A BILL

FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIVERSITY OF ABUJA ACT, CAP U2 LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA, 2004 TO MAKE PROVISION FOR A CHANGE OF NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ABUJA TO YAKUBU GOWON UNIVERSITY, ABUJA; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Ishaya David Lalu

[ ] Commencement

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

1. The University of Abuja Act, CAP U2, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (in this Act referred to as "the Principal Act") is amended as set out in this Act. Amendment of Cap. U2, LFN, 2004

2. The Principal Act is amended by substituting the words, "University of Abuja", in the long title, the words, "Yakubu Gowon University, Abuja". Amendment of the Long Title

3. Section 1 of the Principal Act- is amended in subsection (1), line 1, by substituting the words "University of Abuja", the words "Yakubu Gowon University, Abuja". Amendment of Section 1 of the Principal Act

4. Section 28 (1) of the Principal Act is amended by substituting the words "University of Abuja" in paragraph 17, the words, "Yakubu Gowon University, Abuja". Amendment of Section 28 of the Principal Act

5. This Bill may be cited as the University of Abuja (Amendment) Bill, 2024. Citation

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amends the University of Abuja Act, Cap. U2, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to make provision for a change of name of the University from the University of Abuja to the Yakubu Gowon University, Abuja.