

IMMIGRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2017

ARRANGEMENT OF CLAUSES

Clause:

1. Amendment of Immigration Act No.8, 2015
2. Insertion of new section 9
3. Amendment of section 38(3)
4. Amendment of Section 82
5. Amendment of Section 84(1)
6. Amendment of Section 85
7. Amendment of Section 97
8. Citation

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE IMMIGRATION ACT NO.8 2015, TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF ALL MONIES RECEIVED BY THE SERVICE INTO THE FEDERATION ACCOUNT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 162 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA 1999 (AS AMENDED).

Sponsored by Hon. Gyang Istifanus Dung

[] Commencement

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

- 1 1. The Immigration Act. No.8 2015 (in this Bill referred to as the
2 "Principal Act") is amended as set out in this Bill. Amendment of
Act 8, 2015
- 3 2. The Principal Act is amended by inserting a new section 9- Insertion of New
Section 9
- 4 "9. (1) The Funds of the Service shall consist of:
- 5 (a) such funds as budgetary allocations, trust funds, subventions,
6 grants-in-aid and loans as may, from time to time, be made by the Federal
7 Government;
- 8 (b) such sums or property which may, from time to time by way of
9 loans or grants and gifts accrue to the Service from any other Government,
10 non-governmental bodies or individuals; and
- 11 (c) other monies received by the Service which may in any way,
12 become payable to or vested in the Service by way of revenues, fees, levies,
13 taxes, penalties, gifts, grants-in-aid, testamentary disposition and all other
14 assets that may from time to time accrue to the Service."
- 15 (2) All monies received by or on behalf of the Service shall be
16 receipted and shall be paid into the Federation Account within 24 hours of
17 receipt or the next working day.

- Amendment of
Section 38(3) 1 3. Section 38(3) of the Principal Act is amended in line 5, by deleting
2 the words, "Consolidated Revenue Fund" and inserting the words, "Federation
3 Account".
- Amendment of
Section 82 4 4. Section 82 of the Principal Act is amended:
5 (a) in subsection (1)(c), lines 5-6 by deleting the words "Consolidated
6 Revenue Fund of the" and inserting after the word" Federation" in line 6, the
7 word, "Account"; and
8 (b) in subsection (2) line 5 by deleting the words, " Consolidated
9 Revenue Fund of the" and inserting after the word, " Federation", the word,
10 "Account".
- Amendment of
Section 84(1) 11 5. Section 84(1) of the Principal Act is amended in line 12 by deleting
12 the words "Consolidated Revenue Fund of the" and inserting after the word,
13 "Federation", the word, "Account".
- Amendment of
Section 85 14 6. Section 85 of the Principal Act is amended:
15 (a) in paragraph (a) by deleting in line 2 the words "Consolidated
16 Revenue Fund of the" and inserting after the word, "Federation", the word,
17 "Account"; and
18 (b) in paragraph (b) by deleting in line 4 the words "Consolidated
19 Revenue Fund of the" and inserting after the word, "Federation", the word,
20 "Account".
- Amendment of
Section 97 21 7. Section 97 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for the
22 existing section 97, a new" section 97"-
23 "97 All proceeds of sale of assets of properties of smugglers shall be
24 paid into the Federation Account of the Federation."
- Citation 25 8. This Bill may be cited as the Immigration (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the Immigration Act, No.8, 2015 to provide for the payment of all monies received by the Service into the Federation Account in accordance with Section 162 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (As amended).