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## PRESENTATION OF BILLS

1. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Sixth Alteration) Bill, 2024 (HB.1630) (*Hon. Akintunde Rotimi*) – *First Reading*.
2. National Assembly Security Service (Establishment) Bill, 2024 (HB.1632) (*Hon. Akintunde Rotimi*) – *First Reading*.
3. Agricultural Extension Services Revitalization Bill, 2024 (HB.1680) (*Hon. Dalyop Chollom Fom*) – *First Reading*.
4. Tourism Development Trust Fund Bill, 2024 (HB.1682) (*Hon. Bamisile Olufemi Richard*) – *First Reading*.
5. Federal Universities of Technology Act (Amendment) Bill, 2024 (HB.1684) (*Hon. Julius Ihonybere & 2 others*) – *First Reading*.

6. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Sixth Alteration) Bill, 2024 (HB.1690) (*Hon. Mansur Manu Soro & Hon. Obed Shehu*) – *First Reading*.
  7. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Sixth Alteration) Bill, 2024 (HB.1691) (*Hon. Mansur Manu Soro & Gaza Gbefwi Jonathan*) – *First Reading*.
  8. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Sixth Alteration) Bill, 2024 (HB.1692) (*Hon. Mansur Manu Soro*) – *First Reading*.
  9. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Sixth Alteration) Bill, 2024 (HB.1745) (*Hon. Chinedu Ogah*) – *First Reading*.
  10. Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Sixth Alteration) Bill, 2024 (HB.1746) (*Hon. Chinedu Ogah*) – *First Reading*.
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## PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

1. **Committee on Federal Capital Territory:**

**Hon. Aliyu Mukhtar Betara:**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Federal Capital Territory on a Bill for an Act to Authorise the issue from the Federal Capital Territory Administration's Statutory Revenue Fund of the Federal Capital Territory Administration account, the total sum of ₦288,000,000,000 (Two Hundred and-Eighty-Eight Billion) only, of which the sum of ₦31, 100, 000 (thirty-one billion, one hundred million Naira) only is for Over Head Costs; while the sum of ₦256, 900, 000 (two hundred and fifty six billion, nine hundred million Naira) only, is for Capital Projects; for the Service of the Federal Capital Territory Administration, Abuja, for the Financial year ending 31 December, 2024” (*Referred: 25/9/2024*).

2. **Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions:**

**Hon. Akeem Adeniyi Adeyemi:**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria Act, Cap. A 12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to make provision for the Establishment of National Institute for Oil Palm Research, Ijebu-Igbo, Ogun State; and for Related Matters (HB 655) (*Referred: 16/5/2024*).

3. **Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions:**

**Hon. Akeem Adeniyi Adeyemi:**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria Act, Cap. A 12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to make provision for the Establishment of Agricultural And Energy Technical Institute, Nasarawa Eggon, Nasarawa State; and for Related Matters (HB.116) (*Referred: 23/11/2023*).

4. **Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions:**

**Hon. Akeem Adeniyi Adeyemi:**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions on a Bill for an Act to Establish Federal College of Agriculture, Agila, Benue State that shall provide full-time Courses of Agriculture, Teaching Instruction and Training in Sciences, Social Sciences, Commerce, Arts, Applied Sciences, Management and Humanities; and carry out Research, Innovation, Development and Adaptation of Teaching Techniques, and for Related Matters, 2024 (HB. 11) (*Referred: 31/10/2023*).

**5. Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions:****Hon. Akeem Adeniyi Adeyemi:**

“That the House do receive the Report of the Committee on Agricultural Colleges and Institutions on a Bill for an Act to Amend the Agricultural Research Council of Nigeria Act, Cap. A 12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to make Provision for the Establishment of Federal College of Agriculture and Vocational Studies, Ako-Nike, Enugu State; and for Related Matters (HB. 887) (*Referred: 19/12/2023*)

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## BILLS

1. A Bill for an Act to Provide for Establishment of Chartered Institute of Business Educators of Nigeria (CIBEN) charges with responsibility of Advancing the study, Training and Practice of Business Educators of Nigeria and for Related Matters (HB.1112) (*Hon. Moshood Olanrewaju Oshun*) – *Second Reading*.
  2. A Bill for an Act to Alter the provision of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) to create a new State in the South-Eastern Region of Nigeria known as Aba State and for Related Matters (HB. 1578) (*Hon. Ginger Onwusibe and three others*) – *Second Reading*.
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## MOTIONS

