



EDO STATE

**EDO STATE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA
FIFTH ASSEMBLY
FIRST SESSION
SECOND QUARTER**

NO. 30

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 5th October, 2011

1. The House met at 12.03 p.m. Mr. Speaker took his seat and prayers were said.
2. **Roll Call of Honourable Members:** The Roll Call of Honourable Members was taken as follows:

S/NO.	NAME	CONSTITUENCY
1.	Hon. AGHEDO, Sunday	<i>Ovia South-West</i>
2.	Hon. (Barr.) ALIU, Peter	<i>Etsako East</i>
3.	Hon. (Mrs.) ATIVIE, U. Elizabeth	<i>Uhunmwode</i>
4.	Hon. EDOROR, Victor S.	<i>Esan Central</i>
5.	Hon. EHIGHALUA, Monday E.	<i>Esan West</i>
6.	Hon. EHIGIAMUSOR, Kingsley	<i>Igueben</i>
7.	Hon. IGBE, Uyigwe	<i>Oredo West</i>
8.	Hon. ILUOBE, Patrick E.	<i>Esan North-East I</i>
9.	Hon. ISE-IDEHEN, Jude	<i>Ikpoba-Okha</i>
10.	Hon. MOMOH, Abdulrazak Awu	<i>Etsako West I</i>
11.	Hon. OGEDENGBE, Foly Joseph	<i>Owan East</i>
12.	Hon. OGIERHIAKHI, Friday	<i>Orhionmwon II</i>
13.	Hon. OGHUMA, Johnson Egwakhide	<i>Etsako Central</i>
14.	Hon. OHIO-EZOMO, Michael	<i>Owan West</i>
15.	Hon. (Barr.) OHONBAMU, Paul	<i>Egor</i>
16.	Hon. OKODUWA, Emmanuel	<i>Esan North-East II</i>
17.	Hon. OLORUNTOBA, Simon Bamidele	<i>Akoko-Edo II</i>
18.	Hon. OSAYANDE, Noghayin Bright	<i>Ovia North-East II</i>
19.	Hon. OSAYIMWEN, Patrick	<i>Oredo East</i>
20.	Hon. OSAZEMWINDE, Sunday	<i>Ovia North-East I</i>
21.	Hon. SHAIBU, Philip	<i>Etsako West II</i>

ABSENT WITH APOLOGY

1. Hon. (Alhaji) ADJOTO, Kabiru *Akoko-Edo 1*
2. Hon. AISOWIEREN, Patrick *Orhionmwon I*

ABSENT

1. Hon. EBEA, Festus *Esan South-East*

SUMMARY

i.	Hon. Members Present	=	21
ii.	Hon. Members on Official Assignment	=	Nil
iii.	Hon. Members Absent With Apology	=	2
iv.	Hon. Members Absent	=	<u>1</u>
	Total	=	<u>24</u>

3. Approval of Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 4th October, 2011.

Mr. Speaker announced that he had read through, and was satisfied with the Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 4th October, 2011, which was thereafter approved by unanimous consent, subject to the following amendments.

i. On page 4, line 4, to *delete* the name **Hon. Shaibu Philip** (*Etsako West II*) and *insert* the name **Hon. Uyigüe Igbe** (*Oredo West*) *instead* thereof.

ii. On page 4, line 9, to *delete* the name **Hon. Shaibu, Philip** (*Etsako West II*) and *insert* the name **Hon. Uyigüe Igbe** (*Oredo West*) *instead* thereof.

4. Messages from the Governor:

Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of two letters from the Executive Governor of Edo State, Comrade Adams Aliyu Oshiomhole and signed by the Attorney-General and Commissioner for Justice of Edo State and directed the Clerk to read thus:

(i) **MINISTRY OF JUSTICE**
Office of the Honourable Attorney-General and
Commissioner For Justice,
Ezoti Street, Benin City
Edo State of Nigeria
Tel: 052-253744, 253396

Our Ref. No. CGA 82/Vol. III/T2/178

30th September, 2011

The Honourable Speaker,
Edo State House of Assembly,
"Chief Anthony Enahoro's Complex"
Kingsquare,
Benin City.

Dear Speaker,

A BILL FOR A LAW TO MAKE PROVISIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE EDO STATE INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY AGENCY

I am directed by the Executive Governor of Edo State, Comrade Adams Aliyu Oshiomhole to forward 30 copies of the Bill on the above underlined subject matter to you for due passage into Law.

The purpose of the Law is to create an Agency to render Information, Communication Technology (ICT) services to the Government of Edo State and its Agencies.

Please accept the assurances of my warmest regards.

Sgd.

Dr. Osagie Obayuwana

Hon. Attorney-General and Commissioner for Justice,
Edo State.

(ii)

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30th September, 2011

The Honourable Speaker,
Edo State House of Assembly,
"Chief Anthony Enahoro's Complex"
Kingsquare,
Benin City.

Dear Speaker,

**A BILL FOR A LAW TO MAKE PROVISIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT
OF THE EDO STATE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AGENCY**

I am directed by the Executive Governor of Edo State, Comrade Adams Aliyu Oshiomhole to forward 30 copies of the Bill on the above underlined subject matter to you for due passage into Law.

The purpose of the Law is to bring probity, accountability, and transparency into the procurement of goods and services by the State Government, Local Government Councils and Parastatals in Edo State.

Please accept the assurances of my warmest regards.

Sgd.

Dr. Osagie Obayuwana

Hon. Attorney-General and Commissioner for Justice,
Edo State.

Mr. Speaker thereafter directed that the Bills be circulated to Honourable Members adding that, the Rules and Business Committee should slate them for 1st Reading at a later date.

5. Petitions:

Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of a petition and directed the Clerk to give its synopsis thus: **“An Appeal To Liberate Agbede Community From 20 Years of Complete Hopelessness of Agbede/Warrake Farms Land”**. dated 21st September, 2011 and signed by one Sylvanus Oninkena Esq. for S. Y. Oni & Co.

Mr. Speaker thereafter referred the Petition to the Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources and directed it to report back to the House within two weeks.

6. A Bill for a Law to Regulate the Conduct of Local Government Elections and to Repeal the Electoral Law 2002, the Edo State Independent Electoral Commission Establishment Law 1999 and for Purposes Connected Therewith.

Motion made and Question Proposed; That the Bill be given its 2nd Reading.
Hon. Uyigue, Igbe (*Oredo East*)

Debate Arising:

Question put and ***agreed to***
Resolved in the affirmative

The Bill was accordingly given its 2nd Reading.

Mr. Speaker thereafter referred the Bill to the House Standing Committee on Judiciary, Human Rights and Legal Matters while the Committee on Local Government and Chieftaincy Affairs was to serve as a sub Committee.

The Committees are to report back to the House within one month.

7. Adjournment:

Motion made and Question Proposed; That this Honourable House do now adjourn sitting till Monday, 10th October, 2011 at 10.00 a.m. prompt.
Hon. Ohio-Ezomo Michael (*Owan West*)

Question put and ***agreed to***
Resolved in the affirmative

Sitting Accordingly Adjourned At Fourteen Minutes Before One O'clock In The Afternoon.

RT. HON. UYIGUE IGBE
(SPEAKER)