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SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION (1960-61) ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 19th day of May, 1961.

Nnamdi Azikiwe,
Governor-General

(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section. 3. Appropriation of £551,550 out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund
1. Short title
2. Supplementary Appropriation of £1,030,050

1961, No. 3


[1st June, 1961]
Thirty Pounds was provided for the service of the Federation of Nigeria for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 1961, to be applied and expended in the manner set forth in the Schedule to that Ordinance:

AND WHEREAS by the Supplementary Appropriation (1960-61) Ordinance, 1960 (hereinafter referred to as the Supplementary Appropriation Ordinance) a further sum of One Million, Two Hundred and Ninety-Two Thousand, and Ninety Pounds was provided in addition to the sum provided by the Appropriation Ordinance for the services set forth in the First Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Ordinance:

AND WHEREAS by the Supplementary Appropriation (1960-61) (No. 2) Act, 1960 (hereinafter referred to as the Supplementary Appropriation Act) a further sum of Seven Hundred and Twenty-Nine Thousand and Sixty Pounds was provided in addition to the sums provided by the Appropriation Ordinance and the Supplementary Appropriation Ordinance for the services set forth in the Schedule to the Supplementary Appropriation Act:

AND WHEREAS certain additional provision is required for the said year for the services set forth in the First Schedule to this Act:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the Supplementary Appropriation (1960-61) Act, 1961.

2. The sum of One Million, Thirty Thousand and Fifty Pounds set forth in the First Schedule hereto shall be appropriated for the services therein set forth in addition to the sum provided by the Appropriation Ordinance as supplemented by the Supplementary Appropriation Ordinance and the Supplementary Appropriation Act as fully as though set forth in the Schedule to the Appropriation Ordinance.

3. The Accountant-General of the Federation may, on the warrant of the Minister of Finance, pay out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Federation of Nigeria the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty-One Thousand, Five Hundred and Fifty Pounds being the total of the sums withdrawn, as set forth in the Second Schedule hereto, from the Contingencies Fund and not already made good by previous appropriations from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and the said sum of Five Hundred and Fifty-One Thousand, Five Hundred and Fifty Pounds shall be appropriated to the Contingencies Fund.
### FIRST SCHEDULE

(Section 2)

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### SECOND SCHEDULE

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Total: £551,550

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,  
Clerk of the Parliaments
TREASURY BILLS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty’s name this 19th day of May, 1961.

Nnamdi Azikiwe, Governor-General

(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section 1. Short title and application.  
2. Amendment of section 3, No. 11 of 1959.

1961, No. 5

AN ACT TO AMEND THE TREASURY BILLS ORDINANCE, 1959

[1st June, 1961]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the Treasury Bills (Amendment) Act, 1961, and shall be of Federal application.

2. Section 3 of the Treasury Bills Ordinance, 1959, is amended by the deletion from subsection (2) thereof of the word “ten” and the substitution therefor of the following word—“twenty”.

Commencement.

Short title and application.  
Amendment of section 3, No. 11 of 1959.
This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments
ROYAL STYLE AND TITLES ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty’s name this 19th day of May, 1961.

Nnamdi Azikiwe,
Governor-General
(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section 1. Short title and application.

2. Alteration of the Royal Style and Titles.

Schedule

1961, No. 6

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN ALTERATION OF THE ROYAL STYLE AND TITLES

[1st June, 1961]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the Royal Style and Titles Act, 1961, and shall be of Federal application.
2. The assent of the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria is hereby given to the adoption by Her Majesty for use in relation to the Federation of Nigeria of the style and titles set out in the Schedule to this Act, in lieu of the style and titles at present appertaining to the Crown, and to the issue by the Governor-General of a Proclamation, in the name of Her Majesty, for that purpose.

SCHEDULE

Style and titles referred to—

"Elizabeth the Second, Queen of Nigeria, and of Her other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments
INTernational financial organisations (Amendment) Act, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty’s name this 27th day of May, 1961

Nnamdi Azikiwe,
Governor-General

(L.S.)

Arrangement of Sections

Section | 2. Section 4 of Ordinance Amended.
1. Short title, etc. | 3. Section 5 of Ordinance Amended.

1961, No. 7

AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL ORGANISATIONS ORDINANCE, 1960

[See section 1 (2)]

Commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the International Financial Organisations (Amendment) Act, 1961, and shall be read as one with the International Financial Organisations Ordinance, 1960 (hereinafter called the Ordinance).

