

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR SPORTS ACT CAP N52 LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA 2004 TO FACILITATE DEVELOPMENT OF MANPOWER IN THE AREAS OF COACHING, SPORTS MARKETING, SPORTS FACILITY MANAGEMENT, SPORTS JOURNALISM AND ADMINISTRATION; TO COLLABORATE WITH NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN SPORTS DEVELOPMENT; ESTABLISH SPORTS TRAINING CENTRES IN ALL THE 6 GEO-POLITICAL ZONES; CHANGE THE DESIGNATION OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE INSTITUTE FROM DIRECTOR TO DIRECTOR-GENERAL AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Ahmed Idris

[] Commencement

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

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| <p>1 1. The National Institute for Sports Act Cap N52 Laws of the
 2 Federation of Nigeria 2004 (in this Bill referred to as "the Principal Act") is
 3 amended as set out in this Bill.</p> | <p>Amendment of
 National Institute
 for Sports Act
 Cap. N52 LFN,
 2004</p> |
| <p>4 2. Section 1 of the Principal Act is amended-</p> <p>5 (a) in subsection (1), by inserting, after the words in the brackets,
 6 the words "with administrative headquarters in Lagos";
 7 (b) by inserting new subsection "(3)":
 8 "(3) The Institute shall establish and maintain National Training
 9 Centres in each of the 6 geopolitical zones of the Federation."</p> | <p>Amendment of
 Section 1</p> |
| <p>10 3. Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended:</p> <p>11 (a) in subsection(1) (c)(vi) by inserting after the word "Director"
 12 the word "General"; and
 13 (b) in subsection (2), by substituting the word "three" for the word
 14 "four" in lines 2 and 3.</p> | <p>Amendment of
 Section 3</p> |

Amendment of
Section 4

1 4. Section 4 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting after the
2 existing paragraph "(i)", new paragraphs (k) and (l):

3 “(k) incorporate a limited liability company to be either wholly
4 owned by the Institute or in collaboration with the private sector;

5 (l) establish and manage Elite Athlete Development Center in Abuja”.

Amendment of
Section 5

6 5. Section 5 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting, after
7 paragraph (j), new paragraphs "(k) and (l)":

8 “(k) facilitate the production of needed manpower in sports
9 development in all its ramification; and

10 (l) collaborate with National and International institutions in the
11 promotion of research in sports.”

Amendment of
Section 7

12 6. Section 7 of the Principal Act is amended:

13 (a) in the marginal note, by inserting after the word "Director" the
14 word "General";

15 (b) in subsection (1), by inserting after the word "Director" the word
16 "General";

17 (c) in subsection (2), by inserting after the word "Director" the word
18 "General";

19 (d) in subsection (3), by inserting after the word "Director" the word
20 "General"; and

21 (e) in subsection (4), by inserting after the word "Director" the word
22 "General and by inserting after the word office, the words "five years and".

Amendment of
Section 8

23 7. Section 8 of the Principal Act is amended:

24 (a) in subsection (1) (a), by inserting after the word "Director" the
25 word "General"; and

26 (b) in subsection (2), by inserting after the word "Director" the word
27 "General".

Amendment of
Section 10

28 8. Section 10(1) of the Principal Act is amended:

29 (a) in paragraph (a), by substituting the words "the Institute as
30 Chairman" for the words "sports education"; and

1 (b) by inserting after the existing paragraph (a), new paragraph

2 (aa):

3 "(aa) the Director of Elite Athletes Development Programme."

4 9. Section 11 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting, after the
5 existing paragraph (c), a new paragraph (d):

Amendment of
Section 11

6 "(d) returns of investments".

7 10. This Bill may be cited as the National Institute for Sports Act
8 (Amendment) Bill, 2019.

Citation

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the National Institute for Sports Act Cap. N52 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004 to, amongst others, facilitate development of manpower in the areas of coaching, sports marketing, sports facility management, sports journalism and administration; to collaborate with National and international Institutions in sports development; establish sports training centres in all the 6 geo-political zones; and change the designation of the Chief Executive Officer of the Institute from Director to Director-General.

