

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NATIONAL IDENTITY MANAGEMENT COMMISSION ACT CAP N154 TO AMONG OTHER THINGS, DELETE THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 5(O), AND STIPULATES A TIME LIMIT FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE PERMANENT NATIONAL IDENTITY CARD AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsor by Hon. Olajide Olatubosun

[] Commencement

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

- 1 1. The National Identity Management Commission Act Cap N154 Amendment of
2 (herein referred to as the "Principal Act") is hereby amended as set out in this the Principal Act
3 Bill.
- 4 2. Section 5 (O) of the Principal Act is hereby amended by deleting Amendment of
5 the provisions of Section 5 (O). Section 5(O)
- 6 3. Section 18 (5) of the Principal Act is hereby amended by Amendment of
7 substituting the provisions subsection (5) of the Principal Act and replacing Section 18(5)
8 same with a new subsection (5) as follows:
- 9 "Upon the registration of a person under this Act, the Commission
10 shall ensure that such registered individual is compulsorily issued with a
11 permanent multipurpose identity card with an identity Number within a
12 period of sixty days from the date of such registration."
- 13 4. This Bill may be cited as the National Identity Management Citation
14 Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2016.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the National Identity Management Commission Act Cap N154 LFN to, among other things, delete the provisions of section 5 (O) of the "Principal Act" also stipulates a time limit for the issuance of the permanent National Identity Card in Section 18(5).