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Assented to in Her Majesty’s name this 3rd day of October, 1959.

R. F. A. GREY,
Officer Administering the
Government of the Federation

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Federation of Nigeria

IN THE EIGHTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II.

SIR RALPH FRANCIS ALNWICK GREY, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., O.B.E.
Officer Administering the Government of the Federation

AN ORDINANCE FURTHER TO AMEND THE IMMIGRATION ORDINANCE (Chapter 89)

[12th November, 1959]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria as follows—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Immigration (Amendment) Ordinance, 1959.

2. The Immigration Ordinance is amended by the addition after section 22 of the following new sections—
22A. (1) Where any person other than a prohibited immigrant has entered Nigeria—

(a) in pursuance of a visiting or transit pass, and he has surrendered the pass or has remained in Nigeria beyond the time allowed by the pass; or

(b) without appearing before and being examined by an immigration officer in accordance with the provisions of Part II,

such person may be permitted to continue to be in Nigeria, and, for the purpose of the giving of such permission, the provisions of this Ordinance shall apply to such person as if he was a person desiring to enter Nigeria for the first time.

(2) Where permission has been given to any such person under the provisions of subsection (1) to continue to be in Nigeria, he shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance—

(a) if such permission was contained in a visiting or transit pass, be deemed to have entered Nigeria in pursuance of the pass; or

(b) if such permission was not contained in a visiting or transit pass, be deemed to have entered Nigeria in accordance with the provisions of section 18, and the conditions subject to which such permission was given shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance, be deemed to be the conditions subject to which he was permitted entrance.

(3) Nothing in this section shall affect the liability of any person for any contravention or failure to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance or any condition imposed thereunder.

22B. (1) Where any person has entered Nigeria in accordance with the provisions of section 18 or in pursuance of a visiting or transit pass, the conditions subject to which he was permitted entrance or to which the pass was issued may, at any time, be varied or added to in such manner as may be prescribed, and thereafter the conditions as so varied or added to shall, for the purposes of this Ordinance, be deemed to be the conditions subject to which he was permitted entrance or to which the pass was issued as the case may be.

(2) The variation of any condition of entry under the provisions of subsection (1) shall not affect the liability of any person for any contravention or failure to comply with the condition before the variation thereof."
This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the House of Representatives, and is found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE, MANUWA,
Clerk of the House of Representatives