 - (b) C. Austin Nwabufo (Barrister & Solicitors) on behalf of Anadu Ogechukwu Adaku and 2 others on the transfer of their money in an account with the Key Stone Bank to a wrong account in China despite a timely red flag instruction to stop the transfer;
 - (c) Sweet Mothers Foundation on the delay in the payment of benefits of the Late Hassan M. Yerwa of the office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation by Sahab Insurance Company and Stanbic IBTC Pension Fund Administrators;
 - (d) Mr Ogbuka J. C. on the improper placement and lopsided appointment of some officers in the National Oil Spill Detection and Response Agency (NOSDRA);
 - (e) Mr M. A. Adeyinka on the contravention of 8 years tenure policy for Permanent Secretaries and Directors and falsification of staff records in the National Oil Spill Detection and Response Agency (NOSDRA);
 - (f) Mr C. O. Agbikimi on the non-payment of his salaries and allowances from September 2002 to August 2010 when he was temporarily laid off by the Power Holding Company of Nigeria, despite the earlier instruction of the House of Representatives to the contrary;
 - (g) Mr Uchenna Simeon for an appeal for a downward review of his indebtedness to Imo State University and request for progress report on the state of his Master's degree program;
 - (h) Ali Ibrahim Koki on behalf of Nigerian Amalgamated Traders/Artisan Welfare Development Association, Singer Market, Kano on the prohibition of Rice importation through land borders by the Nigerian Customs Service;

5. Matter of Urgent Public Importance (Standing Order VIII, Rule 46)***Need to Intervene in VISA Application of Rio 2016 Olympic Team:***

Hon. Henry Daniel Ofongo (*Southern/Ijaw Federal Constituency*) introduced the matter and prayed the House to:

- (a) consider and approve the matter as one of urgent public importance; and
- (b) suspend Order VIII, Rules 46 (3) and 49 to allow debate on the matter forthwith.

Question that the matter be considered as one of urgent public importance — Agreed to.

Question that the House do suspend Order VIII, Rule 46 (3) to enable it debate the matter forthwith — Agreed to.

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The House:

Notes that the Olympic games, which originated in ancient Greek as many as 3,000 years ago, were received in the late 19th Century and have become the World's preeminent sporting competition which idealize physical fitness and mental discipline, and emphasizes the need to unit all nations in the World by living in peace and harmony;

Aware that the Olympic qualification process for the 2016 Rio Olympic in Wrestling involved three phases:

- (a) the top six placed Wrestlers at the World Championships in Las Vegas USA in September 2015,
- (b) the two finalist at the Continental qualifiers in Algeria in April 2016 (Africa Oceania qualifiers),
- (c) the two finalists at the final Olympic qualifying tournament in Istanbul 6th to 8th May, 2016;

Also aware that the Nigerian Wrestling Team for Rio Olympic 2016 applied for Visas and was issued same by the USA Embassy to attend the first Olympic Tournament with one athlete (Miss Odunayo Adekoroya Medal at the world Championship², hence she qualified for the 2016 Olympics. The team also applied for Visa a week before the second Olympic Continental Qualifying Tournament in Algiers, and was issued Visas to attend the tournament, where the team also qualified 5 more athletes;

Sadly notes that the Wrestling Federation Technical crew deemed it necessary to attend the third qualifying tournament in Istanbul, Turkey, in order to increase the number of wrestlers to qualify, so as to increase the number of possible medals in the Rio Olympic games, unfortunately they were denied Visas. The technical crew is made up of Hon. Daniel Igali — President Nigerian Wrestling Federation, Mr Victor Kodei — Coaching the Wrestling Federation and Miss Onyebuchi Blessing 75kg Female Wrestler who is one of the possible medallist in her category. Hence, denying the young lady her chances of participating in the tournament as well as the Rio games;

Aware that there are several competitions and qualifying tournaments the Nigerian Olympic team which is made up of other Athletes in other Federations, need to attend other competitions and qualifying tournaments ahead of the Rio games. If the same sad and unfortunate situation like that of Turkey re-occurs, it will certainly deny Nigerian Athletes chances of participating in the Rio Olympic games;

