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# PETROLEUM TRAINING INSTITUTE (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017

### EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Act amends the Petroleum Training Institute Act Cap. P16, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to comply with the principle of fair hearing by introducing the requirement of hearing by a disciplinary panel as part of the procedure for removal from office or employment of the principal, vice principal or any other members of the academic or senior administrative staff of the Institute.

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## PETROLEUM TRAINING INSTITUTE (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017

### ARRANGEMENT OF CLAUSES

### Clause:

- 1. Amendment of Cap. P16, LFN, 2004.
- 2. Amendment of section 7.
- 3. Citation.

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### PETROLEUM TRAINING INSTITUTE (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017

#### A Bill

#### For

An Act to amend the Petroleum Training Institute Act Cap. P16, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to comply with the principle of fair hearing before removal of staff from office.

Commencement

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

1. The Petroleum Training Institute Act Cap. P16, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (in this Act referred to as "the Principal Act") is amended as set out in this Act.

Amendment of Cap. P16, LFN, 2004.

2. Section 7 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for the subsection (2), a new subsection "(2)" -

Amendment of section 7.

"(2) If it appears to the Council that the principal, vice principal or any other member of the academic or senior administrative staff of the Institute should be removed from office or employment on the grounds of misconduct or inability to perform the functions of his office, the Council shall, after giving the said staff an opportunity to appear before a disciplinary committee, make a recommendation to that effect to the Minister and, if the Minister approves the recommendation, the Council shall remove the person concerned from office or employment."

3. This Act may be cited as the Petroleum Training Institute (Amendment) Act, 2017.

Citation.

CERTIFY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2 (1) OF THE ACTS AUTHENTICATION ACT CAP. A2, LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA 2004, THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THIS BILL PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.

MOHAMMED ATABA SANI-OMOLORI CLERK TO THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

DAY OF JUNE, 2017

## Schedule to the Petroleum Training Institute (Amendment) Bill, 2017

SHORT TITLE OF THE BILL	LONG TITLE OF THE BILL	SUMMARY OF THE CONTENTS OF THE BILL	DATE PASSED BY THE SENATE	DATE PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF DEPRESENTATIVES
Petroleum Training Institute (Amendment) Bill, 2017	An Act to amend the Petroleum Training Institute Act Cap. P16, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to comply with the principle of fair hearing before removal of staff from office.	This Bill amends the Petroleum Training Institute Act Cap. P16, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to comply with the principle of fair hearing by introducing the requirement of hearing by a disciplinary panel as part of the procedure for removal from office or employment of the principal, vice principal or any other members of the academic or senior administrative staff of the Institute.		31st May, 2016

I certify that this Bill has been carefully compared by me with the decision reached by the National Assembly and found by me to be true and correct decision of the Houses and is in accordance with the provisions of the Acts Authentication Act Cap. A2, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004.

MOHAMMED ATABA SANI-OMOLORI

Clerk to the National Assembly Day of June, 2017

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President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria Day of June, 2017