

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND FEDERAL COLLEGES OF EDUCATION ACT CAP F8 LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA 2004, TO ALIGN THE LOCATION OF THE COLLEGES OF EDUCATION AFFECTED BY BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS AS A RESULT OF STATES CREATION AND TO ESTABLISH FEDERAL COLLEGE OF EDUCATION NINGI, BAUCHI STATE TO ADDRESS THE CURRENT IMBALANCE IN THE ESTABLISHMENT AND DISTRIBUTION OF FEDERAL INSTITUTIONS IN THE STATE AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Abdullahi Sa'ad Abdulqadir

[] Commencement

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

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| <p>1 1. The Federal Colleges of Education Act Cap F8 Laws of the</p> <p>2 Federation of Nigeria 2004 (in this bill referred to as "the Principal Act") is</p> <p>3 amended as set out in this Bill,</p> | <p>Amendment of
Federal Colleges
of Education Act
Cap F8 LFN, 2004</p> |
| <p>4 2. The first schedule to the Principal Act is amended:</p> <p>5 (a) in paragraph (a) by substituting the word Bauchi, for the word</p> <p>6 "Gombe",</p> <p>7 (b) in paragraph (h) by substituting the word Kwara, for the word</p> <p>8 "Kogi";</p> <p>9 (c) in paragraph (I) by substituting the word Gongola, for the word</p> <p>10 "Adamawa",</p> <p>11 (d) in paragraph (m) by substituting the word Bendel, for the word</p> <p>12 "Delta",</p> <p>13 (e) in paragraph (0) by substituting the word Sakata, for the word</p> <p>14 "Cusau",</p> <p>15 (f) in paragraph (q) by substituting the word Borno, for the word</p> <p>16 "Yobe",</p> | <p>Amendment of
the schedule to
the Principal Act</p> |

1 (g) in paragraph (t) by inserting, after the word Amufu, the words
2 "Enugu State"; and

3 (h) by inserting after paragraph (t), a new paragraph "(U)"-
4 "(u) Federal College of Education, Ningi, Bauchi State."

Citation

5 3. This Bill is cited as Federal Colleges of Education Act
6 (Amendment) Bill, 2019.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend Federal Colleges of Education Act Cap F8 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004, to align the location of the Colleges of Education affected by boundary adjustments as a result of states creation and to establish Federal College of Education Ningi, Bauchi State to address the current imbalance in the establishment and distribution of Federal institutions in the state.