Resolves to:

- (i) Mandate the Committees on Sports, and Foreign Affairs to investigate the reasons why our athletes were denied Visa by the Turkish Embassy, and report back within 7 days; and
- (ii) invite the Nigerian Olympic Committee to ascertain if some other Federations are facing the same problems encountered by the Nigerian Wrestling Federation, with a view to resolving the matter on time (*Hon. Henry Daniel Ofongo — Southern/Ijaw Federal Constituency*).

*Debate.**Agreed to.**The House:*

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Motion referred to the Committees on Sport, and Foreign Affairs.

6. Presentation of Reports

(i) Committee on Agricultural Production and Services:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Production and Services on a Bill for an Act to Amend the National Agricultural Land Development Authority Act, Cap. N4, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 237)" (Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(ii) Committee on Agricultural Production and Services:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Production and Services on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Produce (Enforcement of Export Standards) Act, Cap. P32, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 by Reviewing the Penalties Imposed under the Act; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 219)" (Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(iii) Committee on Agricultural Production and Services:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Production and Services on a Bill for an Act to Amend the National Crop Varieties and Livestock Breeds (Registration, etc.) Act, Cap. N27, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 by Reviewing the Penalties Imposed under the Act; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 219)" (Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(iv) Committee on Agricultural Production and Services:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Production and Services on a Bill for an Act to Regulate the Manufacture, Importation, Distribution and Quality Control of Fertilizer in Nigeria; and for other Matters Related Thereto (HB. 61); and a Bill for an Act to Repeal the National Fertilizer Board Act, Cap. N39, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004; and for Other Matters Related Thereto (HB. 240)" (Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(v) Committee on Agricultural Production and Services:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Production and Services on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Agricultural Credit Guarantee Scheme Fund Act, Cap. A11, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Expand the Membership of the Board of the Fund, to Cover the Interests of Farmers, Increase the Amount to be paid into the Fund, Raise the Commitment of the Federal Government and Central Bank of Nigeria and Increase the Maximum Amount to Attract a Waiver of Security Requirement for a Credit Granted; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 239)" (*Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency*).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(vi) Committee on Agricultural Production and Services:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Production and Services on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Veterinary Surgeons Act, Cap. V3, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Reduce the Membership of the Veterinary Council; and for Other Matters Related Thereto (HB. 294)" (*Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency*).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(vii) Committee on Agricultural Production and Services:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Production and Services on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Bees (Import Control and Management) Act, Cap. B6, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to Review the Penalty Provisions and Compensation in Order to Make the Act more Effective; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 238)" (*Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency*).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(viii) Committee on Federal Judiciary:

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Federal Judiciary on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Pensions Rights of Judges Act, Cap. P5, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 06)" (*Hon. Aminu Shehu Shagari — Yabo/Shagari Federal Constituency*).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(ix) **Committee on Federal Judiciary:**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Federal Judiciary on a Bill for an Act for the Establishment of District Courts for the Federal Capital Territory, Abuja; Appointment of District Court Judges and Other Court Officers; and for Other Purposes Relating to the Administration of Civil Justice (HB. 07)" (Hon. Aminu Shehu Shagari — Yabo/Shagari Federal Constituency).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

(x) **Committee on Federal Road Safety Commission:**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Federal Road Safety Commission on the Investigation of the Introduction of Outdated Speed Limiter Technology by the Federal Road Safety Commission (HR. 58/2016)" (Hon. Abubakar Ahmed Yunusa — Yamaltu/Deba Federal Constituency).

Agreed to.

Report laid.