**3. Need to Investigate Gross Inefficiency of the National Health Insurance Scheme (NHIA) for Improved Services delivery to Nigerians:****Hon. Kwamoti Bitrus Laori:****The House:**

*Notes* that the National Health Insurance Act (NHIA) 2022, which replaced the National Health Insurance Scheme Act, seeks to promote, regulate, and integrate health insurance schemes, secure mandatory health insurance for every Nigerian and legal resident, and establish a fund for subsidy on health insurance coverage for vulnerable persons and payment of health insurance premiums for indigents;

*Also notes* that since the passage of the National Health Insurance Act of 2022, the scheme has enjoyed the cooperation of the National Assembly in terms of annual budgetary allocations for it to perform optimally in delivering its mandate to Nigerians, with the primary objective to ensure affordability of health care for all, especially the poorest and most vulnerable Nigerians;

*Concerned* that enrollees in urban and semi-urban settlements have received extremely poor service from Health Maintenance Organisations (HMOs), both private and public healthcare facilitates, which is distressing given the harsh reality that Nigerians are faced with the removal of fuel subsidy and other economic policies of the government;

*Also concerned* that the attitude of medical personnel and healthcare service providers treats enrollee patients as trash, subjecting Nigerians to unnecessary delay with the aim of frustrating patients from accessing services while the HMOs smile to bank monthly for services poorly rendered, a situation many Nigerians describe as dehumanizing and fraudulent;

*Aware* that some enrollees have recently chosen to pay in full for medical services in establishments other than the HMO they subscribed to, in order to avoid needless stress and, harassment, that characterize the enrollee patients like beggars devoid of human dignity and respect;

*Further concerned* that this scenario could further undermine Nigerians' trust in the programme if left unchecked and considering how crucial a healthy population is to the country's productivity. The purportedly dehumanising treatment of enrollees and the regular out-of-stock or shortage of necessary medications and consumables in the majority of HMOs requires an investigation;

*Worried* that wherever possible, enrolled patients are made to purchase out-of-stock drugs and consumables outside; they often do so without a refund or any form of compensation from the HMOs, which raises questions about the integrity of the scheme;

*Also worried* about the growing allegations of abysmal service expressed by Nigerians with different unpleasant accounts of frustrations and dehumanised treatments in various HMOs across the nation;

*Recognises* that unchecked behaviour of this kind would amount to fraud and gross disservice to the Nigerian citizens on whose behalf the government is funding the programme, as well as further eroding the citizens' faith in the current administration's Renewed Hope Agenda;

*Resolves to:*

- (i) mandate the Committee on Healthcare Services to investigate the cause of the alleged gross inefficiency of the National Health Insurance Scheme and recommend ways the scheme can be made to function more efficiently and report back within four (4) weeks for further legislative action; and
- (ii) also mandate the Committee on Legislative Compliance to ensure compliance.

**4. Call to Commence Academic Activities at Federal University of Maritime Studies, Oron, Akwa Ibom State:  
Hon Martins Esin**

**The House:**

*Notes* that the legislative framework which the upgraded the Maritime Academy of Nigeria, Oron to the Federal University of Maritime Studies, Oron was assented to by the former President. Muhammadu Buhari, (GCFR) in 2023;

*Also notes* that the Maritime Academy of Nigeria, Oron was established by the Federal Government of Nigeria with well-equipped structures on ground to function as a base for specialised Maritime Education;

*Aware* that employers in the Maritime field place a high value on Maritime course graduates which improves their chances of gainful employment and access to the wider maritime operations;

*Convinced* that the establishment of the Federal University of Maritime Studies, Oron will afford the students the opportunity to specialize in International Shipping, Marine Transport, Marine Security among other related fields, since the Maritime industry is at the forefront of international trade;

*Worried* that since its approval, the Federal University of Maritime Studies is yet to commence academic activities;

