

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE FEDERAL ROAD SAFETY COMMISSION ACT, CAP. F19 LAW OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA, 2004 TO PRESCRIBE CERTAIN TRAFFIC OFFENCES AND THEIR PENALTIES

Sponsored by Hon. Jagaba Adams Jagaba

[] Commencement

ENACTED by the National Assembly of the Federal Republic of Nigeria as follows:

1 1. The Federal Road Safety Commission Act, Cap.F19 Law of the
 2 Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (herein after referred to as "the Principal Act")
 3 is amended as set out in this Bill.

Amendment of
Federal Road
Safety Commission
Act, Cap F19
LFN, 2004

4 2. Section 10 Sub-section (4) of the Principal act is amended by
 5 introducing additional offences as Sub-section "4(kk-oo) immediately after
 6 the existing Sub-section 4(jj):

Amendment of
Section 10

7 "4 (kk) driving on a one-way lane;
 8 (II) driving on the Road Kerb;
 9 (mm) driving without headlights or any of them;
 10 (nn) refusing to use pedestrian bridge where pedestrian bridge has
 11 been provided: and

12 (oo) hawking on the pedestrian bridge and its precincts;
 13 (mm) violation of traffic lights."

14 3. This Bill may cited as the Federal Road Safety Commission Act
 15 (Amendment) Bill, 2015.

Short title

16 4. The Second schedule to the Principal Act is amended by
 17 creating additional offences and their penalties as item 38-42 immediately
 18 after the existing item 37 of the Second Schedule:

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| 19 | 38. Driving on a one- way lane | N50, 000 |
| 20 | 39. Driving on a Road Kerb | N50, 000 |

1	40. Driving without headlights or one of them	N20,000
2	41. Refusal to use pedestrian bridge where one is provided	N20,000
3	42. Hawking on the pedestrian bridge and its precincts	N25,000
4	43. Violation of traffic lights	N60,000
5	44. Driving on walk way	N50,000
6	45. Hitting a pedestrian at zebra crossing	N50,000

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This bill seeks to amend the Federal Road Safety Commission Act, Cap. F19 Law of the Federation of Nigeria, 2014 to prescribe certain traffic offences and their penalties.