Short title, etc.
No. 47 of 1960.
(2) This Act shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 30th day of September, 1960 and shall apply throughout the Federation.

2. Subsection (2) of section 4 of the Ordinance is amended by the addition after the words "section 2" of the words "of Article II".

3. Subsection (1) of section 5 of the Ordinance is amended by substituting for the figures "II" the figures "IX".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments
EXTERNAL TRADE LETTERS OF CREDIT
(CONTROL) ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 27th day of May, 1961.

Nnamdi Azikiwe,
Governor-General

(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section 1. Short title and application. 2. Prohibition on issue of certain letters of credit Cap. 19.

1961, No. 8

AN ACT TO MAKE BETTER PROVISION FOR THE CONTROL OF CERTAIN COMMERCIAL DOCUMENTS.

[1st June, 1961]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the External Trade Letters of Credit (Control) Act, 1961, and shall have effect throughout the Federation.

2. (1) Subject to the provisions of this section, no person other than a licensed bank shall, whether in the ordinary course of business or not, issue to or negotiate in favour of any other person a letter of credit unless the letter of credit is endorsed as confirmed by a licensed bank within the meaning of the Banking Ordinance. The confirmation shall be in such form as the licensed bank may from time to time authorise;
and when given, the confirmation shall have effect as a guarantee of payment in due course, but nothing in this subsection shall be construed to require payment of duty in respect to any such guarantee under the Stamp Duties Ordinance.

(2) The Federal Minister of Finance after consultation with the Governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria may, by notice in the Gazette, exempt any person from the requirements of confirmation under this Act.

(3) The failure to comply with the requirements of subsection (1) of this section shall be an offence punishable on conviction—

(a) in the case of a company by a fine for a first offence of £500 and for any subsequent offence by a fine of £1,000;

(b) in the case of a letter of credit issued or negotiated by a partnership, for a first offence by a fine of £200 to be imposed on the partner apparently having and exercising authority relative to the letter of credit, and for any subsequent offence by a fine of £1,000 or imprisonment for a term of two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment;

(c) in the case of any other person concerned and however acting, by a fine for a first offence of £50, and for any subsequent offence by a fine of £100, or imprisonment for a term of six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

(4) For the purposes of this section, “letter of credit” means any undertaking or authority in writing (whether or not against production of any document or documents) given to finance payment in respect of overseas goods or services on account of any person resident in Nigeria.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA, Clerk of the Parliaments
ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section
1. Short title, etc.
2. Interpretation.
3. Section 3 of the Ordinance amended.
4. Sections added to the Ordinance.
5. Section 5 of the Ordinance amended.

6. Section 7 of the Ordinance amended.
7. Section 8 of the Ordinance amended.
8. Sections added to the Ordinance.
10. Third Schedule added to the Ordinance.

1961, No. 9

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW AS TO CITIZENSHIP AND TO MAKE FURTHER PROVISION FOR REGISTRATION AS CITIZEN OF NIGERIA

[ 1st June, 1961 ]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the Nigerian Citizenship Act, 1961, and shall be read as one with and be deemed part of the Nigerian Citizenship Ordinance, 1960 (hereinafter referred to as the Ordinance).

(2) This Act shall be of Federal application.
2. (1) Where reference is made in this Act to a Third Schedule to the Ordinance, the Schedule to this Act shall be construed as the Third Schedule.

(2) Where under this Act reference is made to sponsors in any prescribed form, the reference shall be construed as reference to persons who are citizens of Nigeria otherwise than by naturalisation, and if provision is made in any form for more than one sponsor, one of the sponsors shall be in the prescribed class; and for the purposes of this subsection “the prescribed class” means:

(a) a Senator or Member of the House of Representatives,
(b) a Minister of Religion, that is to say, a Minister of a recognised church or mosque,
(c) a barrister or solicitor,
(d) a doctor,
(e) a dentist,
(f) an accountant,
(g) any Civil Servant in receipt of a salary of not less than £2,000 per annum.

(3) Where by this Act any declaration is to be made for the purposes of a prescribed form, it shall be sufficient compliance with this Act if the declaration is made in the presence of a judge of the High Court, or a Magistrate or a Commissioner for Oaths.

3. Subsection (3) of section 3 of the Ordinance is amended by substituting for the word and figure “subsection (4)” the words “this Ordinance”.

