A BILL

FOR

AN TO ALTER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA, 1999 TO REVIEW KEY PERFORMANCES OF MINISTERS, SPECIAL ADVISERS, HEADS OF AGENCIES, COMMISSIONS, AND EXTRA-MINISTERIAL PARASTATALS; TO ENCOURAGE SERVICE EFFICIENCY AND DELIVERY AT THE FEDERAL EXECUTIVE ARM OF GOVERNMENT AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

Sponsored by Hon. Mansur Manu Soro

[ ] Commencement

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

Alteration of the Constitution Cap. C23 LFN, 2004

1. The Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria Cap C23 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004 (in this Bill referred to as "the Principal Act").

Alteration of Section 147 of the Principal Act

2. Section 147 of the Principal Act is altered by inserting, after the existing "subsection (6)", a new subsection "(7)"-

"(7) There shall be an appraisal of Ministers, Special Advisers, Heads of Agencies, Commissions, and Extra-Ministerial Departments to be carried out by a Unit under the Presidency, to evaluate their performances, a least once a year and the outcome of such appraisal shall from the basis for cabinet reshuffling or dissolution and disengagement or re-appointment."

Citation

3. This Bill may be cited as the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (Sixth Alteration) Bill, 2004.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This seeks to alter the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 to review key performances of ministers, special advisers, heads of agencies, commissions, and extra-ministerial parastatals; to encourage service efficiency and delivery at the Federal executive arm of Government.