

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO ALTER THE PROVISION OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA, 1999, TO DELETE PROVISIONS ON STATE INDEPENDENT ELECTORAL COMMISSION AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Lynda Chuba Ikpeazu

[] Commencement

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

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| 1 | 1. The Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (in | Amendment of
the Constitution
of the Federal
Republic of
Nigeria, 1999 |
| 2 | this bill referred to as "the Principal Act") is altered as set out in this Bill. | |
| 3 | 2. Section 197 of the Principal Act is altered in subsection (1) by | Alteration of
Section 197 of the
Principal Act |
| 4 | deleting (b) "State Independent Electoral Commission". | |
| 5 | 3. Part II (B) of the Third Schedule to the Principal Act on "State | Alteration of
Third Schedule
to the Principal
Act |
| 6 | Independent Electoral Commission" is hereby deleted. | |
| 7 | 4. This Bill is cited as the Constitution of the Federal Republic of | Citation |
| 8 | Nigeria (Alteration) Bill, 2021. | |

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999, to delete provisions on State Independent Electoral Commission.