4. The Ordinance is amended by the insertion immediately after section 3 of the following new sections—

3A. (1) Any person born in the former Colony or Protectorate in Nigeria who, but for the fact that none of his parents or grandparents was born in the former Colony or Protectorate of Nigeria, would on the 1st day of October, 1960 have become a citizen of Nigeria by birth, may apply for registration as a citizen of Nigeria in the Form A in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance.

(2) Every application under this section by an infant, not being a married woman or a widow, may be made by the parent or guardian of the infant as the case may be; but nothing in this or any other Ordinance shall be construed so as to require the application of an infant who is a married woman or a widow to be made by any person on her behalf.

3B. Any woman who on the 30th day of September, 1960 being a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies or a protected person and married or having been married to a person who on the 1st day of October, 1960 by reason of his birth or the birth of his father is a citizen of Nigeria, or but for his death before such last-mentioned date the husband would have become a citizen of Nigeria by birth or by the birth of his father, may apply for registration as a citizen of Nigeria in the Form B in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance.
3c. (1) Any woman married or having been married to a person who by reason of his birth in Nigeria before the 1st day of October, 1960 becomes a citizen of Nigeria by registration on or after the 1st day of October, 1960, and being herself a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies or a protected person at the date of such registration, may apply to be registered as a citizen of Nigeria within 12 months or such extended period as the Minister may allow after the date of registration of her husband as a citizen of Nigeria.

(2) Applications under this section may be made in the Form B in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance.

3d. (1) Subject to the provisions of this section, any woman who on the 30th day of September, 1960 being a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies or a protected person has been married to any person shall, if that person has died before the 1st day of October, 1960 and would, but for his death, have been entitled to have been registered as a citizen of Nigeria, be herself entitled to be registered as a citizen of Nigeria.

(2) Applications under this section shall be lodged with the Minister before the 1st day of October, 1962 and may be made in the Form B in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance.

3e. Any person who on the 30th day of September, 1960 was a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies by reason of his naturalisation or registration as the case may be in the former Colony or Protectorate of Nigeria, whether before or after the passing of the British Nationality Act, 1948, shall be entitled to registration as a citizen of Nigeria on application made by him before the 1st day of October, 1962 in the Form C in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance.

3f. Where any person is entitled to citizenship of Nigeria and to citizenship or nationality of any other country and by any enactment or rule of law is required to elect whether to retain his Nigerian citizenship or the citizenship or nationality as the case may be of that other country, he shall when of the age of 21 years—

(a) if of sound mind and desirous of remaining a citizen of Nigeria and before he attains the age of 22 years, renounce his citizenship or nationality of that other country by such means as the Minister may prescribe, or where renunciation is not possible under the law of that other country, make a declaration in the Form D in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance, and thereupon take the prescribed oath of allegiance; and where as a former citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies or a protected person on the 30th day of September, 1960, he became a citizen of Nigeria by reason of the fact that his father was born in the former Colony or Protectorate of Nigeria he shall, in addition, declare his intentions as to residence or employment; as the case may be, in the Form E in the Third Schedule to this Ordinance;
(b) if resident in Nigeria and of unsound mind to the satisfaction of the Minister, be deemed for the purposes of his citizenship of Nigeria to be under the age of 21 years; and where the person of unsound mind is, on such evidence as the Minister may require, thereafter of sufficient mental capacity to understand the nature and quality of his acts, he shall cease to be a citizen of Nigeria at the expiry of such time as the Minister may prescribe after considering the report on the case, unless the person shall within the prescribed time take the oath of allegiance and do all such other acts as the case may require and as are prescribed for a person of sound mind under this section;

(c) if resident outside Nigeria and of unsound mind be deemed for the purposes of his citizenship of Nigeria to be under the age of 21 years unless the Minister on such evidence as he may require is satisfied to the contrary; and if the person arrives in Nigeria without having made his election, the person may at any time thereafter be dealt with as prescribed by this section."

5. Section 5 of the Ordinance is amended by substituting for the words and figures "section 3 or section 4" the words "this Part of this Ordinance".

6. Subsection (1) of section 7 of the Ordinance is amended—
(a) by adding after the word "also" the words "or on ceasing to be a citizen of Nigeria will become";
(b) by substituting for the word "may" where it first occurs, the word "shall".