*Also worried* that economic and commercial activities across Communities in Oron/Mbo/Okobo/Udung Uko/Urueoffong Oruko Federal Constituency, which should receive a boost following the presence of a functional Maritime University have been stalled;

*Resolves to:*

- (i) invite the Hon. Minister of Education and the Executive Secretary of the Tertiary Education Trust Fund to brief the Committee on University Education on the delay in the commencement of academic activities at the Federal University of Maritime Studies, Oron, Akwa Ibom State;
- (ii) also urge the Federal Ministry of Education, the Nigerian Universities Commission (NUC), and the Tertiary Education Trust Fund to set out modalities for the commencement of academic activities at the Federal University of Maritime Studies, Oron; and
- (iii) mandate the Committees on University Education, TETFUND and Legislative Compliance to ensure compliance.

**5. Need to Implement Safety Measures against Gully Erosion Menace in Nigeria:  
Hon. Kolawole Davidson Akinlayo:**

**The House:**

*Notes* that Section 14(2) (b) of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (as amended) provides that the security, safety, and welfare of the people of Nigeria shall be the primary purpose of government;

*Also notes* that the ravaging effect of the coastal erosion across the country has posed a significant threat to the security and livelihoods of many communities, highlighting the urgent need for government intervention and sustainable solutions to protect the citizens and their environment;

*Aware* that the preservation, restoration, and maintenance of the ecological environment in local communities in Moba, Ilejemeje, and Ido-Osi Federal Constituency of Ekiti State is crucial for safe movement of goods and services;

*Also aware* that the erosion tragedy could lead to the collapse of the entire rural agricultural economy in vital food-producing regions;

*Concerned* about the threat of gully erosion and its devastating consequences on the livelihoods and safety of the indigenous people and residents of the country. In addition, the problem of gully erosion has flooded a lot of structures, churches, farms, places of worship, schools, and football fields, and the roads are in a deplorable state;

*Also concerned* that the issue of gully erosion poses a significant threat to the indigenous people of the communities, causing flooding of various structures, churches, farms, schools, and football fields further complicating the financial security of the people and displaced residents;

*Further concerned* that if quick action is not taken to avert the disaster, the consequences of severe flooding at the height of the rainy season could spark a looming danger and ultimately result in the deaths of well-meaning Nigerians due to erosion. As a result, reclamation and shore protection measures must be put in place to address the threat to communities that could otherwise disappear;

*Resolves to:*

- (i) urge the Federal Ministry of Works, Federal Roads and Maintenance Agency (FERMA) and Ecological Fund Office to urgently fund the construction of a new route that will link affected communities in each State across Nigeria.

- (ii) also urge National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) to ensure the resettlement of displaced residents in affected areas and provide relief materials.
- (iii) further urge the Ecological Fund Office (EFO) and NEMA to jointly agree and engage relevant experts to implement measures, such as slope stabilization, gabion installations, terracing, re-vegetation, and construction of loses, and minimize the risks to nearby infrastructure, communities.
- (iv) mandate the Committee on Environment to conduct tour of the affected communities to access the damages and report back within four (4) weeks for further legislative action.

## CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS

### 6. **Committee on Federal Capital Territory:** **Hon. Aliyu Mukhtar Betara:**

“That the House do consider the Report of the Committee on Federal Capital Territory on a Bill for an Act to Authorise the issue from the Federal Capital Territory Administration's Statutory Revenue Fund of the Federal Capital Territory Administration account, the total sum of ₦288,000,000,000 (Two Hundred and-Eighty-Eight Billion) only, of which the sum of ₦31, 100, 000 (thirty-one billion, one hundred million Naira) only is for Over Head Costs; while the sum of ₦256, 900, 000 (two hundred and fifty six billion, nine hundred million Naira) only, is for Capital Projects; for the Service of the Federal Capital Territory Administration, Abuja, for the Financial year ending 31 December, 2024” (*Laid: 26/9/2024*) – *Committee of Supply*.

