

# A BILL

## FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS ACT CAP N84 LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA 2004, TO REVIEW UPWARD, THE ACCOMMODATION AND TRANSPORT ALLOWANCES OF CORPS MEMBERS IN LINE WITH CURRENT REALITIES AND FOR RELATED MATTERS.

*Sponsored by Hon. Martins Esin*

[ ] Commencement

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

- 1           **1.** The National Youth Service Corps Act Cap N84 Laws of the  
2 Federation of Nigeria 2004, (in this Bill referred to as "the Principal Service  
3 Corps Act is amended as set out in this Bill. Amendment of  
the National Youth  
Service Corps Act  
Cap. N84 LFN  
2004
- 4           **2.** Section 18(2) of the Principal Act is amended- Amendment of  
Section 18
  - 5           (a) in paragraph "(a)", by substituting the existing figure '150', for  
6 figure "20,000";
  - 7           (b) in paragraph "( c)", by substituting figure "250', for figure  
8 "15,000"; and
  - 9           (c) by inserting, after the existing paragraph "(c)", a new paragraph  
10 '(d)-
  - 11           "(d) while in the orientation camp, any Corp member who is  
12 desirous to be employed into the Service of the Nigerian Armed Forces,  
13 Nigerian Police Force, Department of State Security Services, and  
14 Paramilitary Institutions should be offered automatic employment."
  - 15           (d) by inserting, after the existing subsection "(2)", new subsection  
16 "(3)"-  
17           "(3) The Corps shall, after every regime, in consultation with the  
18 Minister, review accommodation and transport allowances created under  
19 subsection (2) of this section."

Citation                    1                    **3.** This Bill may be cited as the National Youth Service Corps Act  
2                    (Amendment) Bill, 2023.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the National Youth Service Corps Act Cap N84 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004, to review upward, the accommodation and transport allowances of Corps members in line with current realities.