



OYO STATE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, IBADAN
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

8TH ASSEMBLY
2ND SESSION
NO. 23

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER, 2016



- 1.0 The House met at 10:55 a.m. Mr. Speaker took his seat and read the prayer.
- 2.0 **ROLL-CALL OF MEMBERS:**
- 2.1 **Present:**
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| (i) | Rt. Hon. A. M. Adeyemo | - | Speaker (Ibarapa East), A.P.C |
| (ii) | Hon. K.H Subair | - | Majority Leader (Ibadan South West I), A.P.C |
| (iii) | Hon. J. O. Ojo | - | Minority Leader (Oriire), L.P |
| (iv) | Hon. W. O. Akinmoyede | - | Chief Whip (Lagelu) A.P.C |
| (v) | Hon. S. O. Ajanaku | - | Chairman, Parliamentary Council, (Ibadan South-West II), A.P.C. |
| (vi) | Hon. O. A. Oyatokun | - | Deputy Majority Leader (Afijio) A.P.C |
| (vii) | Hon. J. A. Olaleru | - | Deputy Chief Whip, (Kajola), A.P.C |
| (viii) | Hon. A. K. Oloya | - | Ibadan North East I, Party Whip ACCORD |
| (ix) | Hon. G. J. Oyekola | - | Atiba, Party Whip, L.P |
| (x) | Hon. M. A. Wahab | - | Oluyole, A.P.C |
| (xi) | Hon A. A. Ige | - | Ibadan South-East II, ACCORD |
| (xii) | Hon. (Mrs.) B. O. Agbaje | - | Ibadan North I, A.P.C |
| (xiii) | Hon. A.A. Adeleke | - | Iseyin & Itesiwaju, A.P.C |
| (xiv) | Hon. L.O. Balogun | - | Oorelope, LP |
| (xv) | Hon. J. Oyebamiji | - | Akinyele I, ACCORD |
| (xvi) | Hon. (Mrs.) B. O. Oladeji | - | Ogbomoso North, L.P |
| (xvii) | Hon. A.W. Adeoye | - | Ibadan North-East II, ACCORD |
| (xviii) | Hon A. F. Adesina | - | Ibadan South-East I, ACCORD |
| (xix) | Hon. B. A. Azeez | - | Ona Ara, ACCORD |

(xx)	Hon. O.S. Akande	-	Ogbomoso South, L.P
(xxi)	Hon. A. Oseni	-	Irepo/Olorunsogo, A.P. C
(xxii)	Hon. M. A. Sangodipe	-	Saki East/Atisbo, A.P.C
(xxiii)	Hon. S. A. Okunlola	-	Iwajowa, A.P.C
(xxiv)	Hon. R.A. Jimoh	-	Ibarapa North & Central, A.P. C
(xxv)	Hon. B. S. Badmos	-	Akinyele II, A.P.C
(xxvi)	Hon. S. O. Oguntade	-	Egbeda, ACCORD
(xxvii)	Hon. M.O. Olagunju	-	Oyo East & Oyo West, ACCORD

Absent:

(i)	Hon. A. Musah	-	Deputy Speaker (Saki West), A.P.C
(ii)	Hon. A.A. Oladipo	-	Ibadan North West, A.P.C
(iii)	Hon. S.A. Olalere	-	Ido, A.P.C
(iv)	Hon. P.O. Oyetunji	-	Ogo-Oluwa & Surulere, LP
(v)	Hon. O.O. Olaleye	-	Ibadan North II, A.P.C.

3.0 APPROVAL OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS:

Mr. Speaker announced that he had examined the Votes and Proceedings of Thursday, 24th November, 2016 and called for comments.

Motion made, "That the Votes and Proceedings of Thursday, 24th November, 2016 be adopted" – Hon. K.H. Subair (Ibadan South-West I), Majority Leader.

Motion seconded by Hon. J.O. Ojo, (Oriire), Minority Leader.

Question put and agreed to.

Resolved: accordingly in the affirmative.

4.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. Speaker made the following announcements: That:

- (i) Committee on Education, Science and Technology would meet after the day's Plenary Sitting;
- (ii) Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources would meet at 11.00 a.m. on Wednesday, 30th November, 2016; and;
- (iii) Members of Special Committee on Christian Legislature Forum would meet after the day's Plenary Sitting.

5.0 MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE:

- (i) Pursuant to Order VIII 4(1 - 4) of the Standing Rules of the Oyo State House of Assembly, Hon. A.A. Ige (Ibadan South East II) raised a Matter of Urgent Public Importance on urgent need to give succor to the victims of fire Incident that occurred at Oremeji Agugu axis of Ibadan and to avert future occurrence.

The House consequently directed as follows: "that

- (i) the State Fire Service be commended for their intervention to quench the fire to prevent further escalation ;
- (ii) the attention of State Emergency Management Agency be drawn to the incident with a view to give succor to the victims of the inferno ;
- (iii) the Federal Ministry of Works, Housing and Power should direct the Contractor (RCC) handling the reconstruction of the Lagos/Ibadan Expressway down to Ojoo axis to repair the bad portion as palliative measure pending the completion of the on-going rehabilitation;
- (iv) the State Road Traffic Management Authority (OYSRTMA) should intensify efforts to impound vehicles/trucks illegally parked by roads-side (Trunk 'A' and 'B' Roads); and
- (v) Committee on Special Duties and the mover of the Urgent Public Importance, Hon. A.A. Ige should pay an on the spot visit to the scene and also commiserate with the victims of the incident.

