

# **COMPANIES REGULATIONS 2021**



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### PART 1

### 1. CITATION

These regulations may be cited as Companies Regulation 2021

#### 2. FORMS IN SCHEDULE

- 1) The forms set out in the Schedule to these regulations shall be used for the purposes of the Act, and the particulars contained in those forms are prescribed particulars required under the Act.
- 2) A form in the Schedule may be varied by the Commission as the circumstances may require in any particular case.

#### 3. AUTHENTICATION OF DOCUMENTS

- 1) Where documents are electronically submitted, they are deemed duly authenticated when submitted through the entity's account on the Commission's portal
- 2) Documents electronically submitted through an accredited agent on the agent's account on the Commission's portal are deemed duly authenticated.
- 3) Where the Commission requires submission of physical documents, persons signing shall state their full names, telephone numbers, email addresses, the date and capacities in which they sign.
- 4) Where signatures are required on documents;
- 5) Where documents are submitted electronically, they are deemed duly authenticated and submitted when done through an accredited agent or on an entity's electronic account on the Commission's portal.

#### 4. DOCUMENTS TO BE IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE

- (1) All documents delivered to the Commission must be in English language.
- (2) Where documents are in any other language, the documents shall be translated into English language and confirmed by a Notary Public licenced as such in Nigeria or any other part of the world.

#### 5. SUFFICIENT ADDRESS

- (1) Where an address is required in any document, it shall be adequate if such address is described in sufficient particulars as to make it traceable. Such detail may include landmarks.
- (2) Where an address is not traceable, an alternative contact address shall be provided.

#### 6. VERIFICATION OF ADDRESS

- (1) The Commission may physically verify any address provided in any document where it has reasonable grounds to believe that such address is false or incorrect.
- (2) The verification shall be conducted at the expense of the Commission provided that where such address is found to be false the entity or its promoters shall be liable to reimburse the Commission for the cost of the verification.
- (3) Nothing in this Regulation shall affect the provisions of any law in force in Nigeria imposing penalties in respect of perjury.

#### 7. SAME-DAY POST-INCORPORATION/REGISTRATION SERVICE

The Commission's Same-Day post-incorporation/registration service shall be available subject to the following -

- (1) Receipt of the complete and competent application for the service not later than 1:00pm same day; and
- (2) Confirmation of payment of the applicable fee for the service not later than 1:00pm same day.
- (3) Same-Day post-incorporation/registration service shall not apply to applications that would require inputs from any authority or organisation at the instance of the Commission.

#### PART 2

#### 8. COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE - Section 26

- 1) An application for incorporation of company limited by guarantee shall not require publications where the Attorney-General has given consent for registration.
- 2) Where the Attorney-General has not made a decision within 30 days, the Commission shall cause the application to be advertised in the prescribed form in three national daily newspapers inviting objections within 28 days of the last publication.
- 3) The advertisement of the application shall be at the expense of the applicant.
- 4) Where there is no objection, the Commission shall register the association.
- 5) Where there is an objection, the Commission may uphold or reject the objection.
- 6) Where the Commission rejects the objection, it shall register the company.
- 7) Where the Attorney-General makes a decision outside 30 days, the Commission shall not be bound by the decision.

#### 9. CHANGE OF NAME - Section 30

The Commission shall publish the list of companies that have changed names after the commencement of this Regulations in one national daily newspaper annually and retain same on its website to be updated from time to time.

#### 10. REGISTRATION - Section 41

- 1) The Commission shall publish notice of withdrawal, cancellation or revocation of certificates fraudulently, unlawfully or improperly procured annually in the Federal Gazette and retain same on its website to be updated from time to time.
- 2) Such withdrawal, cancellation or revocation shall be after full inquiry by the Administrative Proceeding Committee and without prejudice to persons that have incurred losses as a result of incorporation of the company.

11.**REQUIREMENTS AS TO SHARE CAPITAL**-Section 57The solvency statement required under section 57 (5)(b) shall be in format of Form CAC 12.

**12. POWER TO EXEMPT FOREIGN COMPANIES** - **Section 80** The Minister shall cause to be published annually in the Federal Government Gazette and on the Commission's website names of foreign companies granted exemption from incorporation and those whose exemptions have been revoked.

#### 13. MINIMUM ISSUED SHARE CAPITAL (EXISTING COMPANY) - Section 124

- 1) Where, at the commencement of the Act, a company has unissued shares in its capital, the company shall not later than 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 fully issue such shares.
- 2) Notice of issue delivered to the Commission for registration shall be exempted from payment of filing fees.
- 3) Where a company to which this regulation applies fails to comply with this regulation, the company and every officer of the company shall be liable to a daily default penalty as prescribed by the Commission.

#### 14. ALLOTMENT OF SHARES - Section 149

- 1) Allotment of shares shall be done at the same time the shares are issued.
- 2) A private company may delegate the power to issue and allot shares to the board of directors.
- 3) A public company may delegate the power to issue and allot shares to the board of directors if .
  - (a) it is authorised by the articles generally or specifically; or
  - (b) it is authorised by resolution of the company in general meeting stating -

i. the maximum number of shares that the board should issue

ii. the specific transaction that the shares should be issued for, and

iii. the time following the passing of the resolution, within which the board should issue the shares failing which the authorisation shall lapse.

### 15. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF PRIVATE COMPANY - Section 240

- (1) Where the general meeting of a private company is held electronically, the minutes of the meeting shall indicate that fact.
- (2) For the purpose of section 240 (1), it shall be sufficient to reflect the registered office address of the company as the physical venue of the meeting provided that a director and the company secretary (if any) shall be present at the physical venue of the meeting.
- (3) Where the registered office address of the company can not be used due to the absence of a director and the company secretary (if any) at such address, any other address in Nigeria would suffice for purposes of recording the minutes.

16. ELECTRONIC MEETING OF DIRECTORS - Section 289 (1)

- (1) Directors may, in the exercise of their power to regulate their meeting as they think fit, hold their meetings electronically and by any means that would allow all directors to participate, speak and vote at the meeting.
- (2) Where the meeting of the directors is held electronically, the minutes of the meeting shall indicate that fact.
- (3) For the purpose of section 289 (1), it shall be sufficient to reflect the registered office address of the company as the physical venue of the meeting provided that a director and the company secretary (if any) shall be present at the physical venue of the meeting.
- (4) Where the registered office address of the company can not be used due to the absence of a director and the company secretary (if any) at such address, any other address in Nigeria would suffice for purposes of recording the minutes.

### 17. RESTRICTION OF PROTECTED AND PERSONAL INFORMATION - Section 326

- (1) Protected or personal information may be restricted from use or disclosure on the register available for inspection by the public.
- (2) Any interested person may apply for restriction of protected and personal information if he or someone living with him
  - a) has been attached or is under threat of imminent danger to life;
  - b) is a target of extremists;
  - c) is active in the defence industry or security and law enforcement agencies;
  - d) is a supplier to the defence industry or security and law enforcement agencies;
  - e) has a diplomatic status;
  - f) is a person of international repute and restriction is necessary for public interest and safety; or
  - g) would be compromised in safety.
- (3) An application for restriction of protected and personal information shall be accompanied by evidence in support, including any of the following:
  - (a) extract of police diary in case of attacks in the past;
  - (b) evidence of an attack, threat or imminent attack;

- (c) evidence of engagement in the defence industry or security and law enforcement agencies whose activities put the person at risk; or
- (d) such other evidence as may be considered relevant to the particular circumstance
- (4) Notwithstanding sub-regulations (1) (3) above and in line with the Nigeria Data Protection Regulation 2019, the Commission may decline to issue certified true copies of documents that contain information about the address, actual date of birth, signature and identification number of an individual and issue certified extracts instead.

#### 18. PERMITTED USE OR DISCLOSURE OF PROTECTED INFORMATION BY THE COMMISSION – Sections 326 & 327

- 1) Protected information may be disclosed by the Commission to designated public authorities.
- 2) Protected information may be disclosed by the Commission to credit reference agencies.
- 3) Request for disclosure shall be supported by verifiable reasons.
- 4) A person aggrieved by the decision of the Commission refusing disclosure may apply to the Federal High Court for a review of the decision.

#### **19.** QUALIFICATIONS OF A SMALL COMPANY – Section **394**

A company qualifies as a small company in a financial year if –

- 1) It is a private company;
- 2) Its turnover is not more than the amount prescribed by the Finance Act from time to time;
- 3) Its net assets value is not more than half the value of the prescribed turnover;
- 4) None of its members is an alien;
- 5) None of its members is a government, government corporation or agency or its nominee; and
- 6) In the case of the company having share capital, the directors within themselves hold at least 51% of its equity share capital.

**20.** COMPANIES QUALIFYING AS SMALL: PARENT COMPANIES – Section 395 A holding company qualifies as a small company in a financial year if its subsidiaries together qualify as a small group.

**21. CERTIFICATE BY SMALL COMPANY IN ANNUAL RETURNS – Section 423** A private company shall submit a certificate under section 423 if it is a small company in accordance with clause 17.

#### 22. APPOINTMENT OF SUPERVISOR IN COMPANY VOLUNTARY ARRANGEMENT -Section 437

- 1) Only a person qualified to practice as an insolvency practitioner under the Act shall be appointed supervisor in a company voluntary arrangement.
- 2) Notice of his appointment as Supervisor shall be filed with the Commission within 14 days of his appointment.
- 3) The notice shall be in the format prescribed in Form CAC 11

#### 23. RETURNS BY OFFICERS IN WINDING-UP – Section 697

Return by officers in winding-up shall be in the format prescribed in Form 72 of the Companies Proceedings Rules or as may be applicable from time to time and with necessary modifications.

#### 24. ACCREDITATION OF INSOLVENCY PRACTITIONERS - Section 705

- (1) Members of the following professional bodies may apply to the Commission for accreditation as insolvency practitioners
  - (a) Business Rescue and Insolvency Practitioners Association of Nigeria;
  - (b) Nigerian Bar Association;
  - (c) Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nigeria;
  - (d) Association of National Accountants of Nigeria; and
  - (e) Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators of Nigeria.
- (2) Requirements for accreditation shall include the following –

- (a) Duly completed Form CAC-MISC 02
- (b) Payment of prescribed application fee;
- (c) Evidence of membership of relevant professional body;
- (d) Evidence of practice as insolvency practitioner for not less than five years immediately
  - preceding the date of application;
- (e) Evidence of eligibility to practice for the current year; and
- (f) Evidence of completion of accredited course of continuous learning administered by the relevant professional body in the preceding year (in the case of renewal accreditation).
- (3) Accreditation by the Commission as insolvency practitioner shall be renewable every two years and at no cost.
- (4) Accreditation may be withdrawn by the Commission where the holder of the accreditation is disqualified from practice by professional body or in any other case if it appears to the Commission not fit to act as an insolvency practitioner.

#### 25. FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP -Section 788 (2)

A foreign limited liability partnership (LLP) may apply to the Minister for exemption from incorporation if it is an –

- 1) LLP invited to Nigeria by or with the approval of the Federal Government to execute any specified individual project.
- 2) LLP in Nigeria for the execution of specific individual loan projects on behalf of a donor country or international organization.
- 3) LLP owned by a foreign government and engaged solely in export promotion activities.
- 4) An engineering and technical expert engaged on any individual specialist project under contract with any of the governments in the Federation or any of their agencies or with any other body or person, where such contract has been approved by the Federal Government.

#### 26. APPLICATION OF SECTIONS 80 – 84 OF THE ACT TO LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP

The provisions of sections 80 - 84 of the Act relating to companies shall apply to limited liability partnership except so far as they are inconsistent with the express provisions of the Act.

#### 27. CLASSIFICATION OF ASSOCIATIONS - Section 824

The following classifications shall apply to incorporated trustees -

- 1) Religious
- 2) Educational
- 3) Literary
- 4) Scientific
- 5) Social
- 6) Developmental
- 7) Cultural
- 8) Sporting
- 9) Charitable
- 10) Others

#### 28. SUSPENSION OF TRUSTEES, ETC. - Section 839

- (1) The Commission may suspend trustees after it has
  - (a) conducted a full enquiry into the circumstances stated in section 839 (1) of the Act, and
  - (b) afforded the trustees a fair opportunity to respond to any allegation of wrong-doing under the subsection.
- (2) The Commission may also suspend trustees where it has issued a directive to the trustees to remedy a wrong-doing after an enquiry and the trustees have failed, refused or neglected to remedy the wrong-doing within the period specified in the directive.
- (3) An enquiry may be instituted into the affairs of the trustees where it appears from the records available to the Commission in the performance of its functions or from a petition that the

trustees or any of them are or have been guilty of any wrong-doing under section 839 (1) of the Act.

- (4) A petition under sub-regulation (3) of this regulation may be made by any of the following persons
  - (a) any public authority,
  - (b) a member of the governing body or council,
  - (c) one or more trustees,
  - (d) an officer of the association,
  - (e) a member of the association,
  - (f) an employee of the association,
  - (g) an auditor of the association,
  - (h) a donor, and
  - (i) any person having verifiable information on any act of wrong-doing by the trustees or association.
- (5) The Commission shall not suspend a trustee unless such trustee has been
  - (a) notified of details of the allegation of wrong-doing against him in writing by the Commission,
  - (b) given fair opportunity to respond to the allegation of wrong-doing against him, or
  - (c) refused, after a period of 30 days or such other period as may be extended by the Commission, to remedy any wrong-doing established against him by a board of enquiry, provided that in granting any extension, the Commission shall have regard to the particular activities, tasks or requirements necessary to remedy the wrong-doing.

#### 29. BOARD OF ENQUIRY INTO THE AFFAIRS OF AN ASSOCIATION – Section 839 (7)

- 1) A Board of Enquiry under this section shall comprise not less than three persons.
- 2) The Board of Enquiry shall include the following persons:
  - a) A legal practitioner of not less than 10 years post call experience
  - b) An accountant who is a member of a recognized professional body of accountants and with not less than 10 years professional experience
  - c) One other person with knowledge and skill relevant to the operations of the association, including a sectoral leader or development expert.
- 3) The Board of Enquiry may, at any of its meetings, co-opt persons with relevant knowledge and skill as observers, and any person so co-opted shall not count towards a quorum or have the right to vote in respect of any decision taken by the Board.
- 4) The report of the Board of Enquiry shall be submitted to the Administrative Proceeding Committee established under the Act.
- 5) The Committee shall review the report and make appropriate recommendations to the Board of the Commission which shall consider and forward same to the Minister for approval.

#### **30. APPOINTMENT OF INTERIM MANAGERS - Section 839**

- (1) An interim manager appointed by the Commission under section 839 of the Act shall:
  - a) not be an infant
  - b) not be a person of unsound mind having been so found by a court;
  - c) not be an undischarged bankrupt;
  - d) not have been convicted of an offence involving fraud or dishonesty within five years of his proposed appointment;
  - e) Not be an interested person;
  - f) be a person of proven integrity and good character;
  - g) be a person with knowledge and skill in the operations of the association; and
  - h) in the case of a religious or cultural association, be a person of that religion or culture if only one interim manager is appointed.
- (2) Where more than one interim manager is appointed in the case of a religious or cultural association, majority of the interim managers shall be persons of that religion or culture.
- (2) An aggrieved person may apply to the Federal High Court to set aside the appointment of an interim manager.
- (3) The instrument of appointment of an interim manager shall specify his functions, powers, duties and remuneration together with the duration of his appointment.

(4) The interim manager shall submit to the Commission a report at the end of his appointment or render periodic reports to the Commission every six months where the appointment exceeds the period of six months in the format prescribed in the instrument of appointment.

#### 31. DEFINITION OF CERTAIN TERMS IN SECTION 839

For the purpose of section 839 of the Act, the following terms shall have the meaning expressed hereunder –

"fraudulently" includes any dishonest act with intent to defraud or make unlawful gain from an association;

*"interested person" includes any member or affiliate of the association or any member of the immediate family of a member of affiliate of the association;* 

*"interim manager"* includes any person (other than a trustee) appointed under section 839 of the Act to manage the affairs of an association for a specified period;

*"misconduct"* includes any act inconsistent with the due and faithful discharge of the duties of a trustee, including negligence or want of proper care, dereliction of duty, unprofessional or unethical conduct and moral turpitude in the administration of an association;

"mismanagement" includes incompetence, carelessness or dishonesty in the administration of an association;

*"public interest"* means the benefit or welfare of the association, community or general public which deserves recognition and protection

**32. BI-ANNUAL STATEMENTS BY INCORPORATED TRUSTEES** - **Section 845** The bi-annual statements required under the Act shall be in FORM CAC/IT 5 and shall be made up to the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June and 31<sup>st</sup> day of December each year and filed not later than 15th day of July and 15th day of January following.

**33.** ACCOUNTING RECORDS AND STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS - Section 846 The financial year for associations registered under Part F of the Act shall be from 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December.

#### **34.** FORM OF ACCOUNTS

The audited statement of accounts for incorporated trustees shall be in accordance with accounting principles and standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council of Nigeria from time to time

#### 35. MERGER OF ASSOCIATIONS - Section 849

The requirements for merger of association shall include the following -

- 1) Similar aims and objectives
- 2) Resolution passed by 75% of members of each of the associations
- 3) Publication of application for merger in two daily newspaper circulating in the area where the associations are situated, one of which shall be a national newspaper.
- 4) Display of notice of the proposed merger conspicuously at the headquarters and branches of each of the associations for at least 28 days.
- 5) The publications and notices shall call for objections to the application which shall state the grounds for objection and be forwarded to reach the Registrar-General of the Commission not later than 28 days of the last publication or notice, whichever is later.
- 6) Scheme of merger sanctioned by the Federal High Court

#### **36.** ADDITIONAL RECORDS TO BE KEPT BY INCORPORATED TRUSTEES

The trustees of an association shall, in addition to any other records required under the Act, keep and maintain –

- 1) A register of members of the association (a copy of which shall be attached to every annual return); and
- 2) Minutes books

#### 37. TIMELINE FOR FILING OF POST-INCORPORATION APPLICATIONS FOR INCORPORATED TRUSTEES

Save for Annual Returns, Bi-annual Statements and Miscellaneous filings, all post-incorporation applications for Incorporated Trustees shall be filed with the Commission within 15 days of the date of passing the resolution provided that applications that are required to be published shall not be processed before the expiration of 28 days after the last publication.

#### **38.** THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS COMMITTEE - Section 851

The Administrative Proceedings Committee established under section 851 of the Act may adjudicate on non-criminal disputes arising from the operations of the Act, and in particular relating to –

- (1) names of companies, limited liability partnership, limited partnerships, business names and incorporated trustees.
- (2) shares in private companies, and
- (3) appointment or removal of directors, partners or trustees.

#### **39.** REFERRAL TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS COMMITTEE

- (1) Complaints on any matter for the adjudication of the Committee shall be forwarded to the Registrar-General of the Commission in the form prescribed by the Committee from time to time
- (2) Where, upon receipt of the complaint, the Registrar-General is of the opinion that the provisions of the Act with respect to the matters set out in Regulation 38 have been or is about to be violated, he shall refer the complaint to the Committee for adjudication.

#### **40. NOTICE TO PARTIES**

- (1) Upon receipt of a complaint, the Secretary of the Administrative Proceedings Committee shall within two working days schedule the complaint for hearing on a date as may be directed by the Chairman of the Committee.
- (2) The Secretary shall within five working days of receipt of the complaint send to the parties the notice of hearing.
- (3) The notice shall contain the names of the parties, particulars of claim and details of the alleged violations.
- (4) The notice shall also specify the date, place and time of hearing.
- (5) The notice may be sent to the parties personally or by registered post to their physical or electronic addresses on the Commission's record or to any physical or electronic address supplied by them.
- (6) Where for any reason, notice cannot be served on any party, the Chairman may direct that such notice be served by any substituted means.

#### 41. FILING OF BRIEFS AND EXCHANGE OF PLEADINGS

- (1) Parties shall file briefs (electronically or otherwise) with the Administrative Proceedings Committee and serve each other notice of same not later than 10 working days from service of the hearing notice.
- (2) Parties may file and serve each other further documents not later than five working days from filing and service of the initial pleadings on each other.

#### 42. EXTENSION OF TIME

The periods prescribed in Regulations 40 and 41 may be extended by leave of the Committee.

#### 43. SETTING DOWN FOR HEARING

- (1) The Secretary shall cause the matter to be set down for hearing not later than five working days after the expiration of the time limited for further pleadings in Regulation 41 (2) of this Regulations.
- (2) The Committee may only grant adjournment in any matter if it considers that refusing same may lead to a miscarriage of justice provided that not more than two adjournments shall be allowed in any matter.

(3) Where the Committee grants an application for adjournment, it may do so upon such terms as to payment of administrative charges and appropriate costs to other parties as is reasonable.

#### 44. VENUE OF SITTING FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS COMMITTEE

- (1) Unless otherwise indicated in the hearing notice, the venue for the sitting of the Administrative Proceedings Committee shall be in the Head Office of the Commission.
- (2) Notwithstanding sub-regulation (1) above, the proceedings of the Committee may be conducted virtually where the circumstances so demand.

#### 45. RULES OF EVIDENCE

The Administrative Proceedings Committee shall be guided in the conduct of its proceedings by the principles of fair hearing, equity and natural justice.

#### 46. DUTY TO SEEK COMMENTS OF GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT OR OTHER BODY - Section 853

Where further approval is required in connection with an application for the approval of the Commission, such approval may be sought by the Commission.

#### 47. ILLITERATE JURAT FOR SIGNATURE BY AN ILLITERATE

Where an illiterate person signs any document presented for filing, an *illiterate jurat* shall be endorsed on or accompany the document.

#### **48.** ATTESTATION FOR SIGNATURE BY A MINOR

Where a minor signs any document presented for filing, the signature must be attested by a Magistrate, Legal Practitioner or Police Officer of the rank of Assistant Superintendent of Police and above.

#### 49. INTERPRETATION

(1) In these regulations, unless the context requires otherwise –

"Act" means the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 (CAMA);

"APC" means the Administrative Proceedings Committee established under this Act;

"articles" has the meaning given in the Act;

"*director*" has the meaning given in the Act and includes any person occupying the position of director, by whatever name called;

"document" includes, unless otherwise specified, any document sent or supplied in electronic form;

*"electronic form"* has the following meaning:

- documents or information sent or supplied by electronic means for example by email or software by other means while in an electronic form (for example sending disk by post), and references to electronic copy shall have a corresponding meaning and a document or information is sent or supplied by electronic means if it is sent initially and received at its destination by means of electronic equipment for the processing (which expression includes digital compression) or storage of data and entirely transmitted, conveyed and received by wire, by radio, by optical means or by electromagnetic means; references to electronic means shall have a corresponding meaning;
- 2) a document or information authorized or requested to be sent or supplied in an electronic form must be sent or supplied in a form and by a means the sender or supplier reasonably considers will enable the recipient to read and retain a copy of it; and for this purpose, a document or information can be read only if it can be read with the naked eye, or to the extent that it connotes images (for example photographs, pictures, maps, plans or drawings) it can be seen with the naked eyes;

"entity" includes a company, limited liability partnership, limited partnership, business name or incorporated trustees registered under the Act;

*"fully paid"* in relation to a share, means that the nominal value and any premium to be paid to the company in respect of that share have been paid to the company;

*"hard copy form"* means a document or information sent or supplied in hard copy form or in a paper copy or similar form capable of being read and a reference to hard copy has a corresponding meaning;

"*holder*" in relation to shares means the person whose name is entered in the register of members as the holder of the shares;

"instrument" means a document in hard or soft copy form;

*"interested person"* in Regulation 17 means a director, shareholder, partner, proprietor, trustee or person with significant control.

*"manager"* in relation to disclosure of remuneration at annual general meeting includes any person by whatever name called occupying a position in senior management and who is vested with significant autonomy, discretion, and authority in the administration and management of the affairs of a company (whether in whole or in part);

"minister" has the meaning given in the Act and includes the Honourable Minister of Industry, Trade and Investment.

"ordinary resolution" has the meaning given in section 258 (1) of the Act;

"paid" means paid or credited as paid;

"participate", in relation to a directors' meeting, has the meaning given in the articles;

"proxy notice" means the notice prescribed in section 254 (2) of the Act;

"shareholder" means a person who is the holder of a share;

"shares" means shares in a company;

"special resolution" has the meaning given in section 258(2) of the Act;

"subsidiary" has the meaning given in section 381 of the Act; and

*"transmittee"* means a person becoming entitled to a share in consequence of the death or bankruptcy of a member and in accordance with section 179 of the Act;

"*writing*" means the representation or reproduction of words, symbols or other information in a visible form by any method or combination of methods, whether sent or supplied in electronic form or otherwise.

