



1 agencies and bodies as may be determined by the Commission shall, in  
2 conjunction with the department of Solar Power, Wind Power and Coal Power  
3 explore, harness and utilize the energy generated which shall be made available  
4 to Nigerians;"

5 (m) the Commission shall receive application form the public on type  
6 of energy sources required, and which shall be determined by the prevalent  
7 energy source required in the particular area;

8 (n) the energy source available in an area shall be determined by the  
9 prevalent source of energy in that area;

10 (o) the Commission shall approve the tariffs payable depending on  
11 the source of energy subject to the approval of the President; and"

Amendment of  
Section 8

12 **5.** Section 8 of the Principal Act is amended by introducing new sub-  
13 section 8 (4) as follows:

14 "(4) tariffs paid to the Commission shall be paid to the Commission  
15 treasury single account (TSA); and"

Short title

16 **6.** This Bill may be cited as the Energy Commission of Nigeria Act  
17 (Amendment) Bill, 2019.

#### EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend sections 1, 2, 5 and 8 of the Energy Commission Act (1979) seeks to give power of exploration, harnessing and generation of solar, wind and coal energy sources to the Energy Commission of Nigeria for the benefit of Nigeria.