7. **A Bill for an Act to Amend the High Court of the Federal Capital Territory Abuja (Number of Judges) Act, No.15, 2003 to make Provision for the Increase in the Number of Judges from Thirty Seven (37) to Seventy Five; and for Other Related Matters, 2016 (HB. 457) — Third Reading**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That a Bill for an Act to Amend the High Court of the Federal Capital Territory Abuja (Number of Judges) Act, No.15, 2003 to make Provision for the Increase in the Number of Judges from Thirty Seven (37) to Seventy Five; and for Other Related Matters, 2016 (HB. 457) be now read the Third Time" (Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency).

Question agreed to.

Bill read the Third Time by the Clerk, and passed.

8. **A Bill for an Act to Establish the Federal University of Petroleum Resources, Effurun and for Other Matters Connected Thereto, 2016 (HB. 381) — Third Reading**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That a Bill for an Act to Establish the Federal University of Petroleum Resources, Effurun and for Other Matters Connected Thereto, 2016 (HB. 381) be now read the Third Time" (Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency).

Question agreed to.

Bill read the Third Time by the Clerk, and passed.

9. **A Bill for an Act to Abrogate the Legislative Powers Delegated to the Executive, Administrative, Judicial and Other Offices, Officers, Agencies and Authorities for the Determination, Imposition, Increase, Cancellation, Withdrawal or Reduction of Taxes, Duties, Tariffs and Fees and to Prohibit the exercise of such Powers without the Approval of the National Assembly, pursuant to Section 59 (1) (b) of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 508) — Second Reading**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That a Bill for an Act to Abrogate the Legislative Powers Delegated to the Executive, Administrative, Judicial and Other Offices, Officers, Agencies and Authorities for the Determination, Imposition, Increase, Cancellation, Withdrawal or Reduction of Taxes, Duties, Tariffs and Fees and to Prohibit the exercise of such Powers without the Approval

of the National Assembly, pursuant to Section 59 (1) (b) of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 508) be now read a Second Time" (Hon. Garba Datti Muhammed — Sabon Gari Federal Constituency).

Debate.

Question that the Bill be read a Second Time — Agreed to.

Bill read the Second Time by the Clerk.

Bill referred to the Committee on Justice.

10. **A Bill for an Act to Establish the National Agency for Ethics and Values to Provide for the Functions and Powers of the Agency, the Qualifications and Procedures for Appointment of the Chairman and Members; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 519) — Second Reading**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That a Bill for an Act to Establish the National Agency for Ethics and Values to Provide for the Functions and Powers of the Agency, the Qualifications and Procedures for Appointment of the Chairman and Members; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 519) be now read a Second Time" (Hon. Ossai Nicholas Ossai — Ndokwa East/Ndokwa West/Ukwuani Federal Constituency).

Debate.

Question that the Bill be read a Second Time — Agreed to.

Bill read the Second Time by the Clerk.

Bill referred to the Committee on Information, National Orientation, Ethics and Values.

11. **A Bill for an Act to Alter Sections 262 and 277 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to increase the Jurisdiction of the Sharia Court of Appeal of the Federal Capital Territory and the Sharia Court of Appeal of a State by including Criminal Matters of Hudud and Qisas; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 530) — Second Reading**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That a Bill for an Act to Alter Sections 262 and 277 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to increase the Jurisdiction of the Sharia Court of Appeal of the Federal Capital Territory and the Sharia Court of Appeal of a State by including Criminal Matters of Hudud and Qisas; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 530) be now read a Second Time" (Hon. Abdullahi Balarabe Salame — Illela/Gwadabawa Federal Constituency).

Debate.

Question that the Bill be read a Second Time — Agreed to.

Bill read the Second Time by the Clerk.

Bill referred to the Special Ad-hoc Committee on the Review of the 1999 Constitution.

12. **A Bill for an Act to Establish the National Marine Insurance Bureau to take charge of and collect Insurance Levies on all charges of Crude Oil or Gas leaving the Shores of the Country and to check the Billions of Dollars Capital Flight which Nigeria loses to Foreign Insurance Companies who Monopolize and Specialize in Marine Insurance in the Country; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 515) — Second Reading**

Motion made and Question proposed, "That a Bill for an Act to Establish the National Marine Insurance Bureau to take charge of and collect Insurance Levies on all charges of Crude Oil or Gas leaving the Shores of the Country and to check the Billions of Dollars Capital Flight which Nigeria loses to Foreign Insurance Companies who Monopolize and Specialize in Marine Insurance in the

Country; and for Other Related Matters (HB. 515) be now read a Second Time" (Hon. Mohammed Garba Gololo — Gamawa Federal Constituency).

