

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO ALTER THE SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA ACT (NO 24) 1999, TO TRANSFER METEOROLOGY FROM THE EXCLUSIVE LEGISLATIVE LIST TO THE CONCURRENT LEGISLATIVE LIST; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Abbas Tajudeen

[] Commencement

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

1 1. The Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, (as
2 amended), is altered in the Second Schedule as follows:

Alteration of the
Second Schedule
to the Constitution,
Act (No 24) 1999

3 (a) in Part I, in Exclusive Legislative List, delete item 37 thereof,
4 and

5 (b) in Part II, in Concurrent Legislative List, after paragraph 20
6 thereof, insert the following new item:

7 "HA- Meteorology:

8 20A - The National Assembly may make Laws for the Federation
9 or any part thereof, with respect to Meteorology, so far as the subject matter
10 relates to matter which the National Assembly has power to make Laws in
11 this constitution.

12 20B - A House of Assembly may, subject to paragraph 20A hereof,
13 make Laws for the State or any part thereof with respect to Meteorology in
14 so far as the subject matter relates to matter which a State House of
15 Assembly has power to make Laws in this Constitution."

16 2. This Bill may be cited as the Constitution of the Federal
17 Republic of Nigeria (Fifth Alteration) Bill, 2021.

Citation

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to alter the Second Schedule to the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria Act (No 24) 1999, to transfer Meteorology from the Exclusive Legislative list to the Concurrent Legislative List.