7. Subsection (1) of section 8 of the Ordinance is amended by substituting for all words from "exercised" to "Commonwealth" in paragraph (b), the words "exercised in a foreign country, or in any other country under the law of which provision is in force for conferring on its own citizens rights not available to Commonwealth".

8. The Ordinance is further amended by the insertion immediately after section 14 of the following new sections—

"British subject without citizenship.

14A. (1) If by any enactment for the time being in force in any country mentioned in subsection (5) of section 3 of this Ordinance provision is made for enabling persons to remain or to become British subjects without citizenship, any person who by virtue of that enactment is a British subject without citizenship, shall be deemed also to be a British subject without citizenship by virtue of this section.

(2) So long as a person remains a British subject without citizenship, he shall be treated for the purposes of any application made by him for registration as a citizen of Nigeria under this Ordinance, as if he were a citizen of one of the countries mentioned in subsection (5) of section 3 of this Ordinance.

14B. (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of any Act or rule of law, the Minister after consultation with the Chief Justice may—
(a) for any Region appoint fit persons to be commissioners for oaths, and

(b) for Lagos appoint any officer in the Ministry not below the substantive rank of senior assistant secretary to be a commissioner for oaths.

(2) Appointments under this section shall be published in the Gazette and have effect only for the purposes of this Ordinance.”

9. (1) The fees payable in respect of any application for citizenship under this Act shall be as prescribed by regulations under the Ordinance; and until the making of regulations, the fee prescribed for the making of any application under the Ordinance shall be deemed to be the total fee payable for a certificate of a naturalisation under this Act and the fee shall be paid with the application.

(2) No fees paid under this section shall be refunded.

10. (1) The Ordinance is amended by inserting the Schedule to this Act as a third schedule to the Ordinance immediately following the Second Schedule.

(2) The Governor-General in Council may by Order published in the Gazette, add to, alter, amend or replace the Third Schedule to the Ordinance.

(3) Any Order made under subsection (2) of this section shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen days after the making thereof if Parliament is then in session, and if not, shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament as soon as may be after the commencement of this next ensuing session. If the Order is not so laid or either House of Parliament within seven sitting days after the laying passes a resolution disallowing the Order, it shall thenceforth be void but without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done under the Order.

SCHEDULE

Section 10 (1)

Third Schedule added.

Application for Registration as a Citizen of Nigeria

(Under section 3A of the Nigerian Citizenship Ordinance, 1960)

PART I—APPLICATION

1. I, ________________________________, hereby apply to be registered as a citizen of Nigeria on the grounds that I was born in the former Colony/Protectorate of Nigeria before the 1st day of October, 1960, and would but for the fact that none of my parents or grandparents were born there have been a citizen of Nigeria by birth.

2. In support of my application, particulars of my birth are set out in Part II of this Application.

DATED at ________________________________, this ______ day of _______ 19______

Witness to signature or mark—

Signature or mark —
PART II—PARTICULARS OF APPLICATION

3. Place and date of birth of applicant

4. Place, name of country and date of birth of Parents:
   Father: ________________________________
   Mother: ________________________________

5. (To be completed as additional information by married women applicants only).
   Name of husband: ________________________________
   Place and date of birth of husband: ________________________________

   Nationality (citizenship) of husband now or at time of death: ________________________________

   Is the marriage still subsisting?  (YES)  (NO).

6. Applicant's Nationality (citizenship) status is:
   (a) British subject, citizen of ________________________________
   (b) British protected person.

7. The nationality (citizenship) status stated by me in paragraph 7 was acquired (by birth) (by birth of father) (by registration) (by naturalisation) (by marriage).

8. Particulars of all proceedings taken against the applicant at any time and in any country in civil or criminal courts of law, including those relating to traffic offences:

PART III—CERTIFICATES OF SPONSORS

9. I, ________________________________, of ________________________________, being a citizen of Nigeria, otherwise than by naturalisation, hereby certify that the applicant herein is a person known to me and of good character and that the particulars in Part II of this application are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

   DATED this ________________________________, day of ________________________________, 19___

   Signature of Sponsor

   Witness to signature—

   Note.—The sponsor in the case of paragraph 9 must be a Senator, a member of the House of Representatives, a Minister of Religion, a barrister, solicitor, doctor, dentist, accountant, or a Civil Servant specially qualified by salary.

