

# A BILL

## FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NATIONAL DIRECTORATE OF EMPLOYMENT ACT CAP. N28, LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA, 2004 BY GIVING THE DIRECTORATE MORE POWERS TO DEMAND AND KEEP INFORMATION AND RECORDS OF ALL EXISTING VACANCIES FROM FEDERAL ESTABLISHMENTS, GOVERNMENT PARASTATALS, AGENCIES, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, DISSEMINATE INFORMATION TO THE PUBLIC AND MONITOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE BILL; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

*Sponsored by Hon. Chimaobi Sam Atu*

[ ] Commencement

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

- 1           **1.** The National Directorate of Employment Act, Cap 28 Laws of  
2 the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (in this Bill referred to as the "Principal  
3 Act") is amended as set out in this Bill. Amendment of  
Cap. N28 LFN,  
2004
- 4           **2.** Section 2 of the Principal Act is amended by re-numbering it as Amendment of  
Section 2  
5 section 2 (1) and inserting new sub-sections "(2) - "(3)":
- 6           (2) Federal establishments, government parastatals, agencies,  
7 public and private corporations shall prepare and transmit to the Directorate  
8 a quarterly report on all existing vacancies for employment their offices.
- 9           (3) The Directorate shall:
- 10           (a) disseminate information regarding existing vacancies to the  
11 public;
- 12           (b) monitor, coordinate and supervise Federal establishments,  
13 government parastatals, agencies, public and private corporations to ensure  
14 compliance with the provisions of this Act; and
- 15           (c) upon request, grant access and provide information to a person

- Citation
- 1 making enquiry on any available vacancy."  
2 **3.** This Bill may be cited as the National Directorate of Employment  
3 (Amendment) Bill, 2023.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the National Directorate of Employment Act. Cap. N28, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 by giving the Directorate more powers to demand and keep information and records of all existing vacancies from Federal establishments, government parastatals, agencies, public and private' corporations, disseminate information to the public and monitor compliance with the provisions of the Bill.