(2) Unless the context otherwise requires, other words or expressions contained in these regulations bear the same meaning as in the Act.

#### Forms

### Application to register a company

Pursuant to Section 36 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 CAC 1.1

### APPLICATION TO REGISTER A COMPANY



What this form is for You may use this form to register a company **X** What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to incorporate a Limited Liability Partnership

For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

Part 1	Company details							
Al	Company name							
Approved company name								
A2	Company type							
	Please tick the box that describes the pro-	oposed company typ	e					
	□ Public limited by shares							
	□ Private limited by shares							
	□ Unlimited							
	□ Limited by guarantee							
A3	Principal business activity							
	Please state the principal activity or acti	vities						
Description of principal activity								
activity								
A 4	Desistand office address							
A4	Registered office address							
	Please give the registered office address	of your company.						
Number/Building Name			You must ensure that the address shown in this section					
Street			is easily traceable.					
Sheet								
City/Town/Village								
L 10								
Local Government								
Postcode		Company's email						
State		Phone number						
A5	Head office address <sup>1</sup>							
Number/Building Name			<sup>1</sup> Please state Head office					
			address where different from					
Street			the Registered office address in section A3.					

City/Town/Village		Ensure that the address shown in this section is easily					
Local Government		traceable.					
Postcode							
State							
A6	Articles of association						
	Please choose one option and tick one box only						
Option 1	<ul> <li>I wish to adopt one of the following model articles i</li> <li>Private companies limited by shares</li> <li>Public companies</li> <li>Companies limited by guarantee</li> </ul>	in its entirety. Please tick one box <b>only</b>					
Option 2	I wish to adopt one of the following model articles v         provisions. I attach a copy of the addition and/or an         box only         □ Private companies limited by shares         □ Public companies         □ Companies limited by guarantee						
Part 2	Proposed officers						
	if you decide to appoint a company secretary you m	ompanies that are small the appointment of a secretary is optional. However, to appoint a company secretary you must provide the relevant details. anies (other than small companies) and public companies are required to					
	<ul><li>appoint at least one secretary.</li><li>Only small companies may appoint only one director company, and every public company must appoint</li><li>For a secretary who is an individual, go to Section F</li></ul>	at least two directors.					
Secretary	Section C1; For a director go to Section D1;						
B1	Secretary appointments <sup>1</sup>						
	Please use this section to list all the secretary appoint corporate secretary, complete Sections C1.	ntments taken on formation. For a					
Title		<sup>1</sup> Corporate appointments For corporate secretary					
Full forename(s)		appointments, please complete section C1 instead of section B.					
Surname		Additional appointments If you wish to appoint a deputy or an assistnat secretary, please					
Former name(s) <sup>2</sup>		use the 'Secretary appointments' continuation page.					
Email		<sup>2</sup> Former name(s) Please provide any previous names (including maiden or					
Phone number		married names) which have been used for business purposes in the					
Identity type		last 10 years.					
Identity number							
B2	Secretary's service address <sup>3</sup>						

Number/Building name		Service address: This is the address that will
Street		<ul> <li>appear on the public record. This does not have to be your usual residential address.</li> </ul>
City/town/village		Please state 'The Company's Registered Office' if your service address will be recorded
Local Government		in the proposed company's register of secretaries as the
Postcode		company's registered office.
State		_
Corporate secretary		
C1	Corporate secretary appointments <sup>1</sup>	
_	Please use this section to list all the corporate secretary appointments taken on formation.	<sup>1</sup> Additional appointments: If you wish to appoint a deputy or an
Corporate body/firm name		assistant corporate secretary, please use the 'Corporate secretary appointments' continuation page.
Registration number		Registered or principal address This is the address that will appear on the public record. This address
Number/building number		must be a physical location for the delivery of documents. It cannot be a PO box number (unless contained
Street		within a full address).
City/town/village		-
Local Government		_
Postcode		-
State		-
Phone number		_
Email		-
Director		<u> </u>
D1	Director appointments <sup>1</sup>	
	Please use this section to list all the director appointments	<sup>1</sup> Appointments
	taken on formation.	Only small companies may
Title		appoint only one director. Every company that is not a small
Full forenames(s)		company, and every public companies must appoint at least two directors.
Surname		<sup>2</sup> Former name(s) Please provide any previous
Former name(s) <sup>2</sup>		<ul> <li>names (including maiden or married names) which have been used for business purposes in the</li> </ul>
Gender		last 10 years.
Nationality		<sup>3</sup> Country/State of residence This is in respect of your usual
Country/state of residence		residential address as stated in section D4
Occupation <sup>4</sup>		<sup>4</sup> Business occupation

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Email											occupation, please enter here. If you do not, please leave blank.		
Phone number													
Identity type													
Identity number											-		
D2	Dir	ector'	's serv	ice ac	ddress	, 5							
								w. You ress in S			<sup>5</sup> Service address This is the address that will		
Number/building name											appear on the public record. This does not have to be your usual residential address.		
Street											Please state 'The Company's Registered Office' if your		
City/town/village											service address will be recorded in the proposed company's register of directors as the		
Local Government (where applicable)											company's registered office.		
Postcode													
State													
Country											-		
D3	Dir	ector'	's date	of bi	rth <sup>6</sup>						<sup>6</sup> <b>Date of birth</b> Please give the full date of birth.		
	Plea	ase co	mplete	your	full da	te of t	birth be	elow.			The day (dd) will not appear on the public record unless the subscribers have elected to hold		
	d	d		m	m		У	У	у	У	directors' information on the public register.		
D4	Dir	ector'	's usua	al resi	identia	ıl add	ress <sup>7</sup>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>			
	Plea	ase co:	mplete	your	usual 1	reside	ntial ac	ldress b	elow.		<sup>7</sup> New director's usual residential address Please state		
Number/building name											'Same as service address' in this section if your usual residential		
Street											<ul> <li>address is recorded in the company's proposed register of director's residential addresses</li> </ul>		
City/town/village											as 'Same as service address'. You cannot state 'Same as		
Local Government (where applicable)											service address' if your service address has been stated in Section D2 as 'The Company's		
Postcode											Registered Office'. You will need to complete the address in full.		
State											1011.		
Country											-		
Date											-		
Signature	Signa	ture						v			-		
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Director	I co	insem	10 00 0						<u>mpuny</u>				
	1 co	onsent							inpuny				

Please use this section to list all the director appointments taken on formation.								<sup>1</sup> <b>Appointments</b> Private companies must appoint					
Title									at least one director. Public companies must appoint at least				
Full forenames(s)								<ul> <li>two directors.</li> <li><sup>2</sup> Former name(s)</li> <li>Please provide any previous</li> </ul>					
Surname									names (including maiden or married names) which have been				
Former name(s) <sup>2</sup>											used for business purposes in the last 10 years.		
Gender											<sup>3</sup> <b>Country/State of residence</b> This is in respect of your usual		
Nationality											residential address as stated in section D4		
Country/state of residence											<sup>4</sup> <b>Business occupation</b> If you have a business		
Occupation <sup>4</sup>											occupation, please enter here. If you do not, please leave blank.		
Email													
Phone number													
Identity type													
Identity number													
D2	Dir	ector'	s serv	vice a	ddress	5							
							ss belo ial addi				<sup>5</sup> Service address This is the address that will		
Number/building name											appear on the public record. This does not have to be your usual residential address. Please state 'The Company's Registered Office' if your service address will be recorded in the proposed company's register of directors as the company's registered office.		
Street													
City/town/village													
Local Government (where applicable)													
Postcode											_		
State											_		
Country											_		
D3	Dir	ector'	s date	e of bi	irth <sup>6</sup>						<sup>6</sup> <b>Date of birth</b> Please give the full date of birth.		
	Please complete your full date of birth below.										The day (dd) will not appear on the public record unless the subscribers have elected to hold		
	d	d		m	m		у	У	У	у	directors' information on the public register.		
D4	Dir	ector'	s usu	al resi	identia	al add	lress <sup>7</sup>						
	Please complete your usual residential address below.									<sup>7</sup> New director's usual			
Number/building name											residential address Please state 'Same as service address' in this section if your		
Street											usual residential address is recorded in the company's proposed register of director's		

City/town/village				residential addresses as 'Same as service address'.			
Local Government (where applicable)				You cannot state 'Same as service address' if your service address has been stated in			
Postcode				Section D2 as 'The Company's Registered Office'. You will need to complete the address in			
State				full.			
Country							
Date							
Signature	Signature X		Х	_			
		lirector of the abo	ve named company				
Part 3	Statement of i						
	Does your compa						
		nplete the sections o Part 4 (Statemer					
E1	Statement of iss	ued share capital					
	Complete the tabl	e(s) below to show	w the share capital.	<b>Continuation pages</b> Please use a continuation page if necessary.			
Class of shares E.g. Equity/preference etc.	Nominal value of each issued share	Total number of issued shares	Aggregate nominal value (Number of shares issued multiplied by nominal value)	<b>Total aggregate amount</b> <b>to be unpaid, if any</b> (whether on account of the nominal value of the share or by way of premium)			
	Total						
E2	Prescribed partie	culars of rights a	ttached to shares				
	Please give the prescribed particulars of rights attached to shares for each class of share shown in the statement of issued share capital table in Section E1.						
Class of share				shares			
Prescribed particulars <sup>1</sup>				<ul> <li>The particulars are:</li> <li>a. particulars of any voting rights, including rights that arise only in certain circumstances;</li> <li>b. particulars of any rights, as respects dividends, to participate in a distribution;</li> <li>c. particulars of any rights, as respects capital, to participate in a distribution (including on winding up); and</li> </ul>			

					d. whether t	he shares are
					liable to b	eemed or are be redeemed ion of the or the
					sharehold	
					A separate ta used for each share.	
Class of share					<sup>1</sup> Prescribed	
Prescribed particulars <sup>1</sup>					of rights atta shares	ached to
					rights tha certain ci b. particular rights, as dividends participat distribution c. particular rights, as capital, to a distribu (including up); and d. whether to to be rede liable to b	s of any ghts, including t arise only in rcumstances; s of any respects s, to e in a on; s of any respects o participate in tion g on winding he shares are eemed or are be redeemed ion of the or the
					A separate ta used for each share.	
E3	Initial sharehold	lings				
	Please complete t	Ild only be comple the details below for hese do not need to	or each subsc	riber.The add	resses will app	ear on the
Subscribers's details	Class of share	Number of shares	signature	Nominal value of each share	Amount to be paid up on each share ( whether on account of the nominal value of the share or by way of premium)	Amount (if any) to be unpaid on each share ( whether on account of the nominal value of the share or by way of premium)
Name						
Address						
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Name						
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Name						
Address						
Part 4	Statement of g	guarantee				
F1		plete the sections Part 5 Persons w	below.	nt Control		
	Please complete the company limited being made by ear I confirm that if the member, or within will contribute to amount as may be a) payment contracted b) payment winding the contribute specified Subscriber's det	on the public record. They do not have to be the subscribers' usual residential address. <sup>3</sup> Amount guaranteed Naira is the valid permitted currency.				
Forename(s) <sup>1</sup>					<sup>4</sup> Class of me Only comple	
			there will be	more than		
Surname			one class of if the subscr	members and ibers are		
Address <sup>2</sup>			electing to k	eep		
					the public re	formation on gister.
1 2						~
Amount guaranteed <sup>3</sup>						
Class of member (if applicable) <sup>4</sup>						

	Subscriber's details	
Forename(s) <sup>1</sup>		<sup>1</sup> Name Please use capital letters.
Surname		<sup>2</sup> Address The addresses
Address <sup>2</sup>		in this section will appear
		on the public record. They do not have to be
Amount guaranteed <sup>3</sup>		the subscribers' usual residential address.
		34
Class of member (if applicable) <sup>4</sup>		<sup>3</sup> Amount guaranteed Naira is the valid permitted currency.
		<sup>4</sup> Class of members Only complete this if there will be more than one class of members and if the subscribers are electing to keep members' information on the public register.
	Subscriber's details	
Forename(s) <sup>1</sup>		<sup>1</sup> Name Please use capital letters.
Surname		<sup>2</sup> Address The addresses
Address <sup>2</sup>		in this section will appear on the public record. It does not have to be the subscribers' usual
Amount guaranteed <sup>3</sup>		residential address.
Class of member (if applicable) <sup>4</sup>		<sup>3</sup> Amount guaranteed Naira is the valid permitted currency.
Part 5	Persons with Significant Control (PSC)	<sup>4</sup> Class of members Only complete this if there will be more than one class of members and if the subscribers are electing to keep members' information on the public register.

Persons with Significant Control (PSC)

### H. PSC Notification - Natural Person

One copy should be filled out for each natural person who is a person of significant control.

### Details of the person with significant control

Submission Date				The date on which this information was submitted.	
	day-month-year			Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020	
Title					
First Name				This should be the <i>current</i> legal name of the PSC.	
Surname				The family names of the PSC.	
Other Name(s)				The given names of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.	
Former name(s)				The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).	
City					
State					
Nationality/nationalities				The nationalities held by the PSC	
Country of residence					
Identification number					
Identification type					
Gender					
Email					
Phone number					
Address-service	Building name/number			The service address of the PSC	
	Street				
	City				
	State				
	Country				
Address - home	Building name/number	The home address of the PSC (not for publication) Individual's residential address You can state 'Same as service address' in this section if the residential address is same as the service address.			
				rvice address' if the service address has istered Office'. You will need to Box number.	

	Street		
	City		
	State		
	Country		
Tax residency			A jurisdiction or jurisdictions in which the PSC is resident for tax purposes
Date of Birth			Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
	day-month-year		

### J. Alternative name forms

One copy should be filled out for each alternative name the person of significant control is known, or has been known, by.

Name type	<ul> <li>Choose from:</li> <li>"Translation" - translation of a name.</li> <li>"Former" - former name (for example, a maiden name)</li> <li>"Alias" - an alias</li> <li>"Nick" - a nickname</li> <li>"Birth" - the name of the PSC at birth</li> </ul>			
Full Name	The PSC's full name			
Family Name	The family name(s) of the PSC.			
Given Name	The given name(s) of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.			
Patronymic name	The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).			

## K. PSC Notification - Legal Entity

Submission Date		The date on which this information was submitted.		
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2015		
Name of entity				
Legal form		<ul> <li>Choose from:</li> <li>Private registered company</li> <li>Public registered company</li> <li>Limited liability partnership</li> <li>Other legal entity (e.g., government department)</li> <li>Trust</li> <li>Legal arrangement</li> </ul>		
Jurisdiction		The jurisdiction in which this legal entity is registered, if any. Legal entities that have a unique registration must provide a jurisdiction, register and identifier.		
Register		The register in which this legal entity is registered.		
RC Number		The Registration number for this legal entity. E.g., a company number provided by a central business register.		

Governing law		The governing law to which this legal entity is subject.
Address - registered	Building name/number	The registered address of the legal entity
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	

## L. Details of the interest(s) held

Date this person became a <i>person with significant</i>		Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020		
control	day-month-year			
Interests held				
Shares in a company or in	terest in a limited liability partners	hip		
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.	
5% of the <b>shares or</b> <b>interest</b> in a company or limited liability	Percentage held <b>directly</b>			
partnership?	Percentage held indirectly			
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>shares or interest</b> in the Register and the percentage of the PSC's	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Share (%)	Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.	
overall interest held through them.			Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed.	
			Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.	
Voting rights in a compar	y or limited liability partnership			
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.	
5% of the <b>voting rights</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Percentage held <b>directly</b>			
naomity particismp:	Percentage held indirectly			
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>voting rights</b> in the Register and the percentage of the PSC's overall interest held through them.	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Voting rights (%)	If the names <b>and</b> percentages of the legal owners are the same as the <b>shares and</b> <b>interest</b> declaration, then this section can be left blank.	
			Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.	

			Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed. Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.
The <b>right to appoint</b> or re	move a majority of the directors or p	partners	
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold the right to <b>appoint or remove a</b> <b>majority of the</b> <b>directors or partners</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No		
Significant influence or c	ontrol over a company or limited pa	artnership	
Does the PSC otherwise have the right to exercise or is actually exercising <b>significant influence or</b> <b>control</b> over a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No		
Significant influence or c conditions if it were an ind	ontrol whether or not the PSC is a lividual	egal entity, but wou	ld itself satisfy any of the first four
Does the PSC have the right to exercise, or actually exercise significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm, whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual?	Yes/No		Natural persons should always answer 'No'.

Guidance

The forms above contain some inline guidance

Term	Definition
Person of significant control	<ul> <li>"person with significant control" means any person:</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding at least 5% of the shares or interest in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding at least 5% of the voting rights in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding the right to appoint or remove a majority of the directors or partners in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>otherwise having the right to exercise or actually exercising significant influence or control over a company or limited liability partnership; or</li> <li>having the right to exercise, or actually exercising significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual."</li> </ul>

#### **Presented for filing by:**

Name		
Address	Building	
	name/number	
	Street	
	City/town/village	
	Postcode	
	State	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

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(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- 2) A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

Notice of financial year end and changes therein (CAC 02)

Pursuant to Section 377(4) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

CAC 2 NOTICE OF FINANCIAL YEAR END OR CHANGES THEREIN



#### What this form is for

You may use this form for notice of Financial year end or change

What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to give notice of AGM

For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

Company Details:									
Registration Number									
Company Name									
Company type			_						
Financial year end	d	d		m	m	у	У	У	У
Changes in financial year									
Date shortened so as to end on	d	d		m	m	у	У	У	У
Date extended so as to end on	d	d		m	m	у	У	У	У
Authentication									
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Description						npany.	y aution	iscu Offic	

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Pursuant to Section 30 of Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

### CAC 3 NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME OF A COMPANY



#### What this form is for

You may use this form for notice of Change of name for company **What this form is NOT for** You cannot use this form to give notice of a

change of name for Limited Liability Partnership

**For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

#### **Company Details:**

Registration Number												
Existing name of Comp	any											
Date of Resolution		d	d		m	m		У	У	У	У	
New Name												
Authentication												
Name							This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the					
Description							company	or any c		u onneen	or the	

#### Presented for filing by:

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Address	Street	
	City area/District	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

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Pursuant to Sections 55-77 of the CAMA, 2020 CAC 4 APPLICATION FOR RE-REGISTRATION



### What this form is for

You may use this form to make an application for the re-registration of a company

#### What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to make an

You cannot use this form to make an application to re-register company as limited liability partnership.

**For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details										
Registration Number										
Company name in full										
New Name										
2. Date of resolution										
	d	d		m	m		у	У	У	У
3. Re-registration	Please	e tick th	e appr	opriate	re-regis	stration	n			
	<ul> <li>The above company applies to be registered as</li> <li>Private company to public company</li> <li>Public company to private company</li> <li>Private limited company to an unlimited company</li> <li>An unlimited company to a limited company</li> <li>Public company to an unlimited company</li> </ul>									
Full name of re-registered company	LITU		прапу	io all u		1 COM	Jany			
Please fill 4 and 5 where applicabl	e for re	-registr	ation c	f priva	te comp	oany to	public	compa	any.	
4. Minimum issued share capital	The above company confirms that (please tick □): The aggregate nominal value of the company's issued share capital is not less than the authorized minimum.									
5. Statement of proposed secretary	To be completed only where the company that is being re-registered does not have a secretary.									
	For a	corpora		•	go to se	ction 5	5 (b)			
a. Secretary appointment who is an	ı indiv	idual								
Title										
First Name										
Surname										
Other name(s)										
Identity Number										
Identity Type										
Phone Number										
Email										
i. Secretary's service address										
Number/Building name										
Street										
City										
LGA										
State										

Country										
b. Corporate Secretary appointme	b. Corporate Secretary appointment									
Name of corporate body or firm										
Number/Building name										
Street										
City										
LGA										
State										
Country										
6. Statement of compliance										
I the authorised person, confirms that the requirements of the Companies and Allied Matters Act as to re- registration have been complied with.										
7. Authentication										
Name		This form is authorised a by Director, Secretary or any								
Description		authorised officer of the company.								
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**DIRECTORS' SOLVENCY STATEMENT** 

Pursuant to Section 57(5)(b) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

For further information

Please refer to our guidance at

www.cac.gov.ng

What this form is for You may use this form for

director's solvency statement

CAC 4A

**X** What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form for statutory declaration of solvency.

1. Com	pany details										
Registra	tion Number										
Compan	ny name										
2. Date	of resolution	d	d		m	m		У	у	У	У
	DECLARATION										
sincerely formed	We (the persons listed below) being all or majority of the director(s) of, do solemnly and sincerely declare that we have made a full inquiry into the affairs of the company and that, having done so, have formed the opinion that the company is able to pay its debts, as identified in the attached statement of assets and liabilities, as being debts that have fallen due.										
	ompany is able to pay its debts										
	sset of the company is more than i	ts liabil	lities at	the date	e of this	s declar	ation				
	ompany's capital will not be impa										
						01 105 110	.01110105				
3. Nam	es, Phone Numbers and Sign	ature (	of Dire	ctors							
S/No	Name		Pho	ne Nun	ıber		Signa	ture	Date		
1											
2											
	Sworn to at the Registry of										
this day of, 20											
	Before me										
Pre	sented for filing by:	Ca	ommission	ier for Oa	aths						
Nama											

Name			
Address	Street		
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	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where applied	cable)
Signature		Date	

#### NOTE:

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  - (b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every
  - day the default continues.
- 2) A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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#### Return of Allotment of shares (CAC 5)

Pursuant to Section 154 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 5 RETURN OF ALLOTMENT OF SHARES



What this form is for
You may use this form for allotment of
issued share capital and notice of increase
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X

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form for transfer of shares. **For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details													
Registration Number													
Company name in full													
2. Date of resolution	d d		d	m		n	1	у		У	У	У	
3. Allotment Dates		I										1	
From Date	d	d	m	m	у	у	у	у	the same da		ate If all shares were allotted on y enter that date in the 'from f shares were allotted over a		
To Date	d	d	m	m	У	y y y y period of tin and 'to date					ne, complete both 'from date' ' boxes.		
3. Shares allotted							•	•					
Please give details of the shares allotted													
Class of shares (E.g. Ordinary/Preference, etc.)	Number of issued shares			value of each pa share (in sh pr or			paid (incl share prem	including premium) on each hare premium) on each					
If the allotted shares are fully or partly paid up oth for which the shares were allotted	herwi	se th	an in	cash	, plo	ease s	tate th	ne co:	nsider	ration	Please Contin	uation P	age if
Details of non-cash consideration. If a PLC, please attach valuation report (if appropriate)													
Statement of capital													
	<b>Section 5</b> should reflect the company's issued capital following the changes made in this form.												
4. Statement of issued share capital													
Please complete the below to show the issued share capital at the date to which this return is made up.													
Class of shares (E.g. Ordinary/Preference etc)	Nui	mber	• of S	hare	S	Aggregate nominal value		if	f <b>any</b> In	gregate amount unpaid, cluding both the nominal d any share premium			
											*		

Totals				
5. Statement of capital (Pro	escribed particulars of	f rights attach	ed to shares)	
Class of share				Prescribed particulars of rights attached to shares
Prescribed particulars				The particulars are: 1. particulars of voting rights, including rights that arise only in certain circumstances; 2. particulars of any rights, as respect dividends, to participate in
Class of share				a distribution; 3. particulars of any rights, as
Prescribed particulars				respects capital, to participate in a distribution (including winding up); and 4. whether the shares are to be redeemed or are liable to be redeemed at the option of the company or the shareholder and any terms or conditions relating to redemption of these shares.

Details of individual/legal entit	No. of Shares Allotted	Class of Shares
Name		
Number/building Name		
Registration Number		
(where applicable)		
Street		
City		
Local Government (where		
applicable)		
State		
Country		
Details of individual/legal entit	No. of Shares Allotted	Class of Shares
Name		
Number/building Name		
Registration Number		
(where applicable)		
Street		
City		
Local Government (where		
applicable)		
State		
Country		
7. Authentication		
Name	This form is	authorised by a Director,
		any authorised officer of
Description	the company	۷.