10. I, ________________________________, of ________________________________, being a citizen of Nigeria, otherwise than by naturalisation, hereby certify that the applicant herein is a person known to me and of good character and that the particulars in Part II of this application are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

   DATED this ________________________________, day of ________________________________, 19___

   Signature or mark of Sponsor

   Witness to signature or mark—

   (Note.—The sponsor in the case of paragraph 10 need not be in the class mentioned in the note to paragraph 9)
PART IV—DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

11. I, ........................................................................................................................................................................
do solemnly and sincerely declare that the particulars stated in Part II of this application are true, and in the event of my application being granted I undertake to do all things necessary to evidence my new allegiance.

Signature or Mark of Applicant

Declared at ........................................ day of ........................................ 19...........................................
Before me —

..............................................................
Signature

(Judge of the High Court) (Magistrate) (Commissioner for Oaths).

Delete words ( ) which do not apply.

FORM B

Application by Married Woman or Person entitled

(Under sections 3B, 3C, or 3D of the Nigerian Citizenship Ordinance 1960)

PART I—APPLICATION

1. I, ........................................................................................................................................................................
of .............................................................. being a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies or a British protected person, hereby apply for registration as a citizen of Nigeria, *under section 3B, 3C, 3D of the Nigerian Citizenship Ordinance 1960 on the grounds that I am or have been married to a citizen of Nigeria or to a person who but for his death would have been a citizen of Nigeria.

2. I am aware that notwithstanding my marriage to (insert name of husband) my application may be rejected as being made out of time.

DATED at ........................................ day of ........................................ 19...........................................

Signature or mark

Witness to signature or mark —

PART II—PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT

3. Place and date of marriage...................................................................................................................................................

4. Place and date of birth.....................................................................................................................................................

5. Previous name..............................................................................................................................................................

6. Present nationality (citizenship) status............................................................................................................................

    How acquired: (by birth) (by descent) (by registration) (by naturalisation) (by marriage).

Delete ( ) words which do not apply.
Part III—Certificates of Sponsors

12. I, being a citizen of Nigeria, otherwise than by naturalisation, hereby certify that the applicant herein is a person known to me and of good character and that the particulars in Part II of this application are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED this______day of______________________19____

__________________________
Signature of Sponsor

Witness to signature—

Note.—The sponsor in the case of paragraph 12 must be a member of the House of Representatives, a Minister of Religion, a barrister, solicitor, doctor, dentist, accountant, or Civil Servant specially qualified by salary.

13. I, being a citizen of Nigeria, otherwise than by naturalisation, hereby certify that the applicant herein is a person known to me and of good character and that the particulars in Part II of this application are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED this______day of______________________19____

__________________________
Signature or mark of Sponsor

Witness to signature or mark—

Note:—The sponsor in the case of paragraph 13 need not be in the class mentioned in the note to paragraph 12.
PART IV—DECLARATION BY APPLICATION

14. I, ____________________________, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the particulars stated in Parts I and II of this application are true, and in the event of my application being granted I undertake to do all things necessary to evidence my new allegiance.

Declared at ____________________________ this ____________________________ day of ____________________________ 19....

Before me:

(Final name)

Before me:

(Judge of High Court) (Magistrate)

(Commissioner for Oaths)

Delete words ( ) which do not apply.

NOTES: 1. The applicant in any case must be a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies or a British protected person, and references in the application to the Ordinance are to be amended to suit the case.

2. Applicants under section 3B are women whose husbands became citizens of Nigeria by birth or but for their deaths before 1st October, 1960 would have been such citizens by birth. There is no time limit.

3. An applicant under section 3C is required to apply for registration within 12 months or such extended time as may be allowed after her husband is registered as a citizen of Nigeria.

4. Widow applicants under section 3D must apply before the 1st October, 1962, for registration as citizens of Nigeria.

FORM C

Application for registration as a Citizen of Nigeria

(Under section 3E of the Nigerian Citizenship Ordinance, 1960)

PART I—APPLICATION

1. I, ____________________________, being a citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies by naturalisation in the former Colony or Protectorate of Nigeria before the 1st day of October, 1960 which citizenship has not been revoked, hereby apply to be registered as a citizen of Nigeria.

2. I am aware that my application may be rejected as being made out of time.

DATED at ____________________________ this ____________________________ day of ____________________________ 19....

Signature or Mark

Witness to signature or Mark—
PART II—PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT

3. Citizenship status as set out in the application was acquired by registration at ________________ in ________________ on the ________________ day of ________________ 19 ____, and attached hereto and marked with the letter “A” is a true copy of the certificate of naturalisation.