Debate.

Question that the Bill be read a Second Time — Agreed to.

Bill read the Second Time by the Clerk.

Bill referred to the Committee on Insurance and Actuarial Matters.

13. **Business Continued from Assembly to Assembly Order XII, Rule 96 of the Standing Orders of the House of Representatives**
National Postgraduate College of Medical Laboratory Science Bill, 2015 (HB. 405):
Motion made and Question proposed:

The House:

Notes that pursuant to Order XII, Rule 96 of the Standing Orders of the House, the legislative business of the House which, though completed and laid in the House by a Committee of the House remain undetermined at the end of the Assembly shall be resumed and proceeded with in the next Assembly in the same manner as if the tenure of the Assembly had not come to an end, if the House resolves in the affirmative that such Bills, upon being re-gazetted, be reconsidered in the Committee of the Whole, without being commenced *de-novo*;

Also notes that the National Postgraduate College of Medical Laboratory Science Bill, 2015 was awaiting consideration in the Committee of the Whole before the last Assembly ended;

Aware that the Bill has been re-gazetted as HB. 405 and read the first time on Wednesday, 2 March, 2016;

Resolves to:

Commit the Bill to the Committee of the Whole for consideration (Hon. Gyang Istifanus Dung — Barkinladi/Riyom Federal Constituency).

Agreed to.

Bill Committed to Committee of the Whole, pursuant to Order XII, Rule 96.

14. **Need to Assess the Level of Export Promotion in Nigeria**
Motion made and Question proposed:

The House:

Notes that in order to ensure that Nigeria does not depend solely on oil production for its income, the Nigerian Export Promotion Council was established in 1976 to be the leading Agency for promoting non-oil exports from Nigeria;

Concerned that despite the establishment of the Council, Nigeria has continued to rely on the exportation of crude oil which accounts for more than 70% of our total revenue to sustain the nation's economy;

Worried that agricultural products, which used to be the mainstay of Nigeria's economy before the discovery of oil, have been relegated to the background, thereby resulting in the inability of the citizens to produce enough food for local consumption and export;

Also concerned that massive importation of foreign goods over the years and the fall in the price of crude oil in the international market have adversely affected our economy as it has led to a serious depletion of our foreign reserves and scarcity of foreign exchange for international transactions;

Convinced that as the government is making efforts to diversify our economy from oil production to non-oil exports, there is a need to vigorously promote the exportation of Nigerian goods, especially the ones in which the country has a comparative advantage, in order to increase our foreign exchange earnings;

Resolves to:

Mandate the Committee on Commerce to assess the level of export promotion in Nigeria and the activities of Nigerian Export Promotion Council in recent years and report back to the House within six (6) weeks, for further legislative action (*Hon. Abdullahi Umar Faruk — Bunza/Birnin Kebbi/Kalgo Federal Constituency*).

Debate.

Question agreed to.

The House:

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Resolved to:

Mandate the Committee on Commerce to assess the level of export promotion in Nigeria and the activities of Nigerian Export Promotion Council in recent years and report back to the House within six (6) weeks, for further legislative action (**HR. 175/2016**).

Motion referred to the Committee on Commerce.

115. Need to Sustain the Newly Established Federal Universities of Education in Nigeria

Order read; Motion withdrawn by leave of the House.

16. Adjournment

That the House do adjourn till Tuesday, 24 May, 2016 at 11.00 a.m. (Hon. Mohammed Tahir Monguno — Monguno/Marte/Nganzai Federal Constituency).

The House adjourned accordingly at 1.17 p.m.

Yakubu Dogara
Speaker