Name		
Address	Number/Building Name	
	Street	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	

Phone Number		
Email	Accreditation Number <i>(where applicable)</i>	
Signature	Date	

#### Note:

- 1. If there is insufficient space in the form to provide the information required, please attach a separate sheet containing the information required in the prescribed format.
- 2. In the case of increase in issued share capital, at least 25% of the share capital including the increase shall be paid up within six months of notice of increase in the share capital and the return should be accompanied by copies of the memorandum and articles of association.
- 3. Directors shall, within six months of notice of increase in the issued share capital, deliver to the Commission a statutory declaration verifying the fact that 25% of the share capital including the increase has been paid up.

#### Penalty for false statement or information:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

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  - (b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every
  - day the default continues.
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# Notice of consolidation, sub-division, redemption of share or re-conversion of shares into stocks (CAC 5A)

Pursuant to Sections 125, 182 & 418(2) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

#### **CAC 5A** NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATION, SUB-DIVISION, REDEMPTION OF SHARES OR RE-CONVERSION OF SHARES INTO STOCKS



SIUCKS												
What this form is for You may use this form for notice of consolidation, sub-division, redemption of shares or re-conversion of share into stocks	<b>What this form is NOT for</b> You cannot use this form to give notice of a conversion of shares into stock							Ple	For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng			
1. Company details												
Registration Number												
Company name in full												
2. Date of resolution	d	d		m	m			у	у	У	У	
3. Consolidation				·								
Please show the amendments to class of	shares											
	Previo	ous share	e struct	ure		Ne	w share	e struct	ure			
Class of shares (E.g. Ordinary/Preference, etc.)	Numbershares	er of issu	ed	Nominal value of each shar		Number of issued shares		No	Nominal value of each share			
4. Sub-division												
Please show the amendments to class of	shares											
	Previo	ous share	e struct	ure		Ne	w share	e struct	ure			
Class of shares (E.g. Ordinary/Preference, etc.)	Numbo shares	er of issu	ed	Nominal value of each shar		iss	umber of ued ares	No	Nominal value of eac		h share	
5. Redemption												
Please show the class number and nomin redeemed	al value	of share	es that I	have beer	n rec	leen	ned. On	ly red	eemable	shares c	an be	
Class of shares (E.g. Ordinary/Preference, etc.)	Previo	ous share	e struct	ure		Ne	w share	e struct	ure			
6. Re-conversion		1 0 1										
	1 0	r C 1					4 1					

Please show the class, number and nominal value of shares following re-conversion into stock.

New share structure

Value of stock		Class of shares (E.g. Nur Ordinary/Preference etc.) issu		Nominal Value of each share			
Statement of capital							
	<b>Section 7</b> sho in this form.	uld reflect the com	pany's issued capi	tal following the changes made			
7. Statement of issued share	capital						
Please complete the below to show e	each share classes held.						
Class of shares	Amount paid up on each share	Amount (if any) unpaid on each	Number of shares	Aggregate nominal value			
		Totals					
8. Statement of issued share capita	l (Prescribed particulars	of rights attached t	o shares)				
Class of share				Prescribed particulars of rights attached to shares			
Prescribed particulars				The particulars are: 1. particulars of voting rights, including rights that arise only in certain circumstances; 2. particulars of any rights, as respect dividends, to participate in a distribution;			
Class of share				3. particulars of any rights, as respects capital, to participate in a distribution			
Prescribed particulars				(including winding up); and 4. whether the shares are to be redeemed or are liable to be redeemed at the optior of the company or the shareholder and any terms or conditions relating to redemption of these shares.			
9. Authentication							
Name       Description							
Description							

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number		·	
Email		Accreditation Number (v applicable)	vhere
Signature		Date	

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Notice of registered or head office address (CAC 6)

Pursuant to Section 728 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

CAC 6 NOTICE OF REGISTERED OR HEAD OFFICE ADDRESS



#### What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of Change of registered or head office address What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of registered office of an LLP **For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details									
Registration Number									
Company name in full									
2. Date of resolution	d	d	m	m	У	у	у	у	
3. New registered/Head office Address	□ Re □ He The ch	egistered ead Offic ange in r	e	loffice			s not ta	ake effe	ect until the
Number/Building Name*									
street*									
City/Town/Village*									
Local Government*									
Postal code									
State*									

4. Authentication	
Name	This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the
Description	company.

#### Presented for filing by:

Name			
Address	Street		
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	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
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Signature		Date	

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#### **APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR**



What this form is for You may use this form to appoint a director

Pursuant to Section

and Allied Matters Act, 2020

City/Town/Village

applicable)

Postal code

State

Local Government (where

**X** What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to change details of a director

For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

register of director's residential

addresses as 'Same as service

address'. You cannot state

stated in Section 4 as 'The

'Same as service address' if your service address has been

1. Company details										
Registration Number										
Company name in full										
2. Date of director's appo	intment	1								
Date of appointment		d	d	m	m	у	у	у	у	
3. New director's details										
Title										
Full forename(s)										
Surname										
Former name(s)					Gende	er				
Country/state of residence					Phone	Numbe	r			
Nationality					Email					
Identity Type						Identity Number				
Date of birth					Tuenti					
Date of birth		d	d	m	m	у	у	у	у	
Business occupation (if any)										
4. New director's service a	address F	Please co	mplete	vour serv	ice addres	s below	. You mu	st also c	omplete	e vour residentia
address in Section 4a.			1 .							
Number/Building Name										s that will appear
Street							1	nave to b		rd. This does not sual residential
City/Town/Village	City/Town/Village					]	<ul> <li>address.</li> <li>Please state 'The Company's</li> </ul>			
Local Government (where									d Office <sup>*</sup> s recorde	' if your service d in the
applicable) Postal code						company	's registe	er of directors as		
									gistered office. If residential	
State						1	you provide your residential address here it will appear on the			
Country							1	public re	cord.	
4a. New director's resider	ntial add	ress Ple	ase com	plete you	ır resident	ial addr	ess below	·		
Number/Building Name							]	Please s		ne as service
Street										section if your address is
City/Town/Village							1	recorded	l in the c	company's

Country		Company's Registered Office'. You will need to complete the						
		1						
		address in full.						
5. Confirmation of consent to act as a director								
	Please tick the box to confirm consent							
	$\Box$ I confirmed that the person named in section 3							
	has consented to act as a director of the company							
	named in section 1.							
6 Authorization								

o. Authentication								
Name		This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the company.						
Description		5 1 5						

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where a	applicable)
Signature		Date	

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Notice of vacation of office/removal of director (CAC 7A)

Pursuant to Sections 284 and 288 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

### CAC 7A NOTICE OF VACATION OF OFFICE/REMOVAL/RESIGNATION OF DIRECTOR



#### What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice for termination of appointment of a director

**X** What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to change details of a director

For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details										
Registration Number										
Company name in full										
2. Date of resolution	A company may by ordinary resolution remove a director before the expiration of his period of office Sec. 288(1)									
Date of resolution	d	d d m m y y y y								
3. Vacation type										
		Remo Resigi Fermi Fenur	val nation nation e expir		iate box ify)	below:				
4. Director's details										
Title										
Full forename(s)										
Surname										
Former name(s)										
Nationality										
Date of birth	d	(	1	m	m	у	У	у	У	
4. Termination Date										
Date of termination	d	(	1	m	m	у	У	У	у	
	Onl	y one	direct	or appo	ointment	can be te	erminated	d per fo	orm.	1
5. Authentication	•								1	
Name Description		This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the company.							becretary or any	
L										

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Address	Street
	City area/District
	City/Town/Village
	Local Government
	Postal code

	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Number (where a	applicable)	
Signature		Date		

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### Notice of change in particulars of director (CAC 7B)

Pursuant to Section 321 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 7B

## NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PARTICULARS OF DIRECTOR



What this form is for

You may use this form to change the particulars of a director

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to change details of a partner of an LLP For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details									
Registration Number									
Company name in full									
2. Director's current details on the r	egister								
Date of birth	d	d	m	m	У	У	у	у	
Title		1							
Full forename(s)									
Surname									
3. Date of change of details	d     d     m     m     y     y     y       Please complete appropriate sections to indicate which of your details have changed.								
<b>4. Change of name details</b> Please	enter new	v name.							
Title									
Full forename(s)									
Surname									
5. Change of service address	·								
Number/Building Name									
Street									
City/Town/Village									
Local Government (where applicable)									
Postal code									
State									
Country									
			at there ha sidential a			in the co	mpany's	register o	of

5. Change of residential address Please complete this section if you have changed your residential address							
Number/Building Name		Please state 'same as service address' in this section if your					
Street		residential address is recorded					
City/Town/Village		in the company's register of directors' residential addresses					
Local Government (where		as 'Same as service address'.					
applicable)							
Postal code							

State	
Country	
6. Change of other details	
Change of Email	
Change of telephone number	
Change of Nationality	
Correction of Gender	
Change of Country/State of residence	
Change of Business occupation	
7. Authentication	
Name	This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of
Description	the company.

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Number (where a	applicable)	
Signature		Date		

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- 2) A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

Pursuant to Section 330 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

CAC 8 APPOINTMENT OF SECRETARY



What this form is for	
You may use this form to appoint a	
secretary individual or corporate	

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to change details of a secretary

**For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details									
Registration Number									
Company name in full									
2. Date of appointment									
Date of appointment	d	d	m	m	У	У	У	У	
3. New individual secretary's deta	3. New individual secretary's details for corporate secretary please go to 5								
Title									
Full forename(s)									
Surname									
Former name(s)									
Country/state of residence				Phone 1	Number				
Nationality				Email					
Identity Number				Identity	/ Туре				
Date of birth	d d	m	m y	у у	у				
Business occupation (if any)			•						
<b>4. New individual secretary's serv</b> your residential address in Section 4a.	ice addı	ress Plea	se compl	lete your	service ad	ldress b	elow. You	ı must also	complete
Number/Building Name								dress that v	
Street						d	oes not hav	e public rec e to be your	
City/Town/Village						re	esidential ac	ldress.	
Local Government (where applicable)									
Postal code									
State									
Country									
4a. New secretary's residential add	dress Pla	ease comp	plete you	r resident	ial addres	ss belov	v.		

Number/Building Name	You cannot state 'Same as service address' if your
Street	service address has been stated
City/Town/Village	in Section 4 as 'The Company's Registered
Local Government (where applicable)	Office'. You will need to complete the address in full.
Postal code	complete the address in fun.
State	
Country	

5. Corporate secreatry's details						
Corporate body/firm name						
Registration number						
	Address of the corporate	e body/firm				
Number/Building name						
Street						
City/Town/Village						
Local Government (where applicable)						
Postal code						
State		Telephone number				
		Email				
6. Authentication						
Name			This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any			
Descriptiom			authorised officer of the company.			

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)	
Signature		Date	I

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

- Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -
  - (a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and
  - (b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- 2) A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

Pursuant to Section 333 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

#### CAC 8A NOTICE OF REMOVAL OF SECRETARY



### What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of termination of secretary's appointment What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of appointment of secretary **For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details									
Registration Number									
Company name in full									
2. Individual Secretary's current details on the register									
Date of birth	d	d	m	m	У	У	у	У	
Title									
Full forename(s)									
Surname									
2a. Corporate Secretary's cur	rent de	etails or	n the re	egister					
Corporate body/firm name									
3. Date of removal		1	1	1	1				_
	d	d	m	m	у	у	у	у	
4. Authentication									
Name							Ι	Director, Secr	uthorised by a etary or any authorised
Description							C	officer of the o	company.

#### Presented for filing by:

Name		
Address	Street	
	City area/District	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

- Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -
  - (a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and
  - (b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every
  - day the default continues.

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case. Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria. 2)
- 3)

Notice of change in particulars of secretary (CAC 8B)

## CAC 8B

Pursuant to Sections 337-338 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PARTICULARS OF SECRETARY



What	this	form	is for	

You may use this form to change the Details of a secretary.

## **X** What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to give notice of appointment of secretary

For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details									
Registration Number									
Company name in full									
2. Individual Secretary's curren	t detai	ils on t	the reg	gister	1				
Date of birth	d	d	m	m	У	У	У	У	
Title		1	•	1	I.	1	l		
Full forename(s)									
Surname									
2a. Corporate Secretary's current	nt det	ails on	the re	egiste	r				
Corporate body/firm name									
3. Date of change of details	d	d	m		m	v	v	V	V
						5	5	,	ur details have changed.
4. Change of name details				•					¥
Title									Please enter new name for an individual secretary.
Full forename(s)									
Surname									-
Corporate body/firm name									Please enter new name for a corporate secretary
5. Change of service address									
Number/Building Name									
Street									
City/Town/Village									
Local Government (where applicable)									
Postal code									
State									
Country									
					has bee tial add		ange in t	he compa	any's register of

5. Change of residential address Please complete this section if you have changed your residential address						
Number/Building Name		use state 'same as service ress' in this section if your				
Street	resi	dential address is recorded in				
City/Town/Village		company's register as 'Same ervice address'.				
Local Government (where applicable)						

Postal code		
State		
Country		
6. Change of other details		
Change of Email		
Change of telephone number		
Change of Nationality		
Correction of Gender		
Change of Country/State of		
residence		
Change of Business occupation		
7. Authentication		
Name	This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of	
Description	the company.	

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where a	applicable)
Signature		Date	

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

day the default continues.

2) A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.

3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

Particulars of charge (CAC 9)

Pursuant to Section 222 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 9

#### PARTICULARS OF CHARGE



What this form is for

You may use this form to register particulars of charge

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form for statement of satisfaction of a charge. For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details									
Registration Number									
Company name in full									
	da de by	ys beg livered a cour	inning l outsid t order	with the state of	ne day e 90 d ling th	after tl ays, it ie time	ne date will be for del	of crea rejecte livery.	for registration within 90 ation of the charge. If ed unless it is accompanied ent with this form.
2. Charge details									
Amount secured									State the amount secured and the currency
Creation date	d	d	m	m	у	У	У	У	
3. Names of persons or trustees entit	led to	o the	charg	ge					
			ow the		s of ea	ch of t	he pers	ons, se	curity agents or trustees
Name									
Name									
Name									
	If there are more than three names, please supply any three names and then tick the statement below.  I confirm that there are more than four persons, security agents or trustees articled to the charge								
Type of Charge 4. Short particulars of the property of	entitled to the charge.1. charge for the purpose of securing any issue of debentures2. charge on uncalled share capital of the company;3. charge created or evidenced by an instrument which if executed by an individual would require registration as a bill of sale4. charge on land, wherever situate, or any interest therein, but not including a charge for rent or other periodical sum issuing out of land5. charge on book debts of the company6. floating charge on the undertaking or property of the company;7. charge on calls made but not paid;8. charge on a ship or aircraft or any share in a ship; and9. charge on goodwill, or on any intellectual property.ty or undertaking chargedPlease give a short description of any land, ship, aircraft, or intellectual property registered or required to be registered in Nigeria subject to a charge (which is not a floating charge) or fixed security included in the instrument.								

Brief description					
5. Other charge or fixed security					
	Does the instrument include a charge (which is not a floating charge) or				
	fixed security over any tangible or intangible or corporeal or incorporeal				
	property not described above? Please tick the appropriate box.				
6 Floating abougs	D No				
6. Floating charge					
	Is the instrument expressed to contain a floating charge? Please tick the				
	appropriate box.				
	□ Yes, Continue				
	Is the floating charge expressed to cover all the property and undertaking of the company?				
	□ Yes				
	$\Box$ I confirm that there is negative pledge clause in the charge				
7. Trustee statement					
	You may tick the box if the company named in Section 1 is acting as trustee				
	of the property or undertaking which is the subject of the charge.				
8. Authentication					
Name	This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any				
Description	authorised officer of the company.				
Presented for filing by:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				

Name		
Address	Street	
	City area/District	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

## Statement of satisfaction of whole or in part of a charge (CAC 10)

Pursuant to Section 229 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

#### CAC 10 STATEMENT OF SATISFACTION IN WHOLE OR IN PART OF A CHARGE



$\mathbf{I}$	What this form is for You may	y use	What this form is NOT	For further	information
<b>V</b> part	this form to register		for ou cannot use this form for particular of charge	Please refer to our	guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details									
Registration Number									
Company name in full									
2. Charge details	•								
Charge creation date	d d	m m	у у	У	У				
3. Description of instrument	•			•					
		give a des or evider		of the ins	trument	(if any)	by whi	ch th	e charge is
Instrument description									
Amount secured by the charge									
4. Short particulars of the property or undertaking charged									
	Please	give the s	hort part	iculars of	the prop	perty or u	ınderta	king	charged.
Short particulars									
5. Satisfaction									
					ge as de	scribed h	as bee	n pai	d or satisfied.
	Please $\Box$ In w	tick the a	ppropriat	e box.					
	🗆 In pa	art							
Date of release	d	d	m	m	у	У	У		у
Amount outstanding (in case of Satisfaction in part)									
Property to be released in part or whole. Please									ease list the
tick the appropriate box. □ In whole									operty to be eased in part or
□ In part								wh	iole.
6. Details of person delivering this stat	ement	and the	ir inter	est in t	he cha	rge			

	Please give the name of the person delivering this statement				
Name					
Telephone Number		Email			
Number/Building Name					
Street					
City/Town/Village					
Local Government (where applicable)					
Post code					
State					
Country					
	Please give the person's inte	rest in the charge (e.g	g. chargor/chargee etc).		
Person's interest in the charge					
9. Authentication	-				
Name			This form is authorised by a		

Name	This form is authorised by a
	Director, Secretary or any
Description	authorised officer of the company.

Name		
Address	Street	
	City area/District	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	-
	Country	-
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

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(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

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## Appointment of an administrator, receiver, receiver manager or supervisor for company voluntary arrangement (CAC 11)

Pursuant to Sections 442, 455, 550, 585 and 654 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 11 APPOINTMENT OF AN ADMINISTRATOR, RECEIVER, RECEIVER MANAGER OR SUPERVISOR FOR COMPANY VOLUNTARY ARRANGEMENT



#### What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of appointment of official receiver, receiver manger an Administrator of supervisor for company voluntary arrangement

State

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of cessation of appointment **For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

#### 1. Company details

Registration Number

Telephone number

4. Date of appointment

Company name in full

## 2. Details of the person who appointed or obtained an order to appoint an administrator, receiver, manager or supervisor

Name in full						
	Number/building name					
	Street					
Address	City/Town/village					
	Local Government (where applicable)					
	State					
	Identity number	Identity	type			
Telephone number		Email				
<b>3. Appoinment details</b> Supervisor for company v		e admini	strator, re	ceiver, rece	eiver manag	jer,
Name						
	Number/building name					
	Street					
Address	City/Town/village					
	Local Government (where applicable)					

Email

	Please sh	ow the nature of appointment. Please tick the appropriate box				
	□ Administrator ( <b>Please also complete PART B and C</b> )					
	□ Receiver					
	Receiver Manager					
5. Appointment Type	□ Super	visor for company voluntary arrangement				
FF		pointment over 'part' or 'the whole' of the property or ing of the company?				
	□ Part o	□ Part of the property or undertaking of the company				
	□ The w	$\Box$ The whole of the property undertaking of the company				
6. Details of Appointment						
Date of appointment						
Mada af ann aintmant		□ An order was obtained				
Mode of appointment		□ Under the powers contained in the instrument				
7. Authentication						
Name		This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the				
Description		company.				
	DAI					

#### PART B

## STATUTORY DECLARATION (PURSUANT TO SECTION 455(2), CAMA

WE..... being the

.....do solemnly and sincerely declare

That we hold floating charge in respect of the Companies Property. 1.

2. That each floating charge is enforceable on the date of the appointment.

- 3. That consents of holders of prior floating charges have been obtained where applicable.
- That appointment is in accordance with Chapter 17 and general provisions of the 4. Companies and Allied Matters Act.

Declared at the ....., 20...

Before Me

Commissioner for Oaths/Notary Public

#### PART C STATEMENT BY ADMINISTRATOR (pursuant to section 455(3)

I(we).....consent to my(our) appointment as Administrator(s) in respect of .....

That in my(our)opinion the purpose of administration is likely to be achieved.

Signature:

Phone number:

E-mail address:

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (whapplicable)	iere
Signature		Date	

#### Presented for filing by:

#### NOTE:

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(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

Notice of cessation to act as a receiver, receiver manager or supervisor (CAC 12)

Pursuant to Sections 559
(2) and 561 of the
Companies and Allied
Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 12 NOTICE OF CESSATION TO ACT AS A RECEIVER, RECEIVER MANAGER, ADMINISTRATOR OR SUPERVISOR



What this form is for You may use this form to give notice of cessation to act as an administrator, receiver, manager or supervisor What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of appointment of an administrator, receiver, manager or supervisor For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

#### 1. Company details

Registration Number Company name in full

## 2. Details of a person who has ceased to act as an administrator, receiver, receiver manager or supervisor

Forename(s)							
Surname							
	Please give an address of the person who ceased to act						
Number/Building name							
Street							
City/Town/Village							
Local Government (where applicable)							
Post code							
State							
Country							
3. Cessation details							
Corporate body/firm name							
Date of cessation	d       d       m       y       y       y       y         Please show the details of the cessation. Tick appropriate box below. <ul> <li>As administrator</li> <li>As receiver</li> <li>As receiver manager</li> <li>As supervisor for company voluntary arrangement</li> </ul>						
4. Authentication							
Name		This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of					
Description		the company.					

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)	
Signature		Date	1

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

- Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -
  - (a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and
  - (b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- 2) A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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Application of striking-off by company (CAC 13)

Pursuant to Section 692 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

### CAC 13 Application for striking off by a company



$\checkmark$	What	this	form	is	for
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You may use this form to apply for voluntary striking-off by a company.

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of winding up For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company	v details								
Registration 1	Number								
Company nar	ne in full								
2. Date of S	pecial Resolution								
Warning to all interested parties									
This is an important notice and should not be ignored. The company named has applied for striking off from the Register and dissolved. Please note that on dissolution all property and rights whatsoever vested in or held on trust for the company immediately before its dissolution, including leasehold property (but not including property held by the company on trust for any other person) shall, subject and without prejudice to any order which may at any time be made by the Court under section 691 or 692 of this Act, be deemed to be vested in the State without further assurance, as bona vacantia.									
3. Date of p	<b>ublication</b> within 28 days of	^		ition,					
	Newspaper	SN	Title		Date	2			
		1							
		2							
		3							
<ul> <li>4. The application I/we as director(s) the majority of directors apply for this company to be struck off the Register and declare that: <ol> <li>none of the circumstances described in section 692 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act 2020 (being circumstances in which the directors would otherwise be prohibited under this section from making application) exists in relation to the companies and Allied Matters Act 2020 have been complied with.</li> </ol> Warning to all applicants It is an offence to knowingly or recklessly provide false or misleading information on this application. You are advised to read section 692 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act 2020 (being circumstances in the company and 2) we have complied with the requirement of section 692 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act 2020 have been complied with.</li></ul>									
This form must be signed by the sole director if only 1, by both if there are 2, or by the majority if there are more than 2.									
SN	NAME			SIGN	r	DATE			
1									
2									
3									

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where a	applicable)
Signature		Date	

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

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(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every  $% \left( {{\mathbf{b}}_{i}} \right)$ 

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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Notice of statutory declaration of solvency (CAC 14)

Pursuant to Section 625 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 14 NOTICE OF STATUTORY DECLARATION OF SOLVENCY



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1. (	Company details															
Reg	gistration Number															
Cor	mpany name in full															
2. \$	Statement of Assets and Liabilities	made	up to	)		d	d	m	m	У	У	У	У			
3.1	Date of declaration	d	d	m	m	у	у			у		у				

#### STATUTORY DECLARATION OF SOLVENCY

 We
 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ being all/majority of the directors of the above company made a full enquiry into the affairs of the company, and, that having so done, we have formed the opinion that the company will be able to pay its debt in full within a period of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ months from the commencement of the winding up, and we append a statement of the company's assets and liabilities as at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_\_\_ being the latest practicable date before the making of this declaration.

 We make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same o be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Oath Act.

