



THE SENATE
FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

**CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA, 1999
(FIFTH ALTERATION) BILL NO. 21, 2022**

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FOR

AN ACT TO ALTER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA, 1999 TO DELETE THE REFERENCE TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE CRIMINAL CODE, PENAL CODE, CRIMINAL PROCEDURE ACT, CRIMINAL PROCEDURE CODE OR EVIDENCE ACT; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

FIRST READING

TUESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER, 2019

SECOND READING

TUESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER, 2019

THIRD READING AND PASSAGE

TUESDAY, 1ST MARCH, 2022

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Arrangement of Clauses

Clause

1. Alteration of the Constitution
2. Alteration of section 254F
3. Citation

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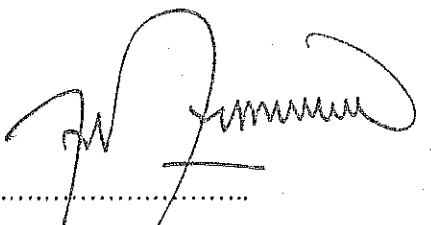
ENACTED by the National Assembly of the Federal Republic of Nigeria as follows-

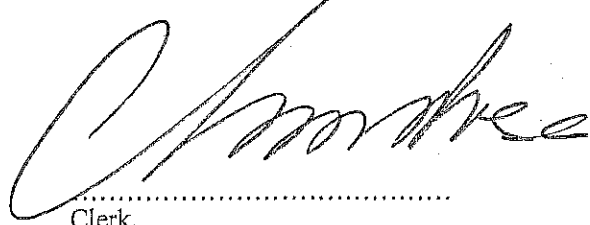
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| 1. | The Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (in this Bill referred to as "the Principal Act") is altered as set out in this Bill. | Alteration of the Constitution |
| 2. | Section 254F of the Principal Act is altered by deleting subsection (2). | Alteration of section 254F |
| 3. | This Bill may be cited as the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (Fifth Alteration) Bill, No. 21, 2022. | Citation |

Explanatory Memorandum

This Bill seeks to delete the reference to the provisions of the Criminal Code, Penal Code, Criminal Procedure Act, Criminal Procedure Code or Evidence Act in the Constitution.

THIS BILL WAS PASSED BY THE SENATE ON TUESDAY, 1ST MARCH, 2022


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President,
Senate of the Federal Republic of Nigeria


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Clerk,
Senate of the Federal Republic of Nigeria