

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE PRE-SHIPMENT INSPECTION OF EXPORTS ACT CAP P25 LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA, 2004 AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Senator Joshua Dariye

[] Commencement

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

1 1. The Pre-shipment Inspection of Exports Act Cap P25 Laws of
2 the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (in this Bill referred to as "the Principal
3 Act") is amended as set out in this Bill. Amendment of
the Principal Act

4 2. Section 18 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting
5 existing subsection (3) for new subsection (3)- Substitution of
the Section 18(3)
of the Principal
Act

6 "where an offence under this section is proved to have been
7 committed with the consent or connivance of, or to be attributed to any
8 neglect on the part of any director, manager secretary or other similar officer,
9 servant or agent of the body corporate (or any person purporting to act in
10 such capacity), that person as well as the body corporate (or any person
11 purporting to act in such capacity), that person as well as the body corporate
12 shall be deemed to be guilty of the offence and may be proceeded against and
13 punished in the same manner as an individual under subsection (2) of this
14 section."

15 3. This Bill is cited as the Pre-shipment Inspection of Exports Act Citation
16 (Amendment) Bill, 2016.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the Pre-shipment Inspection of Exports Act Cap P25 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004, to amend reference in Section 18(3) to paragraph (a) of subsection (1) to read "subsection 2".