 Declared at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

Before me

**Commissioner for Oaths/Notary Public** 

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where	applicable)
Signature		Date	

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

Notice of resolution for voluntary winding up (CAC 15)

Pursuant to Sections 621 and 634 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 15 NOTICE OF RESOLUTION FOR VOLUNTARY WINDING UP



What this form is for You may use this form to give notice of Resolution of winding up.	<b>X</b> What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of winding up by Court Order		For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng			
1. Company details						
Registration Number						
Company name in full						
2. Nature of winding up	Please tick one Members' voluntary winding up □ Creditors' voluntary winding up ⊠					
3. Date of special resolution	Please fill 3 and 4 only for men voluntary winding up					
4. Publication details						
Gazette	Date	2				
Newspaper	SN	Title	Pag No.	e I	Date	
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5. Date of Meeting of Creditors				Pleas up	e fill 3 to 6 for Creditor's winding	
6. Publication details for meeting of Cre	editor	ſS				
Gazette	Date	e				
Newspaper	SN	Title	Pag no.	e D	Date	
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7. Authentication						
Name					This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the	
Description					company.	

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		applicable)		
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Signature		Date		
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  - (a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and
  - (b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every
  - day the default continues.
- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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Appointment of liquidator (CAC 16)

Pursuant to Sections 631 and 641 of Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 16 Appointment of liquidator



What this form is for You may use this form to give notice of appointment of liquidator What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of cessation of appointment For further information

Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details		- appoi	mment								
Registration Number											
Company name in full											
Telephone number					En	nail					
2. Liquidator's detail	\$										
Name											
	Number/building name										
	Street										
Address	City/Town/village										
	Local Government (where applicable)										
	State										
Telephone number					En	nail					
3. Date of Appointme	nt				•	·					
Date of appointment		d	d	m		m	у	у	у	у	
4. Publication details					I						
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	Gazette	Date	;								
	Newspaper	SN	Title	;		Page No.	D	ate			
		1									
		2									
5. Instrument of appo	ointment				•		•				
	Please tick the appropri COurt Order Special resolution	ate bo	ox belo	ow:							
6. Authentication	1										
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Description	
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	City/Town/Village								
	Local Government								
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	State								
	Country								
Phone Number									
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)							
Signature		Date							

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Notice of return of final meeting (CAC 17)

Pursuant to Sections 631 and 641 of Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 **CAC 17** 

# AFFAIRS COMMISSION HOS

#### NOTICE OF RETURN OF FINAL MEETING

#### What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of Of return of final meeting of winding up

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of cessation of appointment **For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details													
Registration Number													
Company name in full													
2. Liquidator's detai liquidator	<b>Is</b> please give the	e nan	ne of a	and ad	dress c	of the a	admir	nistrat	or, rec	eiver, re	ceiver	manage	r or
Name													
Number/building name													
	Street												
Address	City/Town/vill	age											
	Local Governm (where applical												
	State												
Telephone number				Email									
3. Date of final meeti	ng												
Date of the final meeting	g		d	d	m	m	у	у	у	у			
4. Publication details	5				L					1			
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5. Authorized signate	ory												
Name								This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the company.					
Description												1 2	

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#### Fourteenth schedule (CAC 18)

Pursuant to Section 733 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC 18 FOURTEENTH SCHEDULE

Forms of statement to be published by banking and insurance companies and deposit, provident or benefit societies



✓ What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of 14<sup>th</sup> Schedule

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of voluntary arrangement For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details							
Registration Number							
Company name in full							
2. Statement of share capit	al						
Issued Share Capital		Divided nto		shares			each
Calls to the amount of	¥	ŧ		Per shar	e have been	made	
Under which the sum of				Naira ha	s been recei	ved	
The liabilities of the company of July) were	on the first d	ay of Janu	ary (or				
3. Debts owing to sundry p	persons by	the comp	any				
On judgment	N			On spec	cialty	N	
On notes or bills	N		On simple contracts		N		
On estimated liabilities	N						
4. The assets of the compar	ny on that c	lay were				L	
Government securities (stat them) <del>N</del>	ting <del>N</del>			Bills exchang promiss	of ge and ory notes	₩	
Cash at the bankers	N			Other s	ecurities	N	
5. Authentication						1	
Name							authorised by a Director, any authorised officer of

Description	the company.
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#### Note:

\*If the company has no share capital, the portion of the statement relating to capital and shares must be omitted.

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Name			
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Signature		Date	

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### Annual return of companies (CAC 19)

Pursuant to Sections 417 - 424 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC 19 ANNUAL RETURN FORM



	What this form	is for X	W	Vhat this form is NOT	For further information
¥	You may use this form	for Annual	fo		Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng
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	t 1 Company Det				
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		Company Name in Full:			
	A2	-			, (being the fourteenth day
				al meeting for the year delivered within 14 days of t	ha data aiyan halayy
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	A3	Date of General Meetin		lassification and number	s) for the principal activity or activities.
	AJ	Classification code 1:	55 C	classification code number(	s) for the principal activity of activities.
		Classification code 1:			
		Classification code 2:			
		Classification code 4:			
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		Principal Activity	t a	coue, please give a brief u	escription of your business activity below.
		Description:			
		-			
	A4	Company Type:		ana tana ka tialing tha an	nan ninta har halam (Only and har must ha
		ticked).	mp	bany type by ticking the ap	propriate box below (Only one box must be
		,			
		$\circ$ $\Box$ Small compa	ny		
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		○ □ Company lin	nite	ed by guarantee	
		$\circ$ $\Box$ Public compa	any	I	
-		D			
	A5	Registered office addre Number /Building name:			
		Street:			
		City:			
		Local Government			
		State			
-	A6	Head office location if of	liff	ferent from A5	
	AU	Number /Building name:			
		Street:			
		City:			
		Local Government			
		State			
	A7		me	mbers/Register of person wi	th significant control (if applicable)
		Number /Building name:			
		Street:			
		City:			
		Local Government			
		State			

Part 2 Officers of the company										
This section should include details of the company as at the made-up date of this annual return. All details must agree										
with those previously notified to Corporate Affairs Commission.										
Corporate secretary										
• For a Corporate Secretary, go to section B										
Individual secretary										
Directors	·									
• For a <b>Direct</b>										
New Appointments										
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with the annual return							1		1 11 1	6
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	complete				_					-
	Corporate									
	name:									
	Registratio	on nu	mber						•	
	Number /	Buildi	ng							
	name:									
	Street:									
	City:									
	Local Government         Phone number									
	State								Email	
С	Secretary									
									of the company.	
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Surname:										
Former names(s):										
Country/State of resid	lence.									
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Date of birth:									irth will appear on the public	
record										
Business occupation (If any)										
Telephone number       Email										
	Idnoca									
Director's service ad Number /Building nat										
Street:										
City:										
City.										

Local Government										
State										
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Part 3: Summary of issu Does your company have s • Yes, go to Section • No go to part 4	share capita									
E1. Statement of Issu	ed share	capital								
Please complete below to sl	now each sh	are classes held.								
Class of shares E.g. Ordinary/Preference etc.		Number of shares	Aggregate nominal value		Total aggreg unpaid, if a					
E2. Statement of canital ()	<b>Total</b> Prescribed p	articulars of rights	attached to share	es)						
Class of share	E2. Statement of capital (Prescribed particulars of rights attached to shares)									
Total amount of indebtedne required to be registered with	ss of the con					¥				
Act (CAMA). E4.	Listofpa	st and present mor	mhars							
L <b>7</b> .	List of past and present members.         List of person holding shares or stock in the company on the fourteenth day after the annual general meeting for 20 and of persons who held shares or stock therein at any time since the date of the last return, or, in the cases of the first return, of the incorporation of the company.         Folio in register containing particulars       Name and held by existing members at date of									
			return		(a) (b)	Date of registration of				
	added up s		the number of sh			stated, and the aggre Summary of Share (				

When the shares are different classes these columns should be subdivided so that the number of each class held, or transferred, may be shown separately. Where any shares have been converted into stock, the amount of stock held by each member must be shown. The date of registration of each transfer should be given as well as the number of shares transferred
on each date. The particulars should be placed together with that of the transferee, but the name of
the transferee may be inserted in the remarks column immediately opposite the particulars of each transfer.
(i) If the return for either of the two immediately preceding years has been given as at the date
of that return the full particulars required as to past and present members and the shares and stock held and transferred by them, only such of the particulars need be given as relate to persons ceasing to be or becoming members since the date of the last return and to shares transferred since that date or to changes as compared with the date in the amount of stock held by a member.
(ii) If the names in the list are not arranged in alphabetical order, an index sufficient to enable the name of any person to be readily found must be annexed.

Certificates and other Documents accompanying Annual Returns
Certificate to be given by a director and the secretary of every private company.
We certify that the company has not since the date of the incorporation of the company/the last annual return, issued any
invitation to the public to subscribe for any shares or debentures in the company.
Further certificate to be given as aforesaid if the number of members of the company exceeds fifty.
We certify that the excess of the number of members of the company over fifty consist wholly of persons who under subsection
(3) of section 22 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, are not to be included in reckoning the number fifty.
Certified copies of accounts
Except for companies qualifying as small companies, there shall be annexed to this return a written copy, certified both by a
director and by the secretary of the company to be true copy, of every balance sheet laid before the company in general meeting
during the period to which this return relates (including every document required by law to be annexed to the balance sheet) and a
copy (certified as aforesaid) of the report of the directors accompanying each such balance sheet. If any balance sheet as aforesaid
or document certified in a prescribed manner to be annexed thereto did not comply with the requirements of the law as in force at
the date of the audit with respect to the form of balance sheet or documents aforesaid, as the case may be, there shall be made
such additions to and corrections in the copy as would have been required to be made in the balance sheet or document in order to
make it comply with the said requirements, and the fact that the copy has been amended must be stated thereon.
Checklist
We may return forms completed incorrectly or with information missing.
Please make sure you have remembered the following:
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- The company name and RC number match the information held on the public register.
- You have completed your principal business activity.
- $\circ$  You have not used this form to make changes to the registered office address.
- $\circ$  You have not used this form to make changes to secretary and director details.
- You have the full date of birth for all individual directors.
- You have signed the form
- You have enclosed the correct fee.

# F. Particulars of Turnover and Net Assets (this is applicable to small companies that are not required to submit Financial Statements)

Total Turnover for the year	N	Amount in	
		words	
Total value of Net Assets for the year	N	Amount in	
		words	

#### G. Persons with Significant Control (PSC) - Natural Person

#### A. Details of the person with significant control

Submission Date	on with significant control	The date on which this information was submitted.
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
Title		
First Name		This should be the current legal name of the PSC.
Surname		The family names of the PSC.
Other Name(s)		The given names of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.
Former name(s)		The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).
City		
State		
Nationality/nationalities		The nationalities held by the PSC
Country of residence		
Identification number		
Identification type		Means of identification e.g. international passport, National ID card, Driver's License, Permanent Voter's Card
Gender		
Email		
Phone number		
Address - service	Building name/number	The service address of the PSC
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	

Address - home	Building name/number	Individual's residen You can state 'Sam residential address i You cannot state 'S as the Company's R address in full.		of the PSC (not for publication) ntial address ue as service address' in this section if the usual is same as the service address. Same as service address' if the service address has stated Registered Office'. You will need to complete the t be a P O Box number.	
	Street				
	City				
	State				
	Country				
Tax residency				A jurisdiction or jurisdictions in which the PSC is resident for tax purposes	
Date of Birth				Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020	
	day-month-year				

B. Alternative name forms

*One* copy should be filled out for *each* alternative name the person of significant control is known, or has been known, by.

Name type	<ul> <li>Choose from:</li> <li>"Former" - former name (for example, a maiden name)</li> <li>"Alias" - an alias</li> <li>"Nick" - a nickname</li> <li>"Birth" - the name of the PSC at birth</li> </ul>	
Full Name	The PSC's full name	
Family Name	The family name(s) of the PSC.	
Given Name	The given name(s) of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.	
Patronymic name	The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).	

#### C. PSC Notification - Legal Entity

Submission Date	day-month-year	The date on which this information was submitted. Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
Name of entity		
Legal form		<ul><li>Choose from:</li><li>Private registered company</li></ul>

			<ul> <li>Public registered company</li> <li>Limited liability partnership</li> <li>Other legal entity (e.g. government department)</li> <li>Trust</li> <li>Legal arrangement</li> </ul>		
Jurisdiction			The jurisdiction in which this legal entity is registered, if any legal entities that have a unique registration must provide a jurisdiction, register and identifier.		
Register			The register in which this le		The register in which this legal entity is registered.
RC Number			The Registration number for this legal entity.		
			E.g., a company number provided by a central business register.		
Governing law			The governing law to which this legal entity is subject.		
Address – registered	Building name/number		The registered address of the legal entity		
	Street				
	City				
	State				
	Country				
D. Details of the	e interest(s) held				

Date this person became a <i>person with significant control</i>	day-month-year		Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
Interests held			
Shares in a company or interest	t in a limited liability partnersl	hip	
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of the <b>shares or interest</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.
	Percentage held directly		
· ·	Percentage held indirectly		
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>shares or interest</b> in the Register and the percentage of	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Share (%)	Where some part of the interest is held indirectly, the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.

shares or interest in the Register and the percentage of

legal owner(s)

		-			
the PSC's overall interest held through them.			Where the PSC holds the interest through a combination of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed. Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.		
Voting rights in a company or b	limited liability partnership	•	•		
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.		
the <b>voting rights</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Percentage held directly				
r	Percentage held indirectly				
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>voting rights</b> in the Register and the percentage of the PSC's overall interest held through them.	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Voting rights (%)	If the names <b>and</b> percentages of the legal owners are the same as the <b>shares and interest</b> declaration, then this section can be left blank. Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided. Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed. Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.		
The <b>right to appoint</b> or remove	e a majority of the directors or	partners			
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold the right to <b>appoint or remove a</b> <b>majority of the directors or</b> <b>partners</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No				
Significant influence or control over a company or limited partnership					
Does the PSC otherwise have the right to exercise or is actually exercising <b>significant</b> <b>influence or control</b> over a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No				
Significant influence or control whether or not the PSC is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions					

if it were an individual			
Does the PSC have the right to exercise, or actually exercise significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm, whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual?	Yes/No	Natural persons should always answer 'No'.	

#### Authentication

Name	This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the
Description	company.

#### Presented for filing by:

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number ( applicable)	(where
Signature		Date	

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

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(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

#### Extension of time to hold Annual General Meeting (CAC 20)

Pursuant to Section 237 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC 20 EXTENSION OF TIME TO HOLD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



What this form is for You may use this form to give apply for an

You may use this form to give apply for an extension to hold AGM

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of holding AGM For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company details	
Registration Number	
Company name in full	
2. Reason(s) for Extension	
3. Date of Preceding AGM	
4. Date of Financial Year End	
5. Date of Proposed Extension of	
AGM	
6. Authentication	
Name	This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the company.
Description	

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	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

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Notice of exemption of foreign company (CAC 21)

Pursuant to Section 80 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC 21 NOTICE OF EXEMPTION OF FOREIGN COMPANY



What this form is for
You may use this form to give no

You may use this form to give notice of Exemption of foreign company

# What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to give notice of Annual Report for Exempted Company

#### For further information

Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Company	details			mpteu (	Joinpany					
Company nam	e in full									
Registration N	umber									
Date of registra	ation		d	d	m	m	У	У	у	У
Country				Please state the country or jurisdiction w the company was registered.					• •	
2. Exemption										
Date of Exemp										
Place of busine	ess outside Nigeria									
Place of busine	ess in Nigeria									
Description of	business in Nigeria									
Duration of bu	siness in Nigeria									
Duration of Ex	emption									
Expected date	of completion									
3. Names an	d addresses of author	rized	perso	ns(Re	presen	tative	e of C	ompan	y)	
SN	Name	Ado	lress	Т	el. nun	nber	Emai	1	Signatu	re
1										
2										
4. Names an	d addresses of each d	irecto	or/par	tner						
SN	Name	Ado	dress	Т	el. nur	nber	Emai	1	Signatu	re
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2										
5. Authentica	ation	•		1						
Name							This form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer of the company.			
Description										2

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Address	Street	
	City area/District	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

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(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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#### Annual report of exempted foreign company (CAC 22)

Pursuant to Section 57 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC 22 ANNUAL REPORT OF EXEMPTED FOREIGN COMPANY



# What this form is

**X** What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to give notice of Exemption

For further information

Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

You may use this form to file annual report of Exemption of foreign company

1. Company de	etails										
Company name i	n full										
Registration Nun	nber										
Date of registration	on		d	d	m	m	l	У	у	У	У
Country				•					ase : ister		the country or jurisdiction where the company was
2. Annual repo	ort det	tails									
Date of Annual F	Report		d	d	m	m	l	У	у	У	У
Place of business Nigeria	outsid	le		•							·
Place of business Nigeria											
Description of bu Nigeria		in									
Duration of busin	nes in										
Nigeria Date of Exemption	on		d	d	m	m	1	У	у	у	У
Duration of Exem								5	5	5	
Expected date of	-		n of		d d	. 1	m	m	у	у	y y
business in Niger	ria								Ť		
					-	Rej		ative	of		npany in Nigeria
Name		Add	lres		Fel. numb	~ ~	Email			Si	Signature
				1	lumo	er					
4. Name and	Addre	ess o	of E	Cach	Dire	cto	r. Partn	er o	r ot	her ]	Principal Officers of the Company since
Date of Exemp							,				
SN Name	-	Add	lres		Fel. numb	er	Email			Si	Signature
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2											
5. Authenticati	ion										
Name										Th	his form is authorised by a Director, Secretary or any authorised officer

Description	of the company.
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If there is insufficient space on the form to provide any information required, please attach a separate sheet containing the information set out in the prescribed form.

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	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

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(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

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#### Notice of Persons with Significant Control (CAC-PSC 01)

Pursuant to Section of 119 the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

CAC-PSC01

#### Notice of Persons with Significant Control

#### ✓ What this form is for

**X** What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to give notice of change of details of PSC- Natural Person or Legal Entity.



#### For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

significant control (PSC) – Natural Person, PSC- Legal Entity and details of the interest(s) held (used by both entities and natural persons)

You may use this form to give notice of person with

#### PSC Notification - Natural Person

One copy should be filled out for each natural person who is a person with significant control.

#### Details of the person with significant control

Submission Date		The date on which this information was submitted.
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
Title		
First Name		This should be the <i>current</i> legal name of the PSC.
Surname		The family names of the PSC.
Other Name(s)		The given names of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.
Former name(s)		The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).
City		
State		
Nationality/nationalities		The nationalities held by the PSC
Country of residence		
Identification number		
Identification type		Means of identification e.g. international passport, National ID card, Driver's License, Permanent Voter's Card

Gender		
Email		
Phone number		
Address - service	Building name/number	The service address of the PSC
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	
Address – home	Building name/number	The home address of the PSC (not for publication) Individual's residential address You can state 'Same as service address' in this section if the usual residential address is same as the service address. You cannot state 'Same as service address' if the service address is not stated as the Company's Registered Office'. You will need to complete the address in full. This address cannot be a P O Box number.
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	
Tax residency		A jurisdiction or jurisdictions in which the PSC is resident for tax purposes
Date of Birth		Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
	day-month-year	
	6	

#### B. Alternative name forms

*One* copy should be filled out for *each* alternative name the person of significant control is known, or has been known, by.

Name type	<ul> <li>Choose from:</li> <li>"Translation" - translation of a name.</li> <li>"Former" - former name (for example, a maiden name)</li> <li>"Alias" - an alias</li> <li>"Nick" - a nickname</li> <li>"Birth" - the name of the PSC at birth</li> </ul>
Full Name	The PSC's full name
Family Name	The family name(s) of the PSC.
Given Name	The given name(s) of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.
Patronymic name	The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).

# C. PSC Notification - Legal Entity

Submission Date		The date on which this information was submitted.
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2015
Name of entity		
Legal form		Choose from: Private registered company Public registered company Limited liability partnership Other legal entity (e.g., government department) Trust Legal arrangement
Country of Registration		The country in which this legal entity is registered, if any. Legal entities that have a unique registration must provide a jurisdiction, register and identifier.
Register		The register in which this legal entity is registered.
Registration Number		The Registration number for this legal entity. E.g., a company number provided by a central business register.
Governing law		The governing law to which this legal entity is subject.
Address – registered	Building name/number	The registered address of the legal entity
	Street	

	City				
-	State				
	Count	ry			
D. Details of the	he inte	erest(s)	held		
Date this person became a <i>person with</i> <i>significant control</i>		 day-mo			Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
		day-mo	nui-yeai		
Interests held					
Shares in a com	ipany o	r interest	t in a limited liability p	partnership	
Does the PSC di or indirectly hole		Yes/No			If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.
least 5% of the shares or intere a company or lir		Percent	Percentage held <b>directly</b>		
liability partners		Percent	age held <b>indirectly</b>		
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>shar</b> <b>interest</b> in the Register and the			), jurisdiction(s), and y number(s) of legal	Share (%)	Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.
percentage of the PSC's overall in held through the	e terest				Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed.
					Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.
Voting rights in	n a com	pany or l	imited liability partner	ship	
Does the PSC di or indirectly hole	-	Yes/No			If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.
least 5% of the <b>voting</b> <b>rights</b> in a company	bany	Percent	age held <b>directly</b>		
or limited liability partnership?		Percent	age held <b>indirectly</b>		
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>voti</b> <b>rights</b> in the Reg		Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)		Voting rights (%)	If the names <b>and</b> percentages of the legal owners are the same as the <b>shares and</b> <b>interest</b> declaration, then this section can

and the percentage of the PSC's overall interest held through them.			<ul> <li>be left blank.</li> <li>Where some part of the interest is held indirectly, the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.</li> <li>Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed.</li> <li>Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.</li> </ul>
The right to appoint o	r remove a majority of the direc	tors or partners	
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold the right to <b>appoint or</b> <b>remove a majority</b> <b>of the directors or</b> <b>partners</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No		
Significant influence of	or control over a company or lir	mited partnership	
Does the PSC otherwise have the right to exercise or is actually exercising <b>significant influence</b> <b>or control</b> over a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No		
	or control whether or not the PS if it were an individual	C is a legal entity	, but would itself satisfy any of
Does the PSC have the right to exercise, or actually exercise significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm, whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an	Yes/No		Natural persons should always answer 'No'.

individual?	

#### Guidance

The forms above contain some inline guidance

Term	Definition		
Person of significant control	<ul> <li>"person with significant control" means any person:</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding at least 5% of the shares or interest in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding at least 5% of the voting rights in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding the right to appoint or remove a majority of the directors or partners in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>otherwise having the right to exercise or actually exercising significant influence or control over a company or limited liability partnership; or</li> <li>having the right to exercise, or actually exercising significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual."</li> </ul>		

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Phone Number			
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Signature		Date	

#### NOTE:

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(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

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- 3) Nigeria.

#### Notice of Change in Details or Shares of Persons with Significant Control

Pursuant to Section of 119 the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

#### CAC-PSC02

#### Change of Details or Shares of Persons with Significant Control (PSC)

#### ✓ What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of change of details of person with significant control (PSC) – Natural Person and PSC-Legal Entity

#### **X** What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to give notice of person with significant control - Natural Person or PSC -Legal Entity.

For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

#### Change of details of PSC - Natural Person

One copy should be filled out for each natural person who is a person with significant control.

Submission Date		The date on which this information was submitted.
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Oct-2020
RC Number		
Company Name		This should be the <i>current</i> legal name of the PSC.
Date of birth		Current details.
	day-month-year	This will be used to identify the details on the public record.
Title		
Full forename(s)		
Surname		
Date of change of		Please enter the date that change occurred.
details	day-month-year	Give details of all of the changes that occurred on this date. If you need to enter more than one date, please use a separate form.
Change of name		
Title		Please enter the new name
Full forename(s)		
Surname		
Change of service add	ress	

Address - service	Building name/number	The service address of the PSC
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	
Change of usual reside	ential address	
Address - home	Building name/number	You can state 'Same as service address' in this section if the usual residential address is same as the service address.
		Please complete this section if the usual residential address has changed. This address cannot be a PO Box
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	
Change of other detail	\$	
Change of country/State of residence		
Change of nationality		
Change of email		
Change of Phone number		

# B. Change of details of PSC - Legal Entity

Submission Date		The date on which this information was submitted.
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Oct-2020

Name of entity				
RC Number				
Date of change of details	day-month-year			Please enter the date that change occurred. Give details of all the
Change of name	-			
New Name			Please enter the new name of the legal entity	
Change of registered ad	ldress			
Address – registered	Building name/numbe r		The registered address of the legal entity	
	Street			
	City			
	State			
	Country			

# C. Change of the interest(s) held

Date this person became a <i>person with significant control</i>	day-month-year		Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Oct-2020
Interests held			
Shares in a company or interes	st in a limited liability partner	ship	
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.
the <b>shares or interest</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Percentage held <b>directly</b>		
partitersinp:	Percentage held indirectly		
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>shares or interest</b> in the Register and the percentage	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Share (%)	Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.

of the PSC's overall interest held through them.			Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed. Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.	
Voting rights in a company or	limited liability partnership			
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.	
the <b>voting rights</b> in a company or limited liability	Percentage held directly			
partnership?	Percentage held indirectly			
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>voting rights</b> in the Register and the percentage of the PSC's overall interest held through them.	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Voting rights (%)	If the names <b>and</b> percentages of the legal owners are the same as the <b>shares and interest</b> declaration, then this section can be left blank. Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided. Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed. Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.	
The <b>right to appoint</b> or remove	e a majority of the directors of	r partners		
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold the right to <b>appoint or remove a</b> <b>majority of the directors or</b> <b>partners</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Yes/No			
Significant influence or control over a company or limited partnership				
Does the PSC otherwise have the right to exercise or is actually exercising <b>significant influence or</b> <b>control</b> over a company or	Yes/No			

limited liability partnership?				
Significant influence or control whether or not the PSC is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual				
Does the PSC have the right to exercise, or actually exercise significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm, whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual?	Yes/No	Natural persons should always answer 'No'.		