4. Reasons for present application

PART III—CERTIFICATES OF SPONSORS

5. I, ________________, being a citizen of Nigeria otherwise than by naturalisation hereby certify that the applicant herein is a person known to me and of good character and that the particulars in Part II of this application are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated this ________________ day of ________________ 19 ____.  

Signature of Sponsor

Witness to signature—

NOTE:—The sponsor must be a Senator, a member of the House of Representatives, a Minister of Religion, a barrister, solicitor, doctor, dentist, accountant, or a Civil Servant specially qualified by salary.

6. I, ________________, being a citizen of Nigeria otherwise than by naturalisation hereby certify that the applicant herein is a person known to me and of good character and that the particulars in Part II of this application are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated this ________________ day of ________________ 19 ____.  

Signature of Sponsor

Witness to signature—
PART IV—DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

I, ............................................................................................................................................................................
do solemnly and sincerely declare that the particulars stated in Parts I and II of this application are true, and in the event of my application being granted I undertake to do all things necessary to evidence my new allegiance.

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Signature or Mark of Applicant

Declared at ........................................................................... this ........................................ day of ........................................ 19..................

Before me:—

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*(Judge of the High Court) (Magistrate) (Commissioner for Oaths)

NOTE:—This form of application is intended for use by a naturalised citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies and must be lodged before the 1st day of October, 1962.

* Delete words which do not apply.

FORM D

Renunciation of Citizenship Declaration
(Under section 3F of the Nigerian Citizenship Ordinance, 1960)

I, ............................................................................................................................................................................
do solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. That I was born at..............................................................................................................................................
in Nigeria/(name of the country) and am of the age of 21 years.

2. That I am a citizen of Nigeria by birth/registration and am also a national of (state country concerned).

3. That as I am desirous of retaining my status as a citizen of Nigeria I hereby renounce so far as it lies within my power my status as a citizen/national of (name of country) and any claim I have to the protection of that country.

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Signature or Mark of Applicant

Declared at ........................................................................... this ........................................ day of ........................................ 19..................

before me..................................................................................................................................................................................

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*(Judge of the High Court) (Magistrate) (Commissioner for Oaths),

* Delete words which do not apply.
FORM E

Declaration by registered Citizen of Nigeria
(Under section 3F of the Nigerian Citizenship Ordinance, 1960)

I, ____________________________________________,
do solemnly and sincerely declare as follows:—

1. That as a citizen of Nigeria by registration I am affected by the provisions of section 3F of the Nigeria Citizenship Ordinance 1960 and am required to declare my intention as to residence/employment.

*2. That so far as it lies within my power, I have renounced my nationality/citizenship of ____________________________________________ and intend to reside permanently in Nigeria if permitted.

or

*2. That I have declared my willingness to renounce my citizenship of ____________________________________________ and intend to reside permanently in Nigeria if permitted.

*3. That while in Nigeria I shall be employed by ____________________________________________

(name of employer)

or

*3. That although I have renounced my nationality/citizenship of ____________________________________________ /declared my willingness to renounce my nationality/citizenship of ____________________________________________ and intend my domicile of choice to be Nigeria it may be necessary in the course of my employment with ____________________________________________ /as self employed to be absent from time to time from Nigeria.

__________________________________________
Signature or Mark of Applicant

Declared at ____________________________________________ this __________________________ day of ___________________________ 19________ before me:—

__________________________________________
Judge of the High Court or Magistrate or Commissioner for Oaths

* Delete paragraphs or words not applicable.
This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments
HIGH COURT OF LAGOS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 27th day of May, 1961

NNAMDI AZIKIWE,
Governor-General

(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section
1. Short title and application.

2. Amendment of section 4 of Cap. 80.

1961, No. 10

AN ACT TO AMEND THE HIGH COURT OF LAGOS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 80)

[1st June, 1961]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the High Court of Lagos (Amendment) Act, 1961, and shall apply to the Federal Territory of Lagos.
Amendment of section 4 of section 4 of the High Court of Lagos Ordinance (as adapted by the Adaptation of Laws (Federal Provisions) Order, 1960) is hereby amended by the deletion of the word "six" and the substitution therefor of the following—

"eight".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments
SHERIFFS AND CIVIL PROCESS ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 27th day of May, 1961.

