

NATIONAL IDENTITY MANAGEMENT COMMISSION BILL, 2015

ARRANGEMENT OF CLAUSES

Clause:

1. Amendment of Act No. 23, 2007
2. Amendment of section 2 (1)
3. Amendment of section 2 (2)
4. Amendment of section 3 (2)
5. Amendment of section 4
6. Amendment of section 27 (1)
7. Amendment of section 28
8. Citation

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NATIONAL IDENTITY MANAGEMENT COMMISSION ACT NO.23, 2007 TO, AMONG OTHER THINGS, REVIEW THE COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD AND ALLOW THE NATIONAL SALARIES, INCOME AND WAGES COMMISSION TO DETERMINE ALLOWANCES AND OTHER REMUNERATION OF THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Mark Terseer Gbillah

[] Commencement

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

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1. The National Identity Management Commission Act No.23, 2007 (in this Bill referred to as the "Principal Act") is amended as set out in this Bill.

2. Section 2 (1) of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for paragraph (b), a new paragraph "(b)"-
"(b) a representative each of-
(i) Independent National Electoral Commission,
(ii) National Health insurance Scheme,
(iii) Federal Road Safety Commission,
(iv) National Pension Commission,
(v) Department of State Security, and
(vi) Economic and Financial Crimes Commission."

3. Section 2 (2) (b) of the Principal Act is deleted.

4. Section 3 (2) (f) of the Principal Act is deleted.

5. Section 4 of the Principal Act is amended-
(a) By-
(i) inserting in line 2, after the word, "and", the words, "other
- Amendment of Act No. 23, 2007

Amendment of Section 2 (1)

Amendment of Section 2 (2)

Amendment of Section 3 (2)

Amendment of Section 4

1 remuneration as may be determined by the National Salaries, Incomes and
2 Wages Commission, and

3 (ii) deleting, in line 2, the words, "incidental expenses as the President
4 may, from time to time, approve"; and

5 (b) by-

6 (i) inserting a new subsection "(2)"-

7 "(2) The functions of the Board shall be to manage and supervise the
8 affairs of the Commission and give general direction regarding the day-to-day
9 administration of the Commission.", and

10 (ii) renumbering the section appropriately.

Amendment of
Section 27 ()

11 6. Section 27 (1) is amended-

12 (a) in subsection (1) (d)-

13 (i) by inserting a marginal reference "Cap. L5 LFN, 2004",

14 (ii) paragraph (e), by substituting for the figures, "2004", the figures
15 "2014"; and

16 (b) inserting the marginal reference, "Act No. 4, 2014".

Amendment of
Section 28

17 7. Section 28 of the Principal Act is amended-

18 (a) by substituting for subsections (2) and (3), new subsections "(2)" -

19 "(3)"-

20 "(2) A person who commits an offence under-

21 (a) subsection (1) (a) of this section shall be liable on conviction to
22 imprisonment for a term not less than 10 years without option of fine; and

23 (b) any other provision of this Act shall be liable on conviction to a
24 fine of not less than N250,000.00 or imprisonment for a term not less than 3
25 years or to both such fine and imprisonment".;

26 "(3) Where-

27 (a) an offence under subsection (1) of this section is committed by a
28 body corporate and is proved to have been committed with the connivance of or
29 attributable to any neglect on the part of a director, manager, secretary or other
30 similar officer of the body corporate, or any other person purporting to act in

1 any such capacity, such person as well as the body corporate shall be liable
2 on conviction to imprisonment for 10 years and to a fine of N10,000,000.00
3 respectively; and

4 (b) any other offence is committed by a person under this Act, such
5 a person shall be liable on conviction to a fine of N1,000,000.00".

6 8. This Bill may be cited as the National Identity Management Citation
7 Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2015.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the National Identity Management Commission Act No.23, 2007 to, among other things, review the composition of the Board and allow the National Salaries, Income and Wages Commission to determine allowances and other remuneration of the Chairman and members of the Board.