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Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)	
Signature		Date	

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- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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#### Application for accreditation of agent/professional (CAC-MISC 01)

## MISC 01 APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION OF PROFESSIONAL/AGENT



What this form is for You may use this form to apply for Accreditation of an agent.

1. Individual details

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to apply for accreditation of insolvency practitioner. **For further information** Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

Sur Name				
Forename(s)				
Telephone num	ıber		Email	
Identity numbe	r		Identity type	
	A	ddress (prin	cipal place of busi	ness)
Number /Build	ing name:			
Street:				
City:				
Local Governn	nent			
State				
Professional membership		<ul> <li>Please the appropriate box below:</li> <li>Nigerian Bar Association</li> <li>Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nigeria</li> <li>Association of National Accountants of Nigeria</li> <li>Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators of Nigeria</li> </ul>		
Enrolment num	Enrolment number			
2. Firm				
Name of Firm				
Registration nu	ımber			
Professional membership		<ul> <li>Please the appropriate box below:</li> <li>Nigerian Bar Association</li> <li>Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nigeria</li> <li>Association of National Accountants of Nigeria</li> <li>Institute of Chartered Secretaries of Nigeria</li> </ul>		
Full names, enrolment number and signature of each partner (in the case of partnership)				
SN	Name	Enrolmen	t number	Signature
1				
2				
Names and sign	nature of representative	es		1
<u> </u>				

SN	Name			Signature	
1					
2					
Add	ress (principal place o	of business)	·		
	Number /Building name: Street:				
	City:				
	Local Government				
	State				
<b>3. Evidence of eligibility to practice for the year</b>		ice for the		Evidence of eligibility to practice should include current practicing/membership license, etc.	
Certification					
	I/We hereby certify that the foregoing particulars are to the best of my/our knowledge, information and belief, correct and I/we undertake to notify the Registrar-General whenever any change is made or occurs in any of them.				
	Date				
	Name			This form may be signed by a Principal Partner in case of a firm	
	Signature				

#### Note 1:

- I. Evidence of membership of a professional body should be attached.
- II. Evidence of eligibility to practice for the current year should be attached.
- III. Accreditation may be withdrawn by the Commission if it appears to it that the holder of the accreditation is no longer a fit and proper person to act as an agent or professional.

#### **NOTE 2:**

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(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

day the default continues.

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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Application for accreditation of insolvency practitioners (CAC-MISC 02)

# MISC 02 APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION OF INSOLVENCY PRACTITIONERS



What this for You may use thi Accreditation of practitioner	is form to apply for	<b>X</b> What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to apply for accreditation of an agent		For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng
1. Individual de	etails			
Sur Name				
Forename(s)				
Telephone numbe	er		Email	
Identity number			Identity type	
Address (princip	al place of business)		L	
Number /Building	g name:			
Street:				
City:				
Local Governmen	nt			
State				
Evidence of qualification as insolvency practitioner		<ul> <li>Please check the appropriate box below:</li> <li>□ Business Recovery and Insolvency Practitioners Association of Nigeria</li> <li>□ Any other qualification</li> </ul>		
Enrolment numbe	er			
2. Firm				
Name of Firm				
Registration num	ber			
Evidence of qualification as insolvency practitioner		<ul> <li>Please check the appropriate box below:</li> <li>Insolvency Practitioners Association of Nigeria</li> <li>Any other qualification</li> </ul>		
Full names, enrol	ment number and signa	ature of each p	partner (in the case of part	tnership)
SN	Name	Enrolment number		Signature
1				
2				
Names and signat	ture of representatives			
SN	Name			Signature
1				
2				

Address (princip	al place of business)				
	Number /Building name:				
	Street: City:				
	Local Government				
	State				
<b>3. Evidence of e</b>	<b>3. Evidence of eligibility to practice for the year</b>				
Certification	Certification				
		f, correct and I/w	e undertake to notify the	est of my/our knowledge, he Registrar-General whenever any	
	Date				
	Name			This form may be signed by a Principal Partner in case of a	
	Signature			firm	

#### Note 1:

- I. Evidence of membership of a professional body should be attached.
- II. Evidence of eligibility to practice for the current year should be attached.
- III. Accreditation may be withdrawn by the Commission if it appears to it that the holder of the accreditation is no longer a fit and proper person to act as an insolvency practitioner.

#### NOTE 2:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

## Application for creation of an electronic account (CAC-MISC 03)

# MISC 03 APPLICATION FOR CREATION OF AN ELECTRONIC ACCOUNT





What this form is for

You may use this form to apply for creation of an electronic account.

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to apply for accreditation of an agent For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Entity details	
Registration number	
Name	
Entity type	Please tick appropriate box below:
	Limited Liability Partnerships
	Limited Partnerships
	Business Names
	Incorporated Trustees
Undertaking	I/We, the undersigned being the sole director/ proprietor or majority of the directors, partners or trustees of the above named entity, hereby give notice to the Commission that the person whose particulars appear below has been authorized to administer an Electronic Account created by the Commission and any document or information submitted by him through the electronic account is deemed to have been duly authorized by me/us.

## 2. Details of the Account Administrator (Authorised Officer)

Surname		
Other Nam	ies	
		Address
Number /B	uilding name:	
Street:		
City:		
Local Gove	ernment	
State		
Country		
Mobile number		
Email		
Signature		
3. Signature of sole director/pro		oprietor or majority directors/partners/trustees
1	Surname	

	Other Name(s)	
	Mobile number	
	Email	
		Address
	Number /Building name:	
	Street:	
	City:	
	Local Government	
	State	
	Country	
2	Surname	
	Other Name(s)	
	Mobile number	
	Email	
		Address
	Number /Building name:	
	Street:	
	City:	
	Local Government	
	State	
	Country	
3	Surname	
	Other Name(s)	
	Mobile number	
	Email	
		Address
	Number /Building name:	
	Street:	
	City:	
	Local Government	
	State	
	Country	
4	Surname	
	Other Name(s)	
-	Mobile number	
	Email	
		1

	Address
Number /Building name:	
Street:	
City:	
Local Government	
State	
Country	

## Application to register a Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) (CAC/LLP 01)

Pursuant to Section 753 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC/LLP 01 APPLICATION TO REGISTER A LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP (LLP)



What this form is for You may use this form to register an LLP	<b>X</b> What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to incorporate a company	For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng
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Part 1	LLP details		
A1	LLP name		
Approved LLP name			
A2	Principal business activity	ty	
Description of Principal Activity			
Α3	Registered office address	s	
	-		TTD
	Please give the registered office	address of you	
Number/Building Name			You must ensure that the address shown in this section is easily traceable.
Street			
City/Town/Village			
Local Government			1
Postcode		LLP's	
		email	
State		Phone number	
A4	Head office address <sup>1</sup>		
Number/Building Name			<sup>1</sup> Please give the Head office address where is diferent from the Registered office address in
Street			Ensure that the address shown in this section is
City/Town/Village			easily traceable.
Local Government			
Postcode			1

State					
A5	Partner's designation <sup>2</sup>				
		Will all partners fro designated partners <sup>4</sup> □ Yes □ No	?	named v	ers' designation If 'Yes' all partners will be designated. If 'No' at least two a named must be designated.
		Contributio	ons		
SN	Name of part	ner	Capital (or Contribution other than cash) committed but yet o be contributed (state as applicable)		tion (or Contribution other than ntributed (state as applicable)
1					
2					
3					
Part 2		Proposed office	rs		
		<ul> <li>A minimum of two designated partners must be individuals. Partners that are corporate entities should nominate individuals to act as designated partners of the LLP and indicate that such persons are nominee.</li> <li>✓ For a partner who is an individual, go to Section B1.</li> <li>✓ For a corporate partner, go to Section C1.</li> <li>There must be two designated partners at all times. Unless at least two designated partners will be designated.</li> </ul>			
BI		Partner appoi			
			on to list all the partner on formation. <b>For a cor</b> C <b>1</b> .	porate	<sup>1</sup> Appointments For corporate partner appointments, please complete section Clinstead of section B.
Title					<sup>2</sup> <b>Former name(s)</b> Please provide any previous names (including maiden or
Full forenar	mes(s)				married names) which have been used for business purposes in the last 10
Surname					years.
Former nam	$ne(s)^2$				<sup>3</sup> <b>Country/State of residence</b> This is in respect of your usual residential address as stated in section B4
Gender					
Nationality					<sup>4</sup> <b>Business occupation</b> If you have a business occupation, please enter here. If you do not, please leave blank.
Country/state of residence <sup>3</sup>					<sup>5</sup> Designated partner
Occupation	4				There must be atleast two designated partners at all times.

Email		
D1 1		-
Phone number		
Identity type		
Identity number		
Designated member <sup>5</sup>	Please tick this box if the perosn is consenting to act as designated partner.	
B2	Partner's service address <sup>6</sup>	
	Please complete the service address below. You must also fill in the partner's usual residential address in Section D4.	<sup>6</sup> Service address This is the address that will appear on the public record. This does not have to
Number/building name		be your usual residential address. Please state 'The LLP's Registered Office' if your service address will be
Street		recorded in the proposed LLP's register of partners as the LLP's registered
City/town/village		office.
Local Government (where applicable)		
Postcode		
State		
Country		
B3	Partner's date of birth <sup>7</sup>	
	Please complete your full date of birth below.	<sup>7</sup> <b>Date of birth</b> Please give the full date of birth. The day (dd) will not appear on the public record.
	d d m M Y y	y Y
B4	Partner's usual residential address 8	
	Please complete your usual residential address below.	<sup>8</sup> New partner's usual residential address Please state 'Same as service
Number/building name		address' in this section if your usual residential address is recorded in the
Street		LLP's proposed register of partner's residential addresses as 'Same as service address'.
City/town/village		You cannot state 'Same as service address' if your service address has
Local Government (where applicable)		been stated in Section B2 as 'The LLP's Registered Office'. You will need to complete the address in full.
Postcode		

State		
Country		-
Date		
Signature	Signature X X I consent to be a partner of the above named LLP	
Partner	T consent to be a partner of the above named LLF	
B1	Partner appointments <sup>1</sup>	
	Please use this section to list all the partner appointments taken on formation.	<sup>1</sup> <b>Appointments</b> For corporate partner appointments,
Title		please complete section C1instead of section B. <sup>2</sup> Former name(s) Please provide any
Full forenames(s)		previous names (including maiden or married names) which have been used
Surname		for business purposes in the last 10 years.
Former name(s) <sup>2</sup>		<sup>3</sup> Country/State of residence This is in
Gender		respect of your usual residential address as stated in section B4
Nationality		<sup>4</sup> <b>Business occupation</b> If you have a business occupation, please enter here.
Country/state of residence <sup>3</sup>		If you do not, please leave blank.
Occupation <sup>4</sup>		<sup>5</sup> <b>Designated partner</b> There must be atleast two designated partners at all times.
Email		
Phone number		-
Identity type		-
Identity number		
Designated member <sup>5</sup>	Please tick this box if the perosn is consenting to act as designated member. □	
B2	Partner's service address <sup>6</sup>	<u> </u>
	Please complete the service address below. You must also fill in the partner's usual residential address in Section D4.	<sup>6</sup> Service address This is the address that will appear on the public record. This does not have to
Number/building name		be your usual residential address. Please state 'The LLP's Registered Office' if your service address will be
Street		recorded in the proposed LLP's register of partners as the LLP's registered

City/town/village		office.
Local Government (where		
applicable) Postcode		
State		
State		
Country		
B3	Partner's date of birth <sup>7</sup>	
	Please complete your full date of birth below.	<sup>7</sup> Date of birth
		Please give the full date of birth. The day (dd) will not appear on the public record.
	d d m M Y y	y Y
B4	Partner's usual residential address <sup>8</sup>	
]	Please complete your usual residential address below.	<sup>8</sup> New partner's usual residential address Please state 'Same as service
Number/building name		address' in this section if your usual residential address is recorded in the
Street		LLP's proposed register of partners' residential addresses as 'Same as service address'.
City/town/village		You cannot state 'Same as service address' if your service address has been stated in Section B2 as 'The LLP's
Local Government (where		Registered Office'. You will need to
applicable) Postcode		complete the address in full.
State		
Country		
Date		
Signature	Signature	
	X X	
C1	I consent to be a partner of the above named LLP	
	Corporate partner appointments	
	Please us this section to list all the corporate partner of the LLP.	<sup>1</sup> Registered or principal address This is the address that will appear on
Corporate body/firm name		the public record. This address must be a physical location for the delivery of documents. It cannot be a PO box
Registration number		number
Number/building number <sup>1</sup>		
Street		

City/town/village		
Local Government		
Postcode		
State		
Phone number		
Email		
Part 5	Persons with Significant Control (PSC)	

## D. PSC Notification - Natural Person

*One* copy should be filled out for *each* natural person who is a person of significant control. Details of the person with significant control

Submission Date		The date on which this information was submitted.	
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020	
Title			
First Name		This should be the <i>current</i> legal name of the PSC.	
Surname		The family names of the PSC.	
Other Name(s)		The given names of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.	
Former name(s)		The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).	
City			
State			
Nationality/nationalities		The nationalities held by the PSC	
Country of residence			
Identification number			
Identification type		Means of identification e.g. international passport, National ID card, Driver's License, Permanent Voter's Card	
Gender			

Email						
Phone number						
Address - service	Building name/number	The service address of the PSC				
	Street					
	City					
	State					
	Country					
Address – home	Building name/number The home address of the PSC (not f Individual's residential address You can state 'Same as service addre address is same as the service addre You cannot state 'Same as service addre as the Company's or LLP's Register the address in full. This address cannot be a P O Box n					
	Street					
	City					
	State					
	Country					
Tax residency			A jurisdiction or jurisdictions in which the PSC is resident for tax purposes			
Date of Birth			Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020			
day-month-year						

## E. Alternative name forms

*One* copy should be filled out for *each* alternative name the person of significant control is known, or has been known, by.

Name type	<ul> <li>Choose from:</li> <li>"Translation" - translation of a name.</li> <li>"Former" - former name (for example, a maiden name)</li> <li>"Alias" - an alias</li> <li>"Nick" - a nickname</li> <li>"Birth" - the name of the PSC at birth</li> </ul>
Full Name	The PSC's full name
Family Name	The family name(s) of the PSC.

Given Name	The given name(s) of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.
Patronymic name	The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).

# F. PSC Notification - Legal Entity

Submission Date		The date on which this information was submitted.
	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2015
Name of entity		
Legal form		<ul> <li>Choose from:</li> <li>Private registered company</li> <li>Public registered company</li> <li>Limited liability partnership</li> <li>Other legal entity (e.g., government department)</li> <li>Trust</li> <li>Legal arrangement</li> </ul>
Country of registration		The jurisdiction in which this legal entity is registered, if any. Legal entities that have a unique registration must provide a jurisdiction, register and identifier.
Register		The register in which this legal entity is registered.
RC Number		The Registration number for this legal entity. E.g., a company number provided by a central business register.
Governing law		The governing law to which this legal entity is subject.
Address - registered	Building name/number	The registered address of the legal entity
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	

# G. Details of the interest(s) held

Date this person became a <i>person with significant control</i>	day-month-year	Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020					
Interests held							
Interest in a limited liability partnership							

Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.		
the <b>interest</b> in a limited liability partnership?	Percentage held directly				
	Percentage held indirectly				
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>interest</b> in the Register and the percentage of the PSC's overall interest held through them.	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Share (%)	<ul> <li>Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b>, the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.</li> <li>Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed.</li> <li>Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.</li> </ul>		
Voting rights in a limited liab	ility partnership				
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.		
the <b>voting rights</b> in a limited liability partnership?	Percentage held <b>directly</b>				
	Percentage held indirectly				
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>voting rights</b> in the Register and the percentage of the	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Voting rights (%)	If the names <b>and</b> percentages of the legal owners are the same as the <b>interest</b> declaration, then this section can be left blank. Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of		
PSC's overall interest held through them.			the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.		
0			Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed.		
			Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.		
The <b>right to appoint</b> or remov	ve a majority of the partners	<u> </u>	L		
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold the right to <b>appoint or remove a</b> <b>majority of the partners</b> in a limited liability partnership?	Yes/No				
Significant influence or cont	rol over a limited liability par	tnership			
Does the PSC otherwise have the right to exercise or	Yes/No				

is actually exercising significant influence or control over limited liability partnership?						
Significant influence or control whether or not the PSC is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual						
Does the PSC have the right to exercise, or actually exercise significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm, whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual?	Yes/No	Natural persons should always answer 'No'.				

#### Guidance

The forms above contain some inline guidance

Term	Definition
Person of significant control	<ul> <li>"person with significant control" means any person:</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding at least 5% of the shares or interest in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding at least 5% of the voting rights in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>directly or indirectly holding the right to appoint or remove a majority of the directors or partners in a company or limited liability partnership;</li> <li>otherwise having the right to exercise or actually exercising significant influence or control over a company or limited liability partnership; or</li> <li>having the right to exercise, or actually exercising significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it were an individual."</li> </ul>

## Presented for filing by:

Name				
Address	Building			
	name/number			
	Street			
	City/town/village			
	Postcode			
	State			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Nu	ımber	
		(where applicable	e)	
Signature		Date		

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Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

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- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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## Notice of change in registered office or head office address of LLP (CAC/LLP 02)

Pursuant to Section 755 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC/LLP 02 NOTICE OF CHANGE IN REGISTERED OFFICE OR HEAD OFFICE ADDRESS



#### What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of change in registered office or head office address

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of change in principal place of business of LP

For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Limited L	iability Partr	ership (LLP) de	etails							
Registration N	lumber									
LLP name in f	full									
Date of change	e		d	d	m	m	У	У	У	У
2. New regis	tered office a	ddress		•	•		1	•		•
	Number/Bui	lding Name*								
	Street*									
	City/Town/V	'illage*								
	Local Gover	nment*								
	Postal code									
	State*									
3. New head	office addres	8 <b>S</b>								
		the appropriate								
	•	of head office add								
		f new head office	addre	SS						
	Number/Bui	lding Name*								
	Street*									
	City/Town/V	Ç								
	Local Gover	nment*								
Postal code										
State*										
4. Authentic	ation		·							
Name						This f LLP.	orm is auth	norised by	a designated partner of the	
Signature										

#### **Presented for filing by:**

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Num applicable)	ber (where	
Signature		Date		·

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#### Application of change of name of LLP (CAC/LLP 03)

Pursuant to Section 758 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020



APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME



What this form is for You may use this form to apply for change of name of an LLP

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to apply for change of name of a company For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) d	letails							
Registration Number								
LLP name in full								
Date of Application	d	d	m	m	у	У	У	У
2. New LLP name								
3. Authentication								
Name					This for LLP.	rm is auth	orised by	a designated partner of the
Signature								

#### Presented for filing by:

Name								
Address	Street							
	City area/District							
	City/Town/Village							
	Local Government							
	Postal code							
	State							
	Country							
Phone Number								
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)						
Signature		Date						

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## Notice of change in particulars of partner of LLP (CAC/LLP 04)

Pursuant to Section 764 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

a partner

## CAC/LLP 04 NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PARTICULARS OF PARTNER



What this form is for	<b>X</b> What this form is NOT for	For
You may use this form to change the particulars of	You cannot use this form to change details of a director	pleas www
	director	

For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. LLP details												
Registration Number												
LLP name in full												
2. Partner's current details on the	e regis	ster										
2A. In	2A. Individual partner for Corporate partner go to 2B											
Date of birth	d	d	m	m	У	У	У	У				
Title		•		•			•		·			
Full forename(s)												
Surname												
	2B C	Corpo	rate p	artnei	•							
Name of Corporate body/firm												
Registration number												
3. Date of change of details	3. Date of change of details       d       m       m       y       y       y         d       d       m       m       y       y       y       y         Please complete appropriate sections to indicate which of your details have changed.											
4. Change of name details Plea	ase ente											
Title												
Full forename(s)												
Surname												
Name of Corporate body/firm							Please provide new name in case of a corporate body.					
5. Change of service address												
Number/Building Name												
Street												
City/Town/Village												
Local Government (where applicable)												
Postal code												
State												
Country												
			confirr artners					ange in	the LLP's register of			

5. Change of residential addre	<b>ss</b> Please complete this section if you have change	ed your residential address			
Number/Building Name		Please state 'same as service			
Street		address' in this section if your residential address is recorded in the			
City/Town/Village		LLP's register of partners' residential addresses as 'Same as			
Local Government (where applicable)		service address'.			
Postal code					
State					
Country					
6. Change of other details					
Change of Email					
Change of telephone number					
Change of Nationality					
Correction of Gender					
Change of Country/State of residence					
Change of Business occupation					
7. Authentication					
Name		This form is authorised by a designated partner of the LLP.			
Signature		partice of the LLr.			

## Presented for filing by:

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Num applicable)	ber (where	
Signature		Date		

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## Admission of partner of LLP (CAC/LLP 05)

Pursuant to Section 764(2) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/LLP O5 ADMISSION OF PARTNER OF A LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP



What this form is for You may use this form to admit a new partner to an LLP What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to change details of a partner For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. LLP details												
Registration Number												
LLP name in full												
2. Date of becoming a partner	•											
Date of appointment	d	d	М	m	У	У	У	У				
For appointment of corporate partner go to 5												
3. New partner's details												
Title												
Full forename(s)												
Surname												
Former name(s)				Gende	r							
Country/state of residence				Phone	Numb	er						
Nationality				Email								
Identity Number				Identity Type								
Date of birth	1						1			7		
	d		D	m	m		У	У	У	у		
Business occupation (if any)												
Appointment type				appropr	iate bo	ox bel	ow:					
		Desig Limit										
<b>4. New Partner's service address</b> residential address in Section 4a.	s Ple	ease co	omplet	e your s	ervice	addre	ess belo	w. You	must also	o comple	te your	
Number/Building Name											l appear on	
street										d. This doe sidential a	es not have to ddress.	
City/Town/Village										e LLP's Re	-	
Local Government (where								Office' if your service address is recorded in the LLP's register of				
applicable) Postal code								partners as the LLP's registered office. If you provide your residential address				
State											ublic record.	
Country								-				
								1				

4a. New Partner's residential address Please complete your residential address below.

