

CODE OF CONDUCT AND TRIBUNAL ACT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2017

ARRANGEMENT OF CLAUSES

Clause:

1. Amendment of the Code of Conduct Bureau and Tribunal Act Cap. C15LFN, 2004
2. Amendment of Section 20 of the Principal Act
3. Citation

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF CONDUCT BUREAU AND TRIBUNAL ACT CAP. C15 LFN, 2004 TO PROVIDE FOR THE CREATION OF DIVISIONS OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT TRIBUNAL IN THE GEO-POLITICAL ZONES IN ORDER TO ENSURE MAINTENANCE OF HIGH STANDARD OF MORALITY, FAST DISPENSATION OF JUSTICE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN THE CONDUCT OF HOLDERS OF PUBLIC OFFICES AT THE STATE AND ZONAL LEVELS AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. James Abiodun Faleke

[] Commencement

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

1 1. The Code of Conduct Bureau and Tribunal Act Cap. C15 LFN,
2 2004 (in this Bill referred to as the "Principal Act") is amended as set out in
3 this Bill.

Amendment of the Code of Conduct Bureau and Tribunal Act Cap. C15 LFN, 2004

4 2. Section 20 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting after the
5 existing subsection (1) new subsection "(2)"-

Amendment of Section 3 of the Principal Act

6 "(2) The headquarters of the Tribunal shall be situated in the
7 Federal Capital Territory, and divisional offices shall be established by the
8 Tribunal, in each of the six geo-political zones."

9 3. This Bill is cited as the Code of Conduct Bureau and Tribunal
10 Act (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

Citation

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the Code of Conduct Bureau and Tribunal Act Cap. C15 LFN 2004 to provide for the creation of divisions of the Code of Conduct Tribunal in the geo-political zones in Nigeria in order to ensure maintenance of high standard of morality, fast dispensation of justice, and accountability in the conduct of holders of public offices at the state and zonal levels in the country.