Nnamdi Azikiwe,
Governor-General

(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section
1. Short title and application. 3. Section 4 of Ordinance replaced.
2. Section 3 of Ordinance replaced. 4. Section 12 of Ordinance amended.
5. Section 38 of Ordinance amended.

1961, No. 11

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SHERIFFS AND CIVIL PROCESS ORDINANCE

[1st June, 1961]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Sheriffs and Civil Process Act, 1961, and shall be read as one with the Sheriffs and Civil Process Ordinance (hereinafter referred to as the Ordinance).
(2) Section 5 of this Act shall have effect only in Lagos, and subject thereto this Act shall apply to the Federation.

2. For section 3 of the Ordinance there is substituted the following new section—

"Appointment of Sheriffs."

3. (1) There shall from time to time be appointed by the Public Service Commission in each Region and in Lagos, fit persons to be sheriffs, but so that there shall be not more than one person in each Region or in Lagos holding the office of sheriff.

(2) The person who immediately before the passing of this Act held office as the Sheriff for Nigeria shall, in the Northern Region, continue to be the Sheriff for that Region and be deemed to have been appointed under this Act; and elsewhere in the Federation, the persons who at the commencement of this Act hold office as Chief Registrars of the High Court shall be deemed to have been appointed under this Act as the respective sheriffs."

4. Section 12 of the Ordinance is amended by substituting for all words after "execution" where it first occurs, the words "the Superintendent of Prisons where the condemned prisoner is, shall execute the sentence in the presence of the sheriff or a deputy sheriff as the case may be."
5. Subsection (1) of section 38 of the Ordinance is amended by substituting for the words "shall be directed to the sheriff", the words "may be directed to any police officer".

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments
PORTS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty’s name this 27th day of May, 1961.

Nnamdi Azikiwe,
Governor-General

(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

1. Short title, application and commencement.
2. Section 2 of Ordinance amended.
3. New sections added to Ordinance.
4. Other amendments to Ordinance.

1961, No. 12

AN ACT TO AMEND THE PORTS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 155)

[By notice, see section (1)]

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Ports (Amendment) Act, 1961, and shall be of Federal application.

(2) This Act shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Minister by notice in the Gazette,
2. Section 2 of the Ports Ordinance (hereinafter referred to as the Ordinance) is amended by the insertion immediately before the definition of "pilot" of the following new definition—

"pier" means a pier, wharf or jetty of whatever description and includes any such pier, wharf or jetty erected on or extending beyond High Water Mark of Ordinary Spring Tide or extending into the waters of any navigable channel and also includes any pontoon moored in any such waters and used as a pier, wharf or jetty.

3. The Ordinance is further amended—

(a) by the addition at the commencement of Part V of a new section 21A as follows—

21A. (1) There shall be an officer of the Authority, to be known as the General Manager who shall be the Chief Executive Officer and shall be responsible for the execution of the policy of the Authority and the transaction of its day to day business.

(2) The General Manager shall be appointed by the Authority with the prior approval of the Minister.

(3) The Authority shall delegate to the General Manager the power to exercise supervision and control over the acts and proceedings of all servants of the Authority in matters of executive administration, and in matters concerning the accounts and records of the Authority, and, subject to any restrictions which may be imposed by the Authority, the power to dispose of all questions relating to the service of the said servants and their pay, privileges and allowances.

(4) The Authority shall delegate to the General Manager such of its functions as are necessary to enable him to transact efficiently the day to day business of the Authority and for this purpose the Authority may from time to time issue written instructions under its common seal.

(5) The General Manager shall not be a member of the Authority, but shall have the right to be present at all or any meetings of the Authority, except when any matter involving him personally is being discussed, and shall be furnished with copies of all notices, agenda and minutes of all meetings of the Authority.

(b) by the addition after Part VIII of a new Part VIIIa as follows—

"PART VIIIa—REGULATION OF PIERS IN PORTS"

42a. No person shall erect or re-erect, alter, extend, own or occupy a pier in any port or in the approaches to any port except under and in accordance with a licence granted by the Authority.

42b. (1) The Authority may on payment of the prescribed fee grant licences for the purposes of section 42a in the prescribed form and may renew such licences.

(2) The grant or renewal of any such licence shall be in the discretion of the Authority.
Cancellation of licence for breach of condition or contravention of regulation.

Cancellation of licence in public interest.

Removal of pier.