Number/Building Name		lease state 'Same as service address' in this
Street		ection if your usual residential address is corded in the LLP's register of partner's
City/Town/Village		sidential addresses as 'Same as service Idress'. You cannot state 'Same as service
Local Government (where	ad	ddress' if your service address has been
applicable)		ated in Section 4 as 'The LLP's Registered
Postal code		ffice'. You will need to complete the dress in full.
State		latess in fun.
Country		
5. New Corporate Partn	er's details	
Name of corporate body/firm		
Registration number		
Appointment type	Please tick the appropriate box below:	
	□ Designated	
	□ Limited	
6. New Corporate Partn	er's address	
Number/Building Name		
street		
City/Town/Village		
Local Government (where		
applicable) Postal code		
Postal code		
State		
7. Authentication		
Name		This form is authourised by a designated partner of the LLP.
Signature		
Presented for fili	a hu	

#### Presented for filing by:

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Number ( applicable)	where	
Signature		Date		

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## Cessation of partner of an LLP (CAC/LLP 06)

Pursuant to Section 764 (2) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## **CAC/LLP 06** NOTICE OF CESSATION OF PARTNER OF A LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP



What this form is for You may use this form to file a notice that a person (individual or corporate) has ceased to be a partner of an LLP								r inforn our guida .ng	
1. LLP details									
Registration Number									
LLP name in full									
2. Partner's current details on the r	egister								
]	Individu	ial Parti	ner						
Title									
Full forename(s)									
Surname									
Former name(s)									
Nationality									
Date of birth	d	d	m	m	у	у	у	у	]
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	Corpo	orate Pa	rtner						
Name of Corporate body/firm									
Registration number									
<b>3. Cessation Date</b> (date ceases to be particular of the particula	artner)								
Date of cessation	d	d	m	m	17	<b>N</b> 7	T.	17	]
	u	u	m	m	У	у	У	У	
<ol> <li>A person may cease to be a partner of a limited liability partnership in accordance with an agreement with the other partners or, in the absence of agreement with the other partners as to cessation of being a partner, by giving a notice in writing of at least 30 days to the other partners of his intention to resign as partner.</li> <li>A person shall cease to be a partner of a limited liability partnership —         <ul> <li>(a) on his death or dissolution of the limited liability partnership; or</li> <li>(b) if he is declared to be of unsound mind by a competent court; or</li> <li>(c) if he has applied to be adjudged or declared as an insolvent.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>									
4. Authentication									
Name									authourised by a artner of the LLP.
Signature									

#### Presented for filing by:

Name*			
Accreditation Number (where applicable)			
Address	Number/Building Name*		
	Street*		
	City/Town/Village*		
	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
	Country*		
Phone Number*			
Email*			
Signature*		Date*	

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#### Annual return of LLP (CAC/LLP 07)

Pursuant to Section 733 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC/LLP 07 ANNUAL RETURN OF LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP





What this form is for You may use this form to file Annual Return of Limited liability partnership What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to file annual return of Limited Partnership

For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

**Registration Number** LLP name in full General Nature of Business 2. Registered office address Number/Building Name\* Street\* City/Town/Village\* Local Government\* Postal code State\* 3. Head office Address (if any) Number/Building Name\* Street\* City/Town/Village\* Local Government\* Postal code State\*

#### 4. Annual Return details

Date of financial year end	d	d	m	m	у	У	У	У		
Annual Return for the year end	led					Financial Year End/Accounting				
								Year End		
Turnover <del>N</del>								Total Net Assets N		

5. Particulars of P	artners												 
Surname													 
Forename(s)				Designation									 
Nationality				Date of birth	D	D	m	m	У	у	У	Y	 
Gender				Telephone number									 
Identity Number				Identity Type									 
Email				Occupation									 
	Reside	ential Address											 
	Numbe	er/Building											 
	Name* Street*												
	Citv/T	own/Village*											
	-	Government*											
	Postal												
	State*												
	Servic	e Address											 
	Numbe	er/Building											 
	Name*	:											
	Street*												
	City/T	own/Village*											
	Local	Government*											
	Postal	code											
	State*												
	Signat	ure			Date								 
Surname													 
Forename(s)													 
Nationality				Date of birth	D	D	m	m	У	у	у	Y	 
Gender			Telephone number								L	 	
Identity Number			Identity Type									 	
Email			Occupation									 	
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	City/T	own/Village*											

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Postal code			
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Service Address			
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City/Town/Village*			
Local Government*			
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## 8. Persons with Significant Control (PSC) - Natural Person

A. Details of the person with significant control

Submission Date	day-month-year	The date on which this information was submitted. Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
Title		
First Name		This should be the current legal name of the PSC.
Surname		The family names of the PSC.

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Other Name(s)			The given names of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.
Former name(s)			The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).
City			
State			
Nationality/nationalities			The nationalities held by the PSC
Country of residence			
Identification number			
Identification type			Means of identification e.g. international passport, National ID card, Driver's License, Permanent Voter's Card
Gender			
Email			
Phone number			
Address (service)	Building name/number		The service address of the PSC
	Street		
	City		
	State		
	Country		
Address (home)	Building name/number	Individual's residen You can state 'Sam address is same as t You cannot state 'S as the Company's R in full.	e as service address' in this section if the usual residential
	Street		

	City		
	State		
	Country		
Tax residency			A jurisdiction or jurisdictions in which the PSC is resident for tax purposes
Date of Birth			Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
	day-month-year		

#### B. Alternative name forms

One copy should be filled out for *each* alternative name the person of significant control is known, or has been known, by.

Name type	<ul> <li>Choose from:</li> <li>"Former" - former name (for example, a maiden name)</li> <li>"Alias" - an alias</li> <li>"Nick" - a nickname</li> <li>"Birth" - the name of the PSC at birth</li> </ul>
Full Name	The PSC's full name
Family Name	The family name(s) of the PSC.
Given Name	The given name(s) of the PSC used to distinguish the individual within the family.
Patronymic name	The patronymic name of the PSC (where used).

## C. PSC Notification - Legal Entity

Submission Date	day-month-year	The date on which this information was submitted. Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020	
Name of entity			
Legal form		Choose from: Private registered company Public registered company Limited liability partnership Other legal entity (e.g. government department) Trust Legal arrangement	
Jurisdiction		The jurisdiction in which this legal entity is registered, if any legal entities that have a unique registration must provide a jurisdiction, register and identifier.	

Register		The register in which this legal entity is registered.
RC Number		The Registration number for this legal entity.
		E.g., a company number provided by a central business register.
Governing law		The governing law to which this legal entity is subject.
Address – registered	Building name/number	The registered address of the legal entity
	Street	
	City	
	State	
	Country	

D. Details of the interest(s) held

Date this person became a <i>person</i> with significant control			Input the month as abbreviated text e.g., 30-Jan-2020
	day-month-year		
Interests held			
Interest in a limited liability partners	hip		
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of the <b>interest</b> in a	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.
limited liability partnership?	Percentage held <b>directly</b>		
	Percentage held indirectly		
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>interest</b> in the Register and the percentage of the PSC's overall interest held through them.	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Share (%)	Where some part of the interest is held indirectly, the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.
			Where the PSC holds the interest through a combination of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed.
			Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be

			provided.				
			provided.				
Voting rights in a limited liability partnership							
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold at least 5% of the <b>voting</b>	Yes/No		If 'Yes', state the percentage held directly and indirectly.				
<b>rights</b> in a company or limited liability partnership?	Percentage held <b>directly</b>						
	Percentage held indirectly						
Name of legal owner(s) of <b>voting</b> <b>rights</b> in the Register and the percentage of the PSC's overall interest held through them.	Name(s), jurisdiction(s), and company number(s) of legal owner(s)	Voting rights (%)	If the names <b>and</b> percentages of the legal owners are the same as the <b>interest</b> declaration, then this section can be left blank. Where some part of the interest is held <b>indirectly</b> , the name of the legal owner through which this interest is held should be provided.				
			Where the PSC holds the interest through a <i>combination</i> of legal owners in the Register, all relevant legal owners should be listed.				
			Where the legal owner is a natural person, the name should be as it appears on the Register. Where the legal owner is an entity, the company number and jurisdiction should also be provided.				
The <b>right to appoint</b> or remove a ma	jority of the partners						
Does the PSC directly or indirectly hold the right to <b>appoint or remove</b> <b>a majority of the partners</b> in a limited liability partnership?	Yes/No						
Significant influence or control ove	r a limited partnership						
Does the PSC otherwise have the right to exercise or is actually exercising <b>significant influence or</b> <b>control</b> over a limited liability partnership?	Yes/No						
Significant influence or control who were an individual	ether or not the PSC is a legal of	entity, but would	l itself satisfy any of the first four conditions if it				
Does the PSC have the right to exercise, or actually exercise significant influence or control over the activities of a trust or firm, whether or not it is a legal entity, but would itself satisfy any of the	Yes/No		Natural persons should always answer 'No'.				

first four conditions if it were an individual?	

#### Authentication

Name	This form is authorised by a designated partner of the LLP.
Signature	

#### Presented for filing by:

Name			
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
	State		
	Country		
Phone Number			
Email		Accreditation Number (wapplicable)	vhere
Signature		Date	

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## Application to register Limited Partnership (LP) (CAC/LP 01)

Pursuant to Section 798 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC/LP 01 APPLICATION TO REGISTER A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP (LP)



<b>What this form is for</b> You may use this form to incorporate an LP	What this form is NOT for	For further information please refer to our guidance at <u>www.cac.gov.ng</u>		
	You cannot use this form to incorporate a Business Name			
Part 1	LP details			
A1	LP details			
Approved LP Name				
Name ending	LP/Limited Partnership			
A2	General Nature of business			
	Please give a brief description of the	e LP's business activities below:		
Description of Principal Activity				
A3	Principal Place of Business			
	Please give the principal place of bu	isiness		
Number/Building Name		You must ensure that the address shown in this section is easily traceable.		
Street		cashy fraccable.		
City/Town/Village				
Local Government				
Postcode				
State				
A4	Address of Branch (if any)			
Number/Building Name				
Street				
City/Town/Village				
Local Government				

Postcode								
State								
Part 2	Part	ners						
	For a	partne	r who is	an inc	general p lividual, to Sectio	go to Se		mited partner. 1.
B1	Parti partne		details	pleas	e use this	s section	to list a	ll the individual
Surname		10						
First name								
Other name(s)								
Former name(s)								
Nationality								
Former nationality								
Gender								
Date of birth	d	d	m	m y		У	У	Y
Phone number							1	
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Identity Number								
Identity Type								
Occupation								
Partner's status	approj below	e tick th priate b 7: mited p	oox					
	□ Ge	eneral p	artner					
-B2	Part	ner's	usual	reside	ential a	ddress		
Number/Building Name								
Street								
City/Town/Village								

Local Government								
Postcode								
State								
·B3	Par	tner's	servic	e addres	SS			
	Pleas	se comp l reside	olete the ntial add	service ac ress in se	ddress ction E	below. ` 32.	You mu	st fill the partner's
Number/Building Name								
Street								
City/Town/Village								
Local Government								
Postcode								
State								
<b>Signature</b> (I consent to be a partner of the above named LP)								
Date								
B1	Par partn		details	please u	se this	section	to list a	ll the individual
Surname								
First name								
Other name(s)								
Former name(s)								
Nationality								
Former nationality								
Gender								
Date of birth	d	d	m	n y		У	У	Y
Phone number								1
Email								Recent Passport
Identity Number								Photograph
Identity Type								
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Occupation								
Partner's status	Please tick the appropriate box below: □ Limited partner □ General partner							
B2	Partner's usual res	sidential address						
Number/Building Name								
Street								
City/Town/Village								
Local Government								
Postcode								
State								
B3	Partner's service a	address						
	Please complete the service address below. You must fill the partner's usual residential address in section B2.							
Number/Building Name								
Street								
City/Town/Village								
Local Government								
Postcode								
State								
Signature	I consent to be a partne	er of the above named LP						
Date								
C1	Corporate Partner	r's details						
	Please use this section	to fill all corporate partners of the LP						
Corporate body/Firm Name								
Registration Number								
	Service address of the	e corporate partner						
Number/Building Name								

Street											
City/Town	/Village										
Local Gov	ernment										
Postcode											
State											
Partner's s	tatus	□ Limited partner	Please tick the appropriate box below:     □ Limited partner								
Signatur	·e	General partner The above corporate b LP	ody consent to be a partner of the above named								
Name of	the authorized person										
Email											
Phone Nur	nber										
Date											
Part 3		Contribution	Contribution								
		Please give the name, a partner	amount contributed and signature of each limited								
SN	Name of Partner	Capital (or Contribution other than cash) committed but yet o be contributed (state as applicable)	Contribution (or Contribution other than Cash) contributed (state as applicable)								
1											
2											
		Please give the name, a partner	amount contributed and signature of each general								
SN	Name of Partner	Capital (or Contribution other than cash) committed but yet o be contributed (state as applicable)	Contribution (or Contribution other than Cash) contributed (state as applicable)								
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	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

#### Notes 1:

- 1. A copy of recognized and valid photo identification (Data Page of International Passport, Driver's license, National Identity Card, Voter's Card or Birth Certificate (in case of a minor)) must be submitted for every individual Partner.
- 2. Minors can be Partners provided there are at least two Partners.
- 3. This application should be accompanied by a Partnership Agreement stating the term(s), if any, for which the partnership is entered into.
- 4. Any of the first Partners can prepare and present the incorporation documents directly to the Commission for processing.
- 5. If there is insufficient space on the form to provide any information required, please attach a separate sheet containing the information set out in the prescribed form.

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Notice of change in principal place of business or branch address (CAC/LP 02)

Pursuant to Section 800 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/LP/2 **NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OR BRANCH ADDRESS**



What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of change in principal place of business or branch

#### Х What this form is

**NOT** for You cannot use this form to give notice of change in particulars of

For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

			limite	ed partners	ship					
1. Limited P	artnership de	etails								
Registration N	umber									
Limited Partne	ership name in t	full								
Date of change	e		d	d	m	m	У	у	У	У
2. New princ	pipal place of	business								
	Number/Buil	ding Name*								
	Street*									
	City/Town/V	illage*								
	Local Govern	nment*								
	Postal code									
	State*									
3. New bran	ch address									
	Please tick	the appropriate	e box k	pelow:						
	□ Change o	f branch address	s; or							
	□ Notice of	new branch add	lress							
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	State*									
4. Authentic	ation									
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### Change of name of an LP (CAC/LP 03)

Pursuant to Section 800 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020	CAC/LP 0 NOTICE OF OF LIMITEI	CH				ME	of of the second of the second	EFAIRS CO CAC 05		
What this form is for You may use this form to give notice of change in name of limited partnership			What t		For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng					
in name of i	ninted partnership	notice of change in particulars of limited partnership								
1. Limited P	Partnership details									
Registration N	Number									
Limited Partn	ership name in full									
Date of chang	ge	d	d	m	m	у	У	У	У	
2. New Nam	e									
Name										
3. Authentic	cation									
Name							form is author al partner of			
Signature										

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	City area/District								
	City/Town/Village								
	Local Government								
	Postal code								
	State								
	Country								
Phone Number									
Email		Accreditation Num applicable)							
Signature		Date							

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## Annual return of LP (CAC/LP 04)

Pursuant to Sections 773 and 807 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

What this form is for

## CAC/LP 04 ANNUAL RETURN OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP



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You may use this form to file Annual Return of Limited partnership

What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to file annual return of Limited Liability Partnership For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

		Partne	rship			
1. Limited Part	nership details					
Registration Nur						
Limited Partners	-					
General Nature of	of Business					
2. Principal place	ce of business					
	Number/Building Name*					
	Street*					
	City/Town/Village*					
	Local Government*					
	Postal code					
	State*					
3. Branch Addr	ess (if any)					
	Number/Building Name*					
	Street*					
	City/Town/Village*					
	Local Government*					
	Postal code					
	State*					
4. Annual Retu	rn details					
Annual Return for the year ended		Financial Year End/Accounting Year End				
Turnover <del>N</del>	urnover <del>N</del>		Total Net Assets <del>N</del>			

5. Particulars of Partners		
Surname		
Forename(s)	Designation	

Nationality				Date of birth	]	$\mathbb{D}$	$\mathbb{D}$	m	m	У	у	У	у			
Gender				Telephone number				•		•				 		
Identity Number				Identity Type										 		
Email				Occupation										 		
	Reside	ential Address												 		
	Numbe	er/Building												 		
	Name* Street*				_											
		own/Village*														
	Local Government*															
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	Local Government*															
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Surname								I						 		
Forename(s)														 		
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Gender				Telephone number				•		•	-	•	•	 		
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Email				Occupation										 		
	Reside	ential Address												 		
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	Street*															
	City/Town/Village*															
	Local Government*															
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	State*				1											
	Service Address													 		

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	Number/Building		
	Name*		
	Street*		
	City/Town/Village*		
	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
	Signature	Date	
6. Particulars of	Corporate Partner (if any)		
Name of corporat	te body		
Registration num	ber		
Address			
	Number/Building		
	Name*		
	Street*		
	City/Town/Village*		
	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
It is hereby certif	ied that the information disclosed above	represent the true and correct	ct state of affairs of the above
	ame as at the date of this return.		

### 7. Authentication

Name

Signature

This form is authorised by a general partner of the LP.

Note that financial statement for the year of return should be attached to this return.

## Presented for filing by:

Name*			
Accreditation Number (where applicable)			
Address	Number/Building		
	Name*		
	Street*		
	City/Town/Village*		
	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
	Country*		
Phone Number*			
Email*			
Signature*		Date*	

All asterisked fields on the form are mandatory.

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

## Notice of change/correction in particulars of partner of an LP (CAC/LP 05)

Pursuant to Section 800 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/LP 05 NOTICE OF CHANGE/CORRECTION IN PARTICULARS OF PARTNER OF A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP



What this form is for You may use this form to give notic

You may use this form to give notice of correction or change in particulars of a partner

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of addition or removal of a partner For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Limited Partne	rship details								
Registration Number	r								
Limited Partnership	name								
Date of change/corre	ection	d	d	m	m	У	У	У	у
2. Partner's detai	ls								1
Name of partner									
Partner's date of bi	irth	d	d	m	m	У	У	У	У
	Please tick the appropriate	box be	low and s	pecify	the ne	eeded o	correc	tion or	r change
 	Correction/change type		ease provi						
a.	□ Change of email							_	
b.	□ Change of telephone number								
с.	□ Occupation								
d.	□ Signature								
e.	□ Correction of gender								
f.	□ Partner's name	Tit	ile						
		Su	rname						
		Fo	rename(s)						
g.	□ Correction of date of birth	d	d	m	m	у	У	у	у
h.	□ Residential address	Na	umber/Bu ume*	ilding					
			reet*						
		Ci	ty/Town/	Village	*				
		Lo	cal Gove	rnment	t*				

		Postal code	
		State*	
i.	□ Service address	Number/Building Name*Street*City/Town/Village*Local Government*	
		Postal code	
		State*	
3. authentication	n		
Name			This form is authorised by a Partner, or any authorised officer of the LP.
Description			

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Num applicable)	ber (where	
Signature		Date		

### NOTE:

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(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
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### Notice of change in object(s) of an LP (CAC/LP 06)

Pursuant to Section 800 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## **CAC/LP 06** NOTICE OF CHANGE IN OBJECTS OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP



What this form is for You may use this form to give n of change in business object of limited partnership	notice <b>X</b> What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of change in particulars of a partner	For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng
1. Limited Partnership de	tails	
Registration Number		
Limited Partnership name		
2. Business object details		
New object(s)		
3. Authentication		
Name		This form is authorised by a Partner, or any authorised
Description		officer of the LP.

### Presented for filing by:

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)		
Signature		Date		

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in 2) any other case. Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in
- 3) Nigeria.

Notice of cessation of an LP (CAC/LP 07)

Pursuant to Section 806(3) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/LP 07

## NOTICE OF CESSATION OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP



#### What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of Cessation of Limited Partnership

# X What this form is NOT for

You cannot use this form to give notice of change in particulars of a partner

## For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Limited Partnership details **Registration Number** Limited Partnership name in full 2. Cessation details Date of Application d m m y y y d d m m Date of cessation у y у y 3. Authentication This form is authorised by a Partner, or any Name authorised officer of the LP. Description

### **Presented for filing by:**

Street			
City area/District			
City/Town/Village			
Local Government			
Postal code			
State			
Country			
	Accreditation Nur applicable)	nber (where	
	Date		
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#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

 A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.

Application to register Business Name (CAC/BN 01)

Pursuant to Section 814 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/BN 01 APPLICATION TO REGISTER BUSINESS NAME



You may use this for business name or firm	rm to register a	<b>for</b> You ca	What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to incorporate a Limited Partnership						r <b>information</b> our guidance at g	
Part 1		Busi	ness N	ame/F	irm d	etails				
A1		Busir	ness Na	me deta	uils					
Name										
Date of commencement	ent of business	d	d	m	m	У	Y	У	У	
A2		Gene	ral Natı	are of b	usiness		1	1		
	•	Please	e state th	e princi	pal activ	vity or a	ctivitie	S		
Principal activity des	cription									
A3		Principal Place of Business								
		Please	e give th	e princij	pal place	e of bus	iness			
Number/Building Na	me								must ensure that	
Street							the address shown in this section is easily traceable.			
City/Town/Willogo										
City/Town/Village										
Local Government										
Postcode										
State										
State										
A4		Addr	ess of 1	Branch	(if any)					
Number/Building Na	me									
Street										
City/Town/Village										

Local Government								
Postcode								
State								
Part 2	Prop	rietor/	Partn	ers				
								o Section B1.
B1	<ul> <li>For a corporate proprietor or partner, go to Section C1.</li> <li>Proprietor's details please use this section to list all the individual partners or sole proprietor.</li> <li>Note: A sole prorietor cannot be substituted.</li> </ul>							
Surname								
First name								
Other name(s)								
Former name(s)								
Nationality								
Former nationality								
Gender								
Date of birth	d	d	m	m	У	Y	У	У
Phone number			1	1				
Email								
Identity Number								
Identity Type								
Occupation								
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B2	Prop	rietor'	's usua	l resid	lential			
Number/Building Name								
Street								
City/Town/Village								
Local Government								
Postcode								

State									
B3		Prop	rietor	's serv	ice ado	dress			
		Please complete the service address below. You must fill the partiusual residential address in section B2.							
Number/Building Nat	me								
Street									
City/Town/Village									
Local Government									
Postcode									
State									
Signature									
Date									
B4		Parti partne		letails	please u	ise this	section	to list al	l the individual
Surname									
First name									
Other name(s)									
Former name(s)									
Nationality									
Former nationality									
Gender									
Date of birth		d	d	m	m	У	Y	У	У
Phone number					I		//////		, /////////
Email									
Identity Number						1			
Identity Type						-			
Occupation						1	Recent ]	Passpor	rt Photograph
B5		Parti	ner's u	isual r	esiden		ddress	_	

Number/Building Na	ime	
Street		
City/Town/Village		
Local Government		
Postcode		
State		
B6		Partner's service address
		Please complete the service address below. You must fill the partner's usual residential address in section B2.
Number/Building Na	me	
Street		
City/Town/Village		
Local Government		
Postcode		
State		
Signature		
Date		
C1		Corporate Partner's details
		Please use this section to fill all corporate partners of the Buinsess Name
Corporate body/firm	Name	
Registration Number		
		Service address of the corporate partner
Number/Building Na	ime	
Street		
City/Town/Village		
Local Government		
Postcode		

State	
Signature	
Signature	
Name of the authorized person	
Name of the authorized person	
Email	
Lindii	
Phone Number	
Date	
Date	

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Number (where		
		applicable)		
Signature		Date		

#### Note 1:

- 1. A copy of recognized and valid photo identification (Data Page of International Passport, Driver's license, National Identity Card, Voter's Card) must be submitted for every individual Partner.
- 2. A Proprietor or any of the first Partners can prepare and present the incorporation documents directly to the Commission for processing.
- 3. If there is insufficient space on the form to provide any information required, please attach a separate sheet containing the information set out in the prescribed form.
- 4. All asterisked fields on the form are mandatory.

#### NOTE 2:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

# Notice of change in principal place of business or branch address of Business Name (CAC/BN 02)

Pursuant to Section 818 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/BN 02 NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OR BRANCH ADDRESS



## What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of change in principal place of business or branch

What this form is NOT for

For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

You cannot use this form to give notice of change in particulars of proprietor or partner

## 1. Business Name details

Registration Number								
Business name in full								
Date of change	d	d	m	m	у	у	У	у

## 2. New principal place of business

•	
Number/Building Name*	
Street*	
City/Town/Village*	
Local Government*	
Postal code	
State*	

### 3. New branch address

	Please tick	the appropriate	box below:		
	$\Box$ Change of branch address; or				
	$\Box$ Notice of	f new branch addre	ess		
	Number/Bui	lding Name*			
	Street*				
	City/Town/V	/illage*			
	Local Gover	nment*			
	Postal code				
	State*				
4. Attestation	·	-	ed, being proprietor or authorized signatory of the above named ereby certify that the forgoing particulars are, to the best of my		

	knowledge and belief, correct and I undertake to notify the Registrar-General of the Commission whenever any changes are made or occurs in any of them other than the age of the partners.				
5. Authentication					
Name		This form is authorised by a proprietor,			
Description		partner or any authorised person.			