**issuance from the Federal Capital Territory Administration's Statutory Revenue Fund of the Federal Capital Territory Administration account, the total sum of ₦288,000,000,000 (Two Hundred and-Eighty-Eight Billion) only, of which the sum of ₦31, 100, 000 (thirty-one billion, one hundred million Naira) only is for Over Head Costs; while the sum of ₦256, 900, 000 (two hundred and fifty six billion, nine hundred million Naira) only, is for Capital Projects; for the Service of the Federal Capital Territory Administration, Abuja, for the Financial year ending 31 December, 2024**

### **Commencement**

ENACTED by the National Assembly of the Federal Republic of Nigeria—

1. **Issuance of ₦288, 000, 000, 000 from Federal Capital Territory Administration Statutory Revenue Fund.**
  - (i) The Director of Treasury of the Federal Capital Territory Administration shall, when authorized to do so by warrants signed by the Minister Federal Capital Territory Administration with responsibility to pay out of the Federal Capital Territory Administration Statutory Revenue Fund of the Federal Capital Territory Administration during the financial year 2024 the sum specified by the warrants, not exceeding in the aggregate ₦288,000,000,000.00 ( two hundred and eighty eight billion Naira) only.
  - (ii) The amount mentioned in section (1) of this section shall be appropriated to heads of expenditure as indicated in the schedule to this Bill.
2. **Release of Funds**

All amounts appropriated under this Act shall be made from the Federal Capital Territory Administration Statutory Revenue Fund only for the purposes specified in the schedule to this Act.
3. **Payment of Revenue into the Statutory Account**

- (i) All revenues accruing to the Federal Capital Territory Administration, including the Statutory Revenue distribution shall be paid into the Federal Capital Territory Administration's Statutory Revenue Account.
- (ii) No monies shall be withdrawn from the Account mentioned in section 3(1) above without appropriation by the National Assembly.

**4. Waiver not to incur expenditure**

Where, due to revenue shortfall, amounts appropriated under this Act cannot be funded, the Minister of Federal Capital Territory shall seek from the National Assembly a waiver not to incur such expenditure.

**5. Short title**

This Bill may be cited as the Federal Capital Territory Supplementary Statutory Appropriation Bill 2024.

Schedule

**PART A – Recurrent Non –Debt Expenditure**

	<b>2024 Supplementary</b>
<b>Federal Capital Territory First Line Charge</b>	
(1) Federal Capital Territory Administration	
Personnel Costs	0
Overhead Costs	15,000,000,000
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>15,000,000,000</b>
(2) Health & Human Services Secretariat	
Personnel Costs	0
Overhead Costs	100,000,000
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>100,000,000</b>
(3) Youth Department	
Personnel Costs	0
Overhead Costs	11,000,000,000
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>11,000,000,000</b>
(4) FCT Water Board	
Personnel Costs	0
Overhead Costs	2,100,000,000
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>2,100,000,000</b>
(5) Abuja Environmental Protection Board	
Personnel Costs	0
Overhead Costs	2,900,000,000
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>2,900,000,000</b>
<b>General Summary</b>	
Total Personnel	0
Total Overhead	31,100,000,000
<b>Total Recurrent</b>	<b>31,100,000,000</b>

**PART B – Capital Expenditure**

	<b>2024 Supplementary</b>
(1) Engineering Services, FCDA	110,400,000,000
(2) Public Building, FCDA	41,000,000,000
(3) Resettlement and Compensation Department	2,500,000,000
(4) Facilities Maintenance and Management Department	20,000,000,000
(5) Satellite Towns Development Department	83,000,000,000
<b>Total Capital</b>	<b>256,900,000,000</b>
<b>Grand Total Recurrent and Capital</b>	<b>288,000,000,000</b>

- 7.** A Bill for an Act to Establish Federal College of Education Dengi–Kanam, Plateau State, to Provide Full-Time Courses, Teaching Instruction and Training in Technology, Applied Science, Arts, Social Sciences, Humanities and Management and for Related Matters (HB. 35) – *Committee of the Whole* - 25/7/2023

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

S/N	Committee	Date	Time	Venue
1.	Rules and Business	Thursday 26 September 2024	3.00 p.m.	Committee Room 06 (White House) Assembly Complex
2.	Public Petitions ( <i>Investigative Hearing</i> )	Thursday 26 September 2024	3.00 p.m.	Conference Room 429 (New Building) Assembly Complex
3.	Public Procurement	Thursday 26 September 2024	2.00 p.m.	Committee Room 460 (New Building) Assembly Complex