

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHERS REGISTRATION COUNCIL OF NIGERIA
ACT, CAP L5 AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Mohammed Garba Gololo

[] Commencement

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

- 1 1. The Teacher's Registration Council of Nigeria Act no. 31 of Amendment of
2 1993 Cap L5, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria (L.F.N), 2004 hereinafter Principal Act
3 referred to as "the Principal Legislation" is hereby amended as follows.
4 2. Section 1 of the Principal Legislation is hereby amended by Amendment of
5 including immediately after section 1(1)(f) other subsections as follows: Section 1
6 (g) regulating and enforcing compliance in both public and private
7 schools the minimum standard requirement for teachers;
8 (h) supervising and punishing schools that fails to comply with the
9 approved standards in the recruitment of teachers;
10 (i) ensure that all teachers both in the public and private schools are
11 duly registered with the council and;
12 (j) ensure a routine training and re-training of teachers.
13 3. This bill may be cited as the Teacher's Registration Council of Citation
14 Nigeria Act (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to regulate the teaching profession in order to enhance efficiency and ensure professionalism and to checkmate the activities of quacks flushing the profession. You will recall that; the educational system has witnessed a considerable decline in standard as a result of personnel who are highly unprofessional but go into teaching just to earn money and end up making a mess of the system.