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## A BILL

## FOR

AN ACT TO ALTER SECTION 162 (2) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

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ENACTED by the National Assembly of the Federal Republic of Nigeria as follows-Alteration of the Constitution of 1. The Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (In the Federal Republic of this Bill Referred to as the "Principal Act") is hereby Altered as Set-Out-Nigeria, 1999 2. Section 162 (2) of the Principal Act is Altered by Substituting Alteration of Section 162 the Existing Words "not less than thirteen percent" line three and with the words "not less than fifty percent". 3. This Bill may be cited as the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (Alteration) Bill, 2019.

## **EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

This Bill seeks to Alter Section 162 (2), Paragraph 2 of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria by Increasing the Percentage of Derivation Fund of the Revenue Accruing to the Federation Account Directly from any Natural Resources to not Less than Fifty (50%) Percent,

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