Regulations relating to piers.

(3) Any such licence shall be subject to such conditions as may be prescribed and to such special conditions endorsed thereon as the Authority may see fit to impose.

42c. The Authority may cancel any licence granted under section 42b on proof to its satisfaction of a breach of any condition of the licence or of a contravention by the holder of the licence of any regulation made under section 42f.

42d. (1) The Authority may cancel any licence granted under section 42b whenever it may think proper in the public interest, but in such a case the holder thereof shall be entitled to be paid reasonable compensation by the Authority unless express provision to the contrary is contained in the licence.

(2) When the amount of compensation payable under subsection (1) of this section is not agreed the amount shall be determined by the High Court within whose area of jurisdiction the pier is situate in the like manner as the amount of compensation is determined under the law for the time being regulating the acquisition of land for public purposes.

42b. (1) Any servant of the Authority may in any of the following cases remove or cause to be removed a pier in any port or in the approaches to any port or any portion thereof and for such purpose may enter upon any land or the pier—

(a) if the holder of a licence granted in respect of the pier is required in accordance with regulations made under section 42f to remove the pier and he refuses or neglects to do so within the time specified;

(b) if the pier has been erected, re-erected, altered or extended without a licence or is owned or occupied without a licence;

(c) if the licence granted in respect of the pier has been cancelled under the provisions of this Ordinance; and

(d) if the licence granted in respect of the pier has expired.

(2) Except when the licence granted in respect of the pier has been cancelled under section 42d, the costs and expenses of and in connection with such removal shall be defrayed by the occupier of the pier and may be recovered from him at the suit of the Authority in any court of competent jurisdiction.

42f. (1) The Authority may make regulations for all or any of the following purposes—

(a) controlling the erection, re-erection, alteration, extension and use of piers in any port or in the approaches to any port;
(b) requiring the owners or occupiers of such piers to maintain the same and the approaches thereto in a proper state of repair;

c) prescribing the fees to be paid for any licences issued under section 42a;

d) prescribing forms for such licences and applications therefor;

e) for the proper lighting of such piers;

(f) requiring such life-saving apparatus as may be specified in the regulations to be kept on such piers;

g) the period of validity of such licences; and

(h) generally for giving effect to the provisions and purposes of this Part.

(2) For the breach of any regulation made under this section the Authority may prescribe as a penalty a fine not exceeding fifty pounds, and in the case of a continuous breach a further fine not exceeding five pounds a day for every day after the first during which such breach continues, and a term of imprisonment not exceeding three months, or both such term of imprisonment and fine.

42G. Any licence granted under the provisions of the Piers Ordinance in respect of any pier in a port or in the approaches to a port and in force immediately before the coming into operation of this Part shall be deemed for all purposes to have been granted under the provisions of this Part.

42H. Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of section 42a shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or to both such fine and imprisonment.

42I. The provisions of this Part of the Ordinance except the provisions of subsection (1) of section 42b and of subsection (2) of section 42r shall bind the Crown.

4. The Ordinance is further amended to the extent set out in the Schedule to this Act.

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**SCHEDULE**  
*(Section 4)*

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(b) In paragraph (b) of section 36 by substituting for the word "beacons" the words "any beacon, buoy or mooring", and by inserting after the word "beacon" where it twice occurs thereafter, the words "beacons, buoy, mooring";

(c) In section 51 by the addition after the word "Chairman" where it twice occurs, of the words "of the pilotage board";

(d) In section 98 by substituting the word "shall" for the word "may";

(e) In paragraph 2 of the Fourth Schedule by repealing the words "Subject to the provisions of section 9";

(f) By repealing sections 12 and 117.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments
PIERS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1961

Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 27th day of May 1961.

NNAMDI AZIKIWE,
Governor-General

(L.S.)

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

1. Short title, application and commencement.

2. New section 2a added.

1961, No. 13

AN ACT TO AMEND THE PIERS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 153)

[By notice, see section 1] Commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Piers (Amendment) Act, 1961, and shall be of Federal application.

(2) This Act shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Minister by notice in the Gazette.
2. The Piers Ordinance is amended by the addition after section 2 of the following new section—

"2A. This Ordinance shall not apply in respect of any pier in a port within the meaning of the Ports Ordinance or in the approaches to any such port within the meaning of that Ordinance."

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the Federal Legislative Houses and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

B. ADE. MANUWA,
Clerk of the Parliaments