A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE MARKETING (BREAST-MILK SUBSTITUTES) ACT CAP M5 LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA, 2004 TO REVIEW THE PENALTIES AND CHANGE THE TITLE OF THE ACT; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Betty Apiafi

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	ENACTED by the National Assembly of the Federal Republic of	
	Nigeria-	
1	1. The Marketing (Breast-Milk Substitutes) Act Cap M5 Laws of	Amendment of Cap. M5 LFN, 2004 Principal Act
2	the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (in this Bill referred to as "the Principal	
3	Act") is amended as set out in this Bill.	
4	2. Substitute for the title to the Principal Act, a new title, "Breast-	Amendment of title to the Act
5	Milk substitutes (Administration and Control) Act."	
ó	3. Section 5 (2) of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for	Amendment of Section 5 (2)
7	the expression, "N1,000" in line 2, the expression, "N200,000".	
3	4. Section 11 of the Principal Act is amended:	Amendment of Section 11
)	(a) In subsection (1), by substituting for the expression "N1,000",	
0	the expression "N200,000";	
1	(b) By substituting for subsection (2), a new subsection"(2)":	
2	"(2) where an offence under this Act has been committed by a body	
3	corporate:	
4	(a) Every person who at the time of the commission of the offence	•
5	was a proprietor, director, general manager, secretary or other similar	
6	officer, servant or agent of the body corporate (or person purporting to act in	
7	any capacity shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine	
8	not exceeding N500,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two	
9	years or both; and	

1 (b) The body corporate shall be liable on conviction to a fine not
2 exceeding N5,000,000.

5. This Bill may be cited as the Marketing (Breast-Milk Substitutes)
4 · Act (Amendment) Bill, 2015.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the Marketing (Breast-Milk Substitutes) Act Cap M5

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This Bill seeks to amend the Marketing (Breast-Milk Substitutes) Act Cap M5 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004, to review penalties and change the title of the Act.

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