6.0 APPEARANCE BEFORE THE HOUSE

Pursuant to the Directive of the House on Thursday, 22nd November, the under-listed Government Officials and Association Executives re-appeared before the House.

- (i) Chief Isaac A. Ishola - Commissioner, Ministry of Environment and Water Resources;
- (ii) Alhaji Oladimeji Dauda - Commissioner, Ministry of Works and Transport;
- (iii) Mr. Gabrael O. Oguntola - Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Water Resources;
- (iv) Mr. Oyesola O. Oyedele - Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Works and Transport;
- (v) Mr. Michael Ajibola - Director, Vehicle Inspection Office
- (vi) Alh. Ahmed Babatunde Adewale - Chairman, Refuse Contractors Association, Oyo State;

- (vii) Mr. Stephen Ogundipe - Secretary, Refuse Contractors Association, Oyo State
- (viii) Alh. Ganiyu Akinola - Chairman, Tippers Drivers Association of Nigeria, Oyo State.
- (ix) Alh. Muritala Akinlabi - Vice Chairman, Tippers Drivers Association of Nigeria, Oyo State.

Alhaji Ahmed B. Adewale and Mr. Stephen Ogundipe were put on oath as others (who appeared before) were already on oath. Thereafter, they made presentations on efforts put in place to ensure that trucks transporting sand, gravel, refuse e.t.c. cover their loads so as not to endanger other road users.

Their submissions are as follows:

- (i) The Commissioner, Ministry of Environment and Water Resources, Chief Isaac Ishola cited Environmental Sanitation Regulation (2013) Section 26, 27 as the guiding rule. He highlighted that a person granted licence to transport waste shall meet all conditions in Schedule VII of the regulation and a person granted licence to transport waste shall ensure that waste are collected from designated areas of licenced operation and vehicles and equipment for transportation of waste are in such a state that will not cause the scattering, escaping or flowing out of waste and the emission of obnoxious smell, fumes or smoke from the waste . He added that, to ensure compliance, the Ministry held stakeholders meeting collaborated with Local Government Environmental Health Officers and engaged media houses to create awareness. He concluded by reiterating the Ministry's pledge to ensure compliance.
- (ii) Commissioner for Works and Transport, Alh. Dauda Oladimeji drew the attention of the House to the absence of law to prosecute offenders. He stated that the Ministry would collaborate with the Ministry of Justice to propose a law to prosecute offenders.

(iii) Chairman, Refuse Contractors Association, Oyo State Office, Alh. Ahmed B. Adewale elucidated the rules guiding the operation of the Association. He explained that violation of the rules attracts fine of Five Thousand Naira (₦5,000.00) penalty for Contractor who failed to cover its refuse lorry or tipper. He however expressed the desire that the fines and charges be retained and enforcement should be sustained.

(iv) The Chairman, Tipper Drivers Association, Oyo State Office, Alhaji Ganiyu Akinola informed the House that the Association has Laws guiding their operation. He said that fines of Ten Thousand Naira (₦10,000.00) were being collected from offenders.

In response to the presentations, Honourable Members observed that there was no synergy between the Ministry of Works and Transport and the Ministry of Environment and Water Resources on the matter.

Attention was drawn to, the wrong claim that there were no Laws with which to prosecute offenders and lackadaisical attitude of the two Ministries in the enforcement of necessary provisions of Laws on the subject matter. It was opined that Oyo State Laws on Environment needed review. Members also expressed the view that Ministry of Works and Transport should fashion out a more progress means of the operation of VIO in such a way that it would generate revenue to employ more officers for greater effectiveness. Hon. Members also observed that the revenue that should accrue to the coffers of government in terms of fines and fees were actually going into the purse of the Associations. The uncouth attitude of the truck drivers was mentioned to be checked.

Mr. Speaker charged the Commissioners to ensure compliance with the relevant provisions of Environmental Laws and where necessary, the process of amendment commence without delay. He charged the Association officials to work in tandem with relevant organs of government to ensure proper hygiene while carrying out their business.

He also charged the relevant Committees especially, Committees on Environment and Habitat and that of Works and Transport to be alive to their responsibilities.
The officials were discharged, after taken three bows.

7.0 **SECOND READING OF OYO STATE REAL PROPERTIES PROTECTION BILL, 2016**

Motion made and question proposed "that a Bill for a Law to Prohibit the Act of Forcefully Entry or Occupation of Real Properties, Violent and Fraudulent Conducts In Relation To Real Properties in Oyo State And For Purposes Connected Therewith" be read a **SECOND TIME** - Hon. K.H. Subair (Ibadan South-West I), Majority Leader.
Motion seconded by Hon. J.O. Ojo (Oriire) Minority Leader.
Debate Arising:

Question put and agreed to.

Bill accordingly read a Second Time and referred to Committees on Land, Housing and Survey and Committee on Public Petitions and Judiciary for further consideration and report to the House within two weeks.

8.0 **ADJOURNMENT:**

"That this House do now adjourn till Thursday, 1st December, 2016 at 10.00 a.m. - Hon. K.H. Subair (Ibadan South West I), Majority Leader

Adjourned accordingly at 12.25p.m.

KU. HON. A. M. ADEYEMO,
Speaker.