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Num applicable)	ber (where	
Signature		Date		

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

 Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

#### **Change of name of Business Name**

Pursuant to
Section 818 of
the Companies
and Allied
Matters Act,
2020

of change

CAC/BN 03 **CHANGE OF NAME** 



What this form is for You may use this form to give notice

in name of business name

## What this form is NOT

for You cannot use this form to give notice of change in particulars of business name

For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Business Name details	
Registration Number	
Business name in full	

Date of change		d	d	m	m	У	У	У	У
2. New Name									
Name									
<ul><li>3. Attestation</li><li>4. Authentication</li></ul>	I, the undersigned, being proprietor or authorized signatory of the above named business name hereby certify that the forgoing particulars are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct and I undertake to notify the Registrar-General of the Commission whenever any changes are made or occurs in any of them other than the age of the partners.								
Name						Th	is thorised	form l by	is a
Description						pro	oprietor	, partn rised pe	er or

### Presented for filing by:

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Num	ber (where	
		applicable)		
Signature		Date		

#### NOTE:

Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

Subject to the provisions of subsections (2) and (3), if any person in any return, report, certificate, balance sheet, or other 1) document required by, or for the purpose of any of the provisions of this Act, wilfully makes a statement which is false in any material particular knowing it to be false, he commits an offence and is liable -

(a) on conviction to imprisonment for a term of two years; and

(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

## Notice of change in object(s) of Business Name (CAC/BN 04)

Pursuant to Section 818 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/BN 04 NOTICE OF CHANGE IN OBJECTS OF BUSINESS NAMES



What this form is for

You may use this form to give notice of change in objects of Business Name from the Register

## for

X What this form is NOT

For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

You cannot use this form to give notice of change in particulars of proprietor or partner

1. Business Name det	ails	· · · ·		
Registration Number				
Business name in full				
2. Business object det	ails			
New object(s)				
2 Attostation	L the undersign	and haing propriator or authorized signatory of the above		
3. Attestation	I, the undersigned, being proprietor or authorized signatory of the above named business name hereby certify that the forgoing particulars are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct and I undertake to notify the Registrar-General of the Commission whenever any changes are made or occurs in any of them other than the age of the partners.			
4. Authentication				
Name		This form is authorised by a		
Email		proprietor, partner or any authorised person.		

### Presented for filing by:

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Numl applicable)	per (where	
Signature		Date		

## Notice of change/correction in particulars of proprietor/partner (CAC/BN 05)

Pursuant to Section 818 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/BN 05 NOTICE OF CHANGE/CORRECTION IN PARTICULARS OF PROPRIETOR



What this form is for You may use this form to give notice of correction or change in particulars of a proprietor or partner What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to give notice of addition or removal of proprietor or partner For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

or partner		part	ner								
1. Business Nam	e details										
Registration Numb	er										
Business name in f	ull										
Date of change/cor	rection	d	d		m	m	У	У	У	у	
2. Proprietor's/p	artner's details										
Name of propriate	or/partner										
Propriator's/partn	er's date of birth	d	d		m	m	У	у	У	У	
	Please tick the appropriate	box	below	and sp	pecify	the ne	eeded	correc	tion or	· change	
	Correction/change type		Please	provic	le the	correc	ction o	r chan	ge		
a.	□ Change of email										
b.	□ Change of telephone number										
с.	□ Occupation										
d.	□ Signature										
e.	□ Correction of gender										
f.	□ Propriator's/partner's		Title								
	name		Surnan	ne							
			Forena	me(s)							
g.	□ Correction of date of birth		d	d	m	m	у	у	У	У	
h.	□ Residential address		Numb Name'	k	lding						
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			City/T	own/V	'illage	*					
			Local	Govern	nment	*					
		-	Postal	code							
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			State*	
i.	□ Service address		Number/Building Name*	
			Street*	
			City/Town/Village*	
			Local Government*	
			Postal code	
			State*	
3. Attestation		business name here knowledge and beli	by certify that the forgoin ief, correct and I undertake nenever any changes are m	ized signatory of the above named g particulars are, to the best of my e to notify the Registrar-General of ade or occurs in any of them other
4. Authentication	n			
Name				This form is authorised by a proprietor, partner or any authorised
description				person.

Name				
Address	Street			
	City area/District			
	City/Town/Village			
	Local Government			
	Postal code			
	State			
	Country			
Phone Number				
Email		Accreditation Num	ber (where	
		applicable)		
Signature		Date		

NOTE: Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 Section 862.

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### Annual return of Business Name (CAC/BN 06)

Pursuant to Section 822 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020



## ANNUAL RETURN OF BUSINESS NAMES



What this form is for You may use this form to file Annual Return for Business Name

Postal code

State\*

What this form is NOT

**for** You cannot use this form to give notice of change in particulars of proprietor or partner For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1.	Business	Name	details	

Registration Nun	nber
Business name in	ı full
General Nature of	of Business
2. Principal plac	ce of business
	Number/Building Name*
	Street*
	City/Town/Village*
	Local Government*

### 3. Branch Address (if any)

	Number/Building Name*		
	Street*		
	City/Town/Village*		
	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
4. Annual Retur	n details		
Annual Return for the year ended		Financial Year End/Accounting Year End	
Turnover <del>N</del>		Total Net Assets <del>N</del>	

5. Particulars of Proprietor/Partners	

Surname													
Forename(s)													
Nationality			Date of birth	]	$\mathbb{D}$	$\mathbb{D}$	m	m	у	у	у	у	
Gender			Telephone number						<u> </u>				
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		Government*											
	Postal												
	State*	code											
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	Street*												
	City/T	own/Village*											
	Local	Government*											
	Postal	code											
	State*												
	Signat	ure		Da	ate								
Surname													
Forename(s)													
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	Number/Buildi Name*	ng			
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	City/Town/Vill	age*			
	Local Governm	nent*			
	Postal code				
	State*				
	Signature			Date	
6. Particulars of <b>C</b>	Corporate Partne	er (if any)			
Name of corporate	body				
Registration number	er				
Address		•			
	Number/Buildi Name*	ng			
	Street*				
	City/Town/Vill	age*			
	Local Governm	nent*			
	Postal code				
	State*				
It is hereby certifie stated business nan			d above represent the	e true and cor	rect state of affairs of the above
7. Authentication					
Name				Т	his form is authorised by a

Name	This form is authorised by
Email	authorised person.

Note that financial statement for the year of return should be attached to this return.

## Presented for filing by:

Name*	
Accreditation Number (where applicable)	
Address	Number/Building Name*
	Street* City/Town/Village*
	Local Government*
	Postal code
	State*
	Country*
Phone Number*	
Email*	

Signature	Signature*		Date*	
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All asterisked fields on the form are mandatory.

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(b) in the case of a company, to fine as the Court deems fit for every

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Application to register Incorporated Trustee (CAC/IT 01)

Pursuant to Section 823 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

## CAC/IT 01 INCORPORATED TRUSTEES APPLICATION FORM



What this form is for You may use this form to register Incorporated Trustees X What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to file merger for Associations

For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

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Surname																	
Forename(s)																	
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	State*				
	Signature		Date		
Part 5	Secretary	y's details			
C1	Personal details of Se				
Surname					
Other name(s)					
C2	Service Address				
	Number/Building				
	Name*				
	Street*				
	City/Town/Village*				
	Local Government*				
	Postal code				
	State*				
	Email		Phone		
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Part 6.	Impressi	on of common seal (if	any)		
Enclosures:	Please tick	the checkbox below:			
				ng whereat the trustees appoint	nted and
		use rule adopted for inco			

□ Details of current or past affiliation with any existing organization/association	
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Name of chairman	
Email	Telephone number
Signature	Date
Name of Secretary	
Email	Telephone number
Signature	Date

If there is insufficient space on the form to provide any information required, please attach a separate sheet containing the information set out in the prescribed form.

## Presented for filing by:

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Address	Street	
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	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

NOTE:

# Change of name of Incorporated Trustees (CAC/IT 2)

Pursuant to Section 832 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# CAC/IT 2 CHANGE OF NAME OF INCORPORATED TRUSTEES



What this form is for
You may use this form to apply for
Incorporated Trustee change of name

Incorporated Trustee change of name

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to file merger for Associations For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

#### **1. Incorporated Trustees details**

Name of Asso	ociati	on							
Registration number									
Classification	-								
2. New nam	e								
3. Publication	3. Publication details								
	Ne	wspaper	SN	Name of the Newspaper			Page No.	Date	
			1						
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<b>Checklis</b>	st								
		copy of	the m	inutes of me	eting approving	the chan	ige and d	luly certified by the trustees.	
Evidence of newspaper publication									
Copy of notice displayed in headquarters and branch(es)					(es)				
4. Authentio	catio	n							
Name								This form is authorised by a	
Description								trustee, secretary or any authorised person of the association.	

#### Presented for filing by:

Name		
Address	Street	
	City area/District	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where
		applicable)
Signature		Date

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Replacement/appointment and change in particulars of trustee (CAC/IT 03)

Pursuant to Section 834 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

CAC/IT 03

# **REPLACEMENT/APPOINTMENT AND CHANGE IN PARTICULARS OF A TRUSTEE**



What this form is for You may use this form to appoint a trustee	for You cannot use this form to appoint a						infor Please	For further information Please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng		
1. Incorporated Trustee details										
Registration Number										
Incorporated Trustee Name										
	For appointment of a trustee go to 2, to give notice of a trustee who ceases to hold office go to 5 and to change/correct particulars of a trustee go to 6							tee		
2. Date of Trustee's appointment										
Date of appointment	D	D	m	m	У	у	У	У		
3. New Trustees's details					<u> </u>					
Title										
Full forename(s)										
Surname							Re	ecent	passpor	t
Former name(s)			Gende	er			Ph	otog	raph	
Country/state of residence			Phone Numb							
Nationality			Email							
Identity Number			Identi Type	ty						
Date of birth	D	D	m	m	У	r	У	у	У	
Business occupation (if any)									<u> </u>	
<b>4. New Trustee's service address</b> Placeter your residential address in Sector		nplete	your se	rvice a	ddres	s belo	ow. Yo	u must	t also	

Number/Building Name	This is the address that will appear on the public record. This does not have to
street	be your usual residential address.
City/Town/Village	
Local Government (where applicable)	
Postal code	
State	

Country										
4a. New trustee's resid	ential a	addr	ess Ple	ase com	plete you	resid	lential a	ddress	below.	
Number/Building Name	Please state 'Same as service									
Street		address' in thi usual resident								
City/Town/Village	same as service a					vice addres	s. You			
Local Government								cannot state 'Same as service address' if your service addr		
(where applicable) Postal code	has been stated in Section									
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Country							1			
5. Details of a person v	vho cea	sed	to be a	trustee	2					
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Surname										
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Date of cessation	d	•	d	m	m		у	У	У	У
6. Change/Correction	in part	icula	rs of a	trustee	e e					
a. Trustee's current de	tails or	ı the	regist	er						
Date of birth		d	d		n y	У	у	у		
Title										
Full forename(s)										
Surname										
b. Date of change of de	taile									
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Title										
Full forename(s)										
Surname										
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d. Change of service ad Number/Building Name	Juress									
street										
City/Town/Village										
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Local Government (where	
applicable)	
Postal code	
State	
Country	

e. Change of residentia address	ldress Please complete this section if you have changed your residential
Number/Building Name	Please state 'same as service address'
street	in this section if your residential address is same as service address.
City/Town/Village	
Local Government (where applicable)	
Postal code	
State	
Country	
f. Change of other details	ase fill the appropriate particular that you want to correct or change.
Correction/Change of	
name	
Change of Email	
Change of telephone number	
Correction of Gender	
Change of	
Country/State of residence	
Change of Business	
occupation	
7. Authentication	
Name	This form is authorised by a
Description	trustee, secretary or any authorised person of the association.

# Presented for filing by:

Name						
Address	Street					
	City area/District					
	City/Town/Village					
	Local Government					
	Postal code					
	State					
	Country					
Phone Number						
Email		Accreditation Number (where a	applicable)			
Signature		Date				

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# Annual return of Incorporated Trustees (CAC/IT 04)

Pursuant to Section 848 of the Companiand Allied Matters Act, 2020	INC TRU	C/IT 4 ORPOR USTEES TURN	ATED ANNUAL	ALL ALLS COMMUNICAL						
What this form is for You may use this form to file Annual Return of Incorporated Trustees		for	t this form is NOT the this form to file merger ns	For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng						
1. Incorporated Trustees de	tails									
Name of Association										
Registration number										
Classification										
2. Registered Office Address	S									
Number/building name										
Street										
City/Town/village										
Local Government										
Postcode										
State										
3. Annual return details										
Year of Retur	rn									
Financial Yea	ar Start		Financial Year End							
Gross assets	N		Net assets							
Sources of in year	come in the		<u>++</u>							
Bankers										
Bank and bal financial year										
Trustees benefits during the year										
3. Trustee details										
Surname										
Forename(s)										
Nationality			Date of birth	d d	m m y y y y					

Gender				Telephone number								
Identity Number				Identity Type								
Email				Occupation								
	Residential A	ddress										
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	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
5. Particulars	of governing council (execu	utives)	I
Surname			
Other name(s)			Position held
Service Addres	s		neid
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	City/Town/Village*		
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	State*		
	Email		Phone
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Other name(s)			Position
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	City/Town/Village*		
	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
	Email		Phone
6. Certificatio	n		number
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	the information given in this attention of all the trustees	s form is correct to the	best of our knowledge and has been
7. Authenticat			

Name	This t	form is authorised by a
Description		e, secretary or any rised person of the
	assoc	iation.

Note:

- 1. If there is insufficient space on the form to provide any information required, please attach a separate sheet containing the information set out in the prescribed form.
- 2. This return should be accompanied by Audited Account of the Association for the year in which the return is made.

3. Annual Returns for incorporated trustees should be filed between 30th June and 31st December for the preceding financial year.

Name		
Address	Street	
	City area/District	
	City/Town/Village	
	Local Government	
	Postal code	
	State	
	Country	
Phone Number		
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)
Signature		Date

#### **Presented for filing by:**

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## **Bi-annual statement of Incorporated Trustees (CAC/IT 05)**

Pursuant to Section 845 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# **CAC/IT 5 BI-ANNUAL STATEMENT OF AFFAIRS OF INCORPORATED TRUSTEES**



What this form is for You may use this form to file bi-annual statement of affairs of Incorporated Trustees

# **X** What this form is

NOT for

You cannot use this form to file annual return

For further information please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng

1. Incorporated Trustees details					
Name of Association					
Registration number					
Classification					
2. Registered Office Address	·				
Number/building name					
Street					
City/Town/village					
Local Government					
Postcode					
State					
3. Bi-annual statement details					
The period covered by this statement is					
From					
То					

## 4. The incomes of the Association during the period were

S/No	Amount (₦)	Income Type
1		Subscription/Contribution
2		Donations/Grants
3		Others (please specify)

# 5. The liabilities of the Association on 1st day of January/1st day of July were debts owed to sundry persons

S/No	Amount (₦)	Liability Type
1		Judgment
2		Contract
3		Estimated liabilities
4		Others (specify)

6. The assets o	t the Ass	sociation as a	6. The assets of the Association as at this day are									
	S/No	Amount	Description									
		(₦)	•									
	1		Cash at the bank									
	2		Cash at hand									
	3		Others (specify)									
7. Authenticat	ion											
Name			This form is authorised by a trustee, secretary or any authorised									
Description			person of the association.									

# 6. The assets of the Association as at this day are

#### **Presented for filing by:**

Name					
Address	Street				
	City area/District				
	City/Town/Village				
Local Government					
	Postal code				
	State				
	Country				
Phone Number					
Email		Accreditation Number (where applicable)			
Signature		Date			

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# Notice of merger of Incorporated Trustees (CAC/IT 06)

Pursuant to Section 849 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 CAC/IT 6 NOTICE OF MERGER OF INCORPORATED TRUSTEES					AN ALTRO COMPANY					
What this form is for You may use this form to give notice of Merger of Incorporated Trustees.	What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to file new association				For further information, please refer to our guidance at www.cac.gov.ng					
1. Incorporated Trustees d	etails									
Name of Association										
Registration number										
Classification	d	d	m	m	v	X/				
Date of resolution		a	m	m	у	у	у	У		
2. Registered Office Addre	SS									
Number/building name										
Street										
City/Town/village										
Local Government										
Postcode										
3. Names of merging associ	ation	5								
S Names					Registration number					
1										
2										
4. Particulars of trustees af	iter th	e merg	ger							
Surname										
Forename(s)										
Nationality		Date	of birtl	1		d d	m m	m y y y		
Gender		Telep	phone n	umber						
Identity Number		Ident	ity Typ	e						
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Residential Address										
Number/Building Name*										
Street*										

	City/Town/Vil	lage*		1				
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	City/Town/Vil	lage*						
	Local Governr	nent*						

	Postal code		
	State*		
	Signature		Date
5.	Secretary's details		
Su	Irname		
Ot	ther name(s)		
Se	ervice Address		
	Number/Building Name*		
	Street*		
	City/Town/Village*		
	Local Government*		
	Postal code		
	State*		
	Email	Phone number	
6.	Authentication		
Na	ame		This form is
D	escription		authorised by a
	•		trustee, secretary or any authorised person
			of the association.
1			of the association.

# Presented for filing by:

Name	8 /		
Address	Street		
	City area/District		
	City/Town/Village		
	Local Government		
	Postal code		
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	Country		
Phone Number			
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Signature		Date	

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# Notice of alteration of constitution of Incorporated Trustees (CAC/IT 07)

Pursuant to Section 833 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020

# **CAC/IT 7** NOTICE OF ALTERATION OF CONSTITUTION OF INCORPORATED TRUSTEE



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What this form is for You may use this form for alteration of constitution	<b>for</b> You	What this for cannot use this form itution		For furth informati Please refer to www.cac.gov	<b>on</b> o our guidance	e at
1. Incorporated Trustees d	letails					
Name of Association						
Registration number						
Classification						
Date of resolution	d	d m	m	у у	У	У
2. Registered Office Addre	SS					
Number/building name						
Street						
City/Town/village						
Local Government						
Postcode						
3. Articles/clauses of the co	onstitu	tion to be alte	red			
4. Authentication						
Name					s authorised	
Description					e, secretary ised person tion.	

#### Presented for filing by:

Name					
Address	Street				
	City area/District				
	City/Town/Village				
	Local Government				
	Postal code				
	State				
	Country				
Phone Number					
Email		Accreditation	Number (where	applicable)	
Signature		Date			

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day the default continues.

- A company which makes a statement in its annual returns which is false in any material particular shall in respect of each year of any such returns be liable to a penalty prescribed in the Commission's regulations if it is a small company or in any other case.
- 3) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of any enactment imposing penalties in respect of perjury in force in Nigeria.

# Specimen of Certificate of registration

Private company limited by shares



## Limited by Guarantee



## **Limited Liability Partnership**



# **Limited Partnership**



#### **Business Name**



FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

# **CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION**

BUSINESS NAME REGISTRATION NO. .....

THE REGISTRAR - GENERAL OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS COMMISION

hereby certifies that

SPECIMEN ENTERPRISES

is this day registered as a business name under the COMPANIES AND ALLIED MATTERS ACT 2020

The general nature of business is:

The address of the principal place of business is:



Registrar - General

## **Incorporated Trustees**



# Fees

# Companies

		Ltd/Gte Fee ( <del>N</del> )	Small Company Fee ( <del>N</del> )	Private other than small Fee ( <del>N</del> )	Public Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Name Reservation	See B	500	500	500
b.	Name Reservation for restricted words and Ltd/Gte	5,000	5,000 where applicable	5,000 where applicable	5,000 where applicable
c.	Incorporation of Company Limited by Guarantee (this includes CTC of first incorporation documents without additional charge)	20,000	Not Applicable (NA)	NA	NA
d.	Incorporation of private/public company limited by shares (this includes CTC of first incorporation documents without additional charge). Issued share capital of N1million or less	NA	10,000	10,000	20,000
	Incorporation of private/public company limited by shares (this includes CTC of first incorporation documents without additional charge). Issued share capital above N1million and up toN500million	NA	5,000.00 for every N1million share capital or part thereof	7,500.00 for every N1million share capital or part thereof	10,000.00 for every N1million share capital or part thereof
	Incorporation of private/public company limited by shares (this includes CTC of first incorporation documents without additional charge). Issued share capital above N500million	NA	10,000.00 for every N1million share capital or part thereof	10,000.00 for every N1million share capital or part thereof	15,000.00 for every N1million share capital or part thereof
e.	Registration of increase in Issued share capital up toN500million	NA	5,000.00 for every N1million share capital or	7,500.00 for every N1million share capital or	10,000.00 for every N1million share capital or

			part thereof	part thereof	part thereof
f.	Registration of increase in	NA	7,500.00	7,500.00	15,000.00
	issued share capital above		for every	for every	for every
	500,000,000		1million	1 million	1million
			share	share	share
			capital or	capital or	capital or
			part	part	part
			thereof	thereof	thereof
g.	Change of name	20,000	10.000	20,000	50,000
		25.000	10,000	25.000	25.000
h.	Registration of Charges	25,000 or	25,000 or	25,000 or	25,000 or
		0.35% of the	0.35% of the amount	0.35% of the	0.35% of the
		amount	secured by	amount	amount
		secured	the charge	secured	secured
		by the	whichever	by the	by the
		charge	is higher.	charge	charge
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i.	Memorandum of Satisfaction/	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000
	Deed of Release.				
	Dead of hypothesetion	25,000	25,000	25,000	25.000
j.	Deed of hypothecation	23,000	23,000	23,000	25,000
k.	Deed of negative pledge	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000
		<b>F</b> 0.00	<b>F</b> 0.00	<b>F</b> 0.00	10.000
l.	Annual Returns, other post	5,000	5,000	5,000	10,000
	incorporation and				
	miscellaneous filings	5 000	5 000	5 000	5 000
m.	Status Report/ Letter of Good Standing	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
n	Letter of Good Standing Historical Search Report	10,000	10,000	10,000	20,000
n.	(Directors/Officers	10,000	10,000	10,000	20,000
	information)				
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0.	Historical Search Report	10,000	10,000	10,000	20,000
р.	(Shareholding information) Historical Search Report (Particulars of Charges/Debentures/Memoran dum of Satisfaction)	10,000	10,000	10,000	20,000
	Historical Search Report (All information)	20,000	20,000	20,000	20,000
q.	Due Diligence Search (Self- service)	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000
r.	Voluntary Striking off	50,000	25,000	50,000	100,000
s.	Same day post incorporation filing (in addition to filing fees)	30,000	20,000	30,000	50,000
t.	Relisting of company	50,000	25,000	50,000	100,000
u.	Restriction of director's residential address	25,000	25,000	25,000	50,000
v.	Extension of time to hold Annual General Meeting (AGM)	N50,000	NA	50,000	100,000
<b>W.</b>	Certified True Copy of documents/Extracts	5,000 each	5,000 each	5,000 each	5,000 each

	Foreign Companies	Fee ( <del>N</del> )
w.	Notice of Exemption of Foreign Companies	50,000
X.	Annual report of Foreign Companies	50,000

# Limited Liability Partnerships (LLP)

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Name Reservation	500
b.	Name Reservation for Restricted Words	5,000
c.	Incorporation and CTC of Registration Documents	20,000
d.	Change of name	10,000
e.	Registration of charges	25,000 or 0.35% of the amount secured by the charge whichever is higher.
f.	Memorandum of Satisfaction/ Deed of Release.	25,000
g.	Annual Returns and other post incorporation and miscellaneous filings	5,000 each
h.	Status Report/Good Standing	5,000
i.	Voluntary Striking-off	25,000
j.	Same day post incorporation filing (in addition to filing fees)	30,000 per filing

k.	Relisting	50,000
l.	Restriction of partner's residential address	30,000
m.	Certified True Copy of documents/extracts	5,000 each

# Limited Partnerships (LP)

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Name Reservation	500
b.	Name Reservation for Restricted Words	5,000
c.	Registration and CTC of Registration Documents/extracts	15,000
d.	Change of name	10,000
e.	Annual Returns and other post incorporation and miscellaneous filings	5,000 each
f.	Status Report/Letter of Good Standing	5,000
g.	Voluntary Striking-off	25,000
h.	Same day post incorporation filing (in addition to filing fees)	25,000
i.	Relisting	25,000
j.	Restriction of Partner's Residential Address	25,000
k.	Certified True Copy of documents	5,000 each

# **Business Names**

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Name Reservation	500
b.	Name Reservation for Restricted Words	5,000
c.	Registration and CTC of Registration Documents	10,000
d.	Change of name	10,000
e.	Annual Returns and other post registration and miscellaneous filings	3,000 each
f.	Status Report/Letter of Good Standing	5,000
g.	Voluntary Striking-off	10,000
h.	Same day post incorporation filing (in addition to filing fees)	10,000
i.	Relisting	25,000
j.	Restriction of Proprietor's/Partner's Residential address	25,000
k.	Certified True Copy of documents/extract	5,000 each
l.	Application for cessation	10,000

# **Incorporated Trustees**

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Reservation of Name	5,000
b.	Registration and CTC of Registration Documents	35,000
c.	Change of name	25,000
d.	Annual Returns and other post incorporation and miscellaneous filings	5,000 each
e.	Status Report/Letter of Good Standing	5,000

	Historical Search Report (for companies that are ten years old or more)	10,000
f.	Same day post incorporation filing (in addition to filing fees)	25,000
g.	Restriction of Trustee's residential address	25,000
h.	Certified True Copy of documents/extract	5,000 each
i.	Notice of Dissolution	20,000

# Annual Registration of Agents/Professionals/Insolvency Practitioners

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Registration of Accredited Agents/Professionals (one-off)	10,000
b.	Registration of Insolvency Practitioners (one-offf)	50,000

#### Value Added Service

	Fee
	(₦)
SMS notification alert for every transaction carried out by an entity to all officers of the Entity (Annual Subscription)	5,000

#### Website Search

Visitors to the Commission's public search page can get basic information free of charge. The following items have a fee:

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
b.	Full electronic search per entity (view only)	1,000
c.	Persons with Significant Control (view only)	free

## Appointments

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Personal appointment	free
b.	Premium Service/VIP Lounge Facilities (Same Day Service Single Transaction)	50,000
c.	Premium Service/VIP Lounge Facilities (Same Day Multiple Applications per entity)	100,000

#### **Bulk Products**

Access to information not on the Public Register			
a. Application by Specified Public Authority or Credit Reference Agency per entity			
b.	Individual request by Specified Public Authority or Credit Reference Agency (to access information) per entity	1,000	

## **DVD Directories**

		Fee ( <del>N</del> )
a.	Company Directory Exportable one-off (name, address, registration number and date of registration, particulars of directors and other post incorporation information)	1,000,000

b.	Company Directory Exportable Annual Subscription (name, address, registration number and date of registration, particulars of directors and other post incorporation information)	10,000,000
c.	Persons with Significant Control (PSC) information: Exportable for Specified Public Authority and other approved persons/bodies	Free
d.	Company Directory: data file on DVD, by email or by file transfer protocol (sFTP) Annual Subscription (name, address, registration number and date of registration, particulars of directors and other post incorporation information)	10,000,000
e.	Change of Name/dissolved/removed index (one-off)	100,000
f.	Change of Name/dissolved/removed index: exportable Annual Subscription	1,000,000
g.	Change of Name/dissolved/removed index: data file on DVD, by email or by FTP Annual Subscription	1,000,000
h.	Change of PSC/removed index: data file on DVD, by email or by FTP for Public Specified Public Authority and other Approved Persons/Bodies	Free
i.	Notwithstanding the foregoing the Commission may issue information to an Investigation Agency or other approved Public Authority, Organization or I gratis.	

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		Daily default	Other penalties (one-	
		Penalty <del>N</del>	off) <del>N</del>	
a.	Small company	250	5,000	
b.	Company Private other than small	500	10,000	
с.	Company limited by guarantee	500	10,000	
d.	Public Company	1,000	25,000	
e.	Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)	500	10,000	
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# Penalties

# SIXTEENTH SCHEDULE

# THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

# THE COMPANIES AND ALLIED MATTERS ACT 2020

## PRIVATE COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

## **MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION**

## OF

#### **ABC LIMITED**

- 1. The name of the company is ABC LIMITED
- 2. The Registered Office of the Company will be situated in Nigeria.
- 3. The objects of the company are as follows:
- a) To undertake as its principal object the business of ...
- b) In pursuance of its principal object, to undertake the following in the ordinary course of its business
  - (i) Supplies and distribution of general goods and services imports and exports
  - (ii) ...
- (c) To undertake all other lawful objects.

## AND IT IS HEREBY DECLARED THAT:

The objects specified in each of the paragraphs of this clause shall be regarded as independent objects and accordingly shall in no way be limited or restricted (except the contrary is expressly stated) by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company, but may be carried out in as full and as ample a manner and construed in as wide a sense as if each of the said paragraphs defined the objects clause of a separate and distinct company.

- 4. The Company is a **Private Company.**
- 5. The liability of the members is limited by shares.
- 6. The Issued Capital of the Company is N5,000,000 (Five Million Naira) divided into (state classes of shares, if any and their units).

I/we whose name(s) and address(es) is/are subscribed herein is/are desirous of being formed into a company in pursuance of the Memorandum of Association and I/we respectively agree to take the number of shares indicated opposite my/our name(s).

Dated this

day of October, 2020

# WITNESS

Name: Address: Signature: Date:

# SEVENTEENTH SCHEDULE

# THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

## THE COMPANIES AND ALLIED MATTERS ACT 2020

# PUBLIC COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

## OF

## ABC PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

- 1. The name of the company is ABC PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY
- 2. The Registered Office of the Company will be situated in Nigeria.
- 3. The objects of the company are as follows:
- c) To undertake as its principal object the business of ...
- d) In pursuance of its principal object, to undertake the following in the ordinary course of its business
  - (iii) Supplies and distribution of general goods and services imports and exports
  - (iv) ...
- (c) To undertake all other lawful objects.

## AND IT IS HEREBY DECLARED THAT:

The objects specified in each of the paragraphs of this clause shall be regarded as independent objects and accordingly shall in no way be limited or restricted (except the contrary is expressly stated) by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company, but may be carried out in as full and as ample a manner and construed in as wide a sense as if each of the said paragraphs defined the objects clause of a separate and distinct company.

- 4. The Company is a **Public Company.**
- 5. The liability of the members is limited by shares.
- 6. The Issued Capital of the Company is N5,000,000 (Five Million Naira) divided into (state classes of shares, if any and their units).

I/we whose name(s) and address(es) is/are subscribed herein is/are desirous of being formed into a company in pursuance of the Memorandum of Association and I/we respectively agree to take the number of shares indicated opposite my/our name(s).

Dated this day of October, 2020

### WITNESS

Name: Address: Signature: Date:

# EIGHTEENTH SCHEDULE

# THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

# THE COMPANIES AND ALLIED MATTERS ACT 2020

## COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

#### OF

## ABC LIMITED BY GUARANTEE

- 1. The name of the company is The Oke-Ita School Association (Limited by Guarantee).
- 2. The registered office of the company will be situated in Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria.
- 3. The objects of the company are as follows:
- e) the carrying on of schools for boys in Ikot Ekpene and in such other places within the State as the company hereafter decide upon
- f) In pursuance of its principal object, to undertake the following in the ordinary course of its business
  - (v) ...
  - (vi) ...
- (c) To undertake all other lawful objects.

## AND IT IS HEREBY DECLARED THAT:

The objects specified in each of the paragraphs of this clause shall be regarded as independent objects and accordingly shall in no way be limited or restricted (except the contrary is expressly stated) by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company, but may be carried out in as full and as ample a manner and construed in as wide a sense as if each of the said paragraphs defined the objects clause of a separate and distinct company.

- 4. The company is a private company.
- 5. The liability of the members is limited by guarantee.

6. The income and property of the company shall be applied solely towards the promotion of its objects, and no portion of the income or property shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly to the members of the company except as permitted by or under the Companies and Allied Matters Act.

7. Every member of the company undertakes to contribute to the assets of the company the amount subscribed opposite his name in the event of its being wound up while he is a member or within one year afterwards, for payment of the debts and liabilities of the company contracted before he ceases to be a member, and the costs, charges and expenses of winding up, and for the adjustment of the rights of the contributories among themselves howsoever that the aggregate contribution is not less than N100,000.00 (one hundred thousand naira).

Dated this

day of October, 2020

# WITNESS

Name: Address: Signature: Date:

# NINETEENTH SCHEDULE

# THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

# THE COMPANIES AND ALLIED MATTERS ACT 2020

## UNLIMITED COMPANY MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

### OF

## **ABC UNLIMITED**

- 1. The name of the company is ABC UNLIMITED
- 2. The Registered Office of the Company will be situated in Nigeria.
- 3. The objects of the company are as follows:
- a) To undertake as its principal object the business of ...
- b) In pursuance of its principal object, to undertake the following in the ordinary course of its business
  - (i) Supplies and distribution of general goods and services imports and exports
  - (ii) ...
- (c) To undertake all other lawful objects.

## AND IT IS HEREBY DECLARED THAT:

The objects specified in each of the paragraphs of this clause shall be regarded as independent objects and accordingly shall in no way be limited or restricted (except the contrary is expressly stated) by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company, but may be carried out in as full and as ample a manner and construed in as wide a sense as if each of the said paragraphs defined the objects clause of a separate and distinct company.

- 4. The Company is a **Private Company.**
- 5. The liability of the members is unlimited.
- 6. The Issued Capital of the Company is N5,000,000 (Five Million Naira) divided into (state classes of shares, if any and their units).

I/we whose name(s) and address(es) is/are subscribed herein is/are desirous of being formed into a company in pursuance of the Memorandum of Association and I/we respectively agree to take the number of shares indicated opposite my/our name(s).

NAME, ADDRESS AND	NO OF	BENEFICIAL	SIGNATURE
DESCRIPTION OF	SHARES	OWNER OF	
SUBSCRIBER	TAKEN	SHARES	
MR. ABC 8 Awolowo Road Ikoyi, Lagos State (OCCUPATION) MR. DEF Plot 1, Adeola Hopewell Street, Victoria Island Lagos State (OCCUPATION)			

Dated this

day of October, 2020

## WITNESS

Name: Address: Signature: Date:

# **TWENTIETH SCHEDULE**

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### PART 1

### INTERPRETATION AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

#### **Defined Terms**

1.—(1) In these articles. Unless the context requires otherwise -

"Act" means the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 (CAMA)

"articles" has the meaning given in the Act;

*"director"* has the meaning given in the Act and includes any person occupying the position of director, by whatever name called;

"chairman" has the meaning given in article 12;

"chairman of the meeting" has the meaning given in article 39;

"document" includes, unless otherwise specified, any document sent or supplied in electronic form;

"electronic form" has the following meaning:

- documents or information sent or supplied by electronic means for example by email or software by other means while in an electronic form (for example sending disk by post), and references to electronic copy shall have a corresponding meaning and a document or information is sent or supplied by electronic means if it is sent initially and received at its destination by means of electronic equipment for the processing (which expression includes digital compression) or storage of data and entirely transmitted, conveyed and received by wire, by radio, by optical means or by electromagnetic means; references to electronic means shall have a corresponding meaning;
- 2) a document or information authorized or requested to be sent or supplied in an electronic form must be sent or supplied in a form and by a means the sender or supplier reasonably considers will enable the recipient to read and retain a copy of it; and for this purpose, a document or information can be read only if it can be read with the naked eye, or to the extent that it connotes images (for example photographs, pictures, maps, plans or drawings) it can be seen with the naked eyes;

*"fully paid"* in relation to a share, means that the nominal value and any premium to be paid to the company in respect of that share have been paid to the company;

*"hard copy form"* means a document or information sent or supplied in hard copy form or in a paper copy or similar form capable of being read and a reference to hard copy has a corresponding meaning;

*"holder"* in relation to shares means the person whose name is entered in the register of members as the holder of the shares;

"instrument" means a document in hard or soft copy form;

"manager" in relation to disclosure of remuneration at annual general meeting includes any person by whatever name called occupying a position in senior management and who is vested with significant autonomy, discretion, and authority in the administration and management of the affairs of a company (whether in whole or in part);

"ordinary resolution" has the meaning given in section 258 (1) of the Act;

"paid" means paid or credited as paid;

"*participate*", in relation to a directors' meeting, has the meaning given in article 10;

"proxy notice" has the meaning given in article 45;

"shareholder" means a person who is the holder of a share;

"shares" means shares in a company;

"special resolution" has the meaning given in section 258 (2) of the Act;

"subsidiary" has the meaning given in section 381 of the Act;

"transmittee" means a person becoming entitled to a share in consequence of the death or bankruptcy of a member and in accordance with section 179 of the Act; and

*"writing"* means the representation or reproduction of words, symbols or other information in a visible form by any method or combination of methods, whether sent or supplied in electronic form or otherwise.

(2) Unless the context otherwise requires, other words or expressions contained in these articles bear the same meaning as in the CAMA, 2020 as in force on the date when these articles become binding on the company.

### Liability of Members

**2.** The liability of the members is limited to the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares held by them.

### PART 2

## DIRECTORS

## DIRECTORS' POWERS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

#### **Directors' General Authority**

**3.** Subject to the articles, the directors are responsible for the management of the company's business, for which purpose they may exercise all the powers of the company.

#### **Shareholders' Reserve Power**

**4.**—(1) The shareholders may, by special resolution, direct the directors to take, or refrain from taking, specified action.

(2) No such special resolution invalidates anything which the directors have done before the passing of the resolution.

#### **Directors May Delegate**

**5.**—(1) Subject to the articles, the directors may delegate any of the powers which are conferred on them under the articles—

- (a) to such person or committee;
- (b) by such means (including by power of attorney);
- (c) to such an extent;
- (d) in relation to such matters or territories; and
- (e) on such terms and conditions;

as they think fit.

(2) If the directors so specify, any such delegation may authorise further delegation of the directors' powers by any person to whom they are delegated.

(3) The directors may revoke any delegation in whole or part, or alter its terms and conditions.

## Committees

**6.**—(1) Committees to which the directors delegate any of their powers must follow procedures which are based as far as they are applicable on those provisions of the articles which govern the taking of decisions by directors.

(2) The directors may make rules of procedure for all or any committees, which prevail over rules derived from the articles if they are not consistent with them.

## DECISION-MAKING BY DIRECTORS

## **Directors to Take Decisions Collectively**

7.—(1) The general rule about decision-making by directors is that any decision of the directors must be either a majority decision at a meeting or a decision taken in accordance with article 8.

(2) If—

- (a) the company only has one director, and
- (b) no provision of the articles requires it to have more than one director,

the general rule does not apply, and the director may take decisions without regard to any of the provisions of the articles relating to directors' decision-making.

## **Unanimous Decisions**

**8.**—(1) A decision of the directors is taken in accordance with this article when all eligible directors indicate to each other by any means that they share a common view on a matter.

(2) Such a decision may take the form of a resolution in writing, copies of which have been signed by each eligible director or to which each eligible director has otherwise indicated agreement in writing.

(3) References in this article to eligible directors are to directors who would have been entitled to vote on the matter had it been proposed as a resolution at a directors' meeting.

(4) A decision may not be taken in accordance with this article if the eligible directors would not have formed a quorum at such a meeting.

## **Calling A Directors' Meeting**

**9.**—(1) Any director may call a directors' meeting by giving notice of the meeting to the directors or by authorising the company secretary (if any) to give such notice.

(2) Notice of any directors' meeting must indicate—

- (a) its proposed date and time;
- (b) where it is to take place; and

(c) if it is anticipated that directors participating in the meeting will not be in the same place, how it is proposed that they should communicate with each other during the meeting.

(3) Notice of a directors' meeting must be given to each director.

## **Participation in Directors' Meetings**

**10.**—(1) Subject to the articles, directors participate in a directors' meeting, or part of a directors' meeting, when—

(a) the meeting has been called and takes place in accordance with the articles, and

(b) they can each communicate to the others any information or opinions they have on any particular item of the business of the meeting.

(2) In determining whether directors are participating in a directors' meeting, the physical location and method of communication of each director shall be irrelevant, provided that all other directors attending the meeting are able to hear and be heard by him.

(3) If all the directors participating in a meeting are not in the same place, they may decide that the meeting is to be treated as taking place wherever any of them is.

## **Quorum for Directors' Meetings**

**11.**—(1) At a directors' meeting, unless a quorum is participating, no proposal is to be voted on, except a proposal to call another meeting.

(2) The quorum for directors' meetings the quorum necessary for the transaction of the business of directors are two where there are not more than six directors, but where there are more than six directors, the quorum is one-third of the number of directors, and where the number of directors is not a multiple of three, then the quorum is one third to the nearest number.

(3) If the total number of directors for the time being is less than the quorum required, the directors must not take any decision other than a decision—

(a) to appoint further directors, or

(b) to call a general meeting so as to enable the shareholders to appoint further directors.

## **Chairing of Directors' Meetings**

**12.**—(1) The directors may appoint a director to chair their meetings.

(2) The person so appointed for the time being is known as the chairman.

(3) The directors may terminate the chairman's appointment at any time.

(4) If the chairman is not participating in a directors' meeting within five minutes of the time at which it was to start, the participating directors must appoint one of themselves to chair it.

## **Casting Vote**

**13.**—(1) If the numbers of votes for and against a proposal are equal, the chairman or other director chairing the meeting has a casting vote.

(2) But this does not apply if, in accordance with the articles, the chairman or other director is not to be counted as participating in the decision-making process for quorum or voting purposes.

## **Conflicts of Interest**

**14.**—(1) If a proposed decision of the directors is concerned with an actual or proposed transaction or arrangement with the company in which a director is interested, that director is not to be counted as participating in the decision-making process for quorum or voting purposes.

(2) But if paragraph (3) applies, a director who is interested in an actual or proposed transaction or arrangement with the company is to be counted as participating in the decision-making process for quorum and voting purposes.

(3) This paragraph applies when—

(a) the company by ordinary resolution disapplies the provision of the articles which would otherwise prevent a director from being counted as participating in the decision-making process;

(b) the director's interest cannot reasonably be regarded as likely to give rise to a conflict of interest; or

- (c) the director's conflict of interest arises from a permitted cause.
- (4) For the purposes of this article, the following are permitted causes—
  - (a) a guarantee given, or to be given, by or to a director in respect of an obligation incurred by or on behalf of the company or any of its subsidiaries;
  - (b) subscription, or an agreement to subscribe, for shares or other securities of the company or any of its subsidiaries, or to underwrite, sub-underwrite, or guarantee subscription for any such shares or securities; and
  - (c) arrangements pursuant to which benefits are made available to employees and directors or former employees and directors of the company or any of its subsidiaries which do not provide special benefits for directors or former directors.

(5) For the purposes of this article, references to proposed decisions and decisionmaking processes include any directors' meeting or part of a directors' meeting.

(6) Subject to paragraph (7), if a question arises at a meeting of directors or of a committee of directors as to the right of a director to participate in the meeting (or part of the meeting) for voting or quorum purposes, the question may, before the conclusion of the meeting, be referred to the chairman whose ruling in relation to any director other than the chairman is to be final and conclusive.

(7) If any question as to the right to participate in the meeting (or part of the meeting) should arise in respect of the chairman, the question is to be decided by a decision of the directors at that meeting, for which purpose the chairman is not to be counted as participating in the meeting (or that part of the meeting) for voting or quorum purposes.

## **Records of Decisions to Be Kept**

**15.** The directors must ensure that the company keeps a record, in writing, for at least 10 years from the date of the decision recorded, of every unanimous or majority decision taken by the directors.

## **Directors' Discretion to Make Further Rules**

16. Subject to the articles, the directors may make any rule which they think fit about how they take decisions, and about how such rules are to be recorded or communicated to directors.

## APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS

## **Methods of Appointing Directors**

**17.**—(1) Any person who is willing to act as a director, and is permitted by law to do so, may be appointed to be a director—

- (a) by ordinary resolution, or
- (b) by a decision of the directors in the case of casual vacancy.

(2) any of the personal representatives of the shareholders entitled to attend and vote at a general meeting shall apply to court for an order to convene a meeting of all the personal representatives to appoint new directors to manage the company, and if they fail to convene a meeting, the creditors, if any, may do so.

## **Termination of Director's Appointment**

**18.** A person ceases to be a director as soon as—

- (a) that person ceases to be a director by virtue of any provision of the Act or is prohibited from being a director by law;
- (b) a bankruptcy order is made against that person;
- (c) a composition is made with that person's creditors generally in satisfaction of that person's debts;
- (d) a registered medical practitioner who is treating that person gives a written opinion to the company stating that that person has become physically or mentally incapable of acting as a director and may remain so for more than three months;
- (e) by reason of that person's mental health, a court makes an order which wholly or partly prevents that person from personally exercising any powers or rights which that person would otherwise have;
- (f) notification is received by the company from the director that the director is resigning from office, and such resignation has taken effect in accordance with its terms.

## **Directors' Remuneration**

**19.**—(1) Directors may undertake any services for the company that the directors decide.

- (2) Directors are entitled to such remuneration as the company determines—
  - (a) for their services to the company as directors, and
  - (b) for any other service which they undertake for the company.

(3) Subject to the articles, a director's remuneration may—

- (a) take any form, and
- (b) include any arrangements in connection with the payment of a pension, allowance or gratuity, or any death, sickness or disability benefits, to or in respect of that director.

(4) Unless the directors decide otherwise, directors' remuneration accrues from day to day.

(5) Unless the directors decide otherwise, directors are not accountable to the company for any remuneration which they receive as directors or other officers or employees of the company's subsidiaries or of any other body corporate in which the company is interested.

## **Directors' Expenses**

**20.** The company may pay any reasonable expenses which the directors properly incur in connection with their attendance at—

- (a) meetings of directors or committees of directors,
- (b) general meetings, or
- (c) separate meetings of the holders of any class of shares or of debentures of the company,

or otherwise in connection with the exercise of their powers and the discharge of their responsibilities in relation to the company.

#### ALTERNATE DIRECTORS

### **Appointment and Removal of Alternates**

**21.**—(1) Any director (the "appointor") may appoint as an alternate any other director, or any other person approved by resolution of the directors, to—

(a) exercise that director's powers, and

(b) carry out that director's responsibilities,

in relation to the taking of decisions by the directors in the absence of the alternate's appointor.

(2) Any appointment or removal of an alternate must be effected by notice in writing to the company signed by the appointor, or in any other manner approved by the directors.

- (3) The notice must—
  - (a) identify the proposed alternate, and
  - (b) in the case of a notice of appointment, contain a statement signed by the proposed alternate that the proposed alternate is willing to act as the alternate of the director giving the notice.

#### **Rights and Responsibilities of Alternate Directors**

**22.**—(1) An alternate director has the same rights, in relation to any directors' meeting or directors' written resolution, as the alternate's appointor.

(2) Except as the articles specify otherwise, alternate directors—

- (a) are deemed for all purposes to be directors;
- (b) are liable for their own acts and omissions;
- (c) are subject to the same restrictions as their appointors; and
- (d) are not deemed to be agents of or for their appointors.

(3) A person who is an alternate director but not a director—

- (a) may be counted as participating for the purposes of determining whether a quorum is participating (but only if that person's appointor is not participating), and
- (b) may sign a written resolution (but only if it is not signed or to be signed by that person's appointor).

No alternate may be counted as more than one director for such purposes.

(4) An alternate director is not entitled to receive any remuneration from the company for serving as an alternate director except such part of the alternate's appointor's remuneration as the appointor may direct by notice in writing made to the company.

## **Termination of Alternate Directorship**

**23.** An alternate director's appointment as an alternate terminates—

- (a) when the alternate's appointor revokes the appointment by notice to the company in writing specifying when it is to terminate;
- (b) on the occurrence in relation to the alternate of any event which, if it occurred in relation to the alternate's appointor, would result in the termination of the appointor's appointment as a director;
- (c) on the death of the alternate's appointor; or

(d) when the alternate's appointor's appointment as a director terminates, except that an alternate's appointment as an alternate does not terminate when the appointor retires by rotation at a general meeting and is then re-appointed as a director at the same general meeting.

### PART 3

## SHARES AND DISTRIBUTIONS

### SHARES

#### All Shares to Be Fully Issued

**24.**—(1) No share is to be issued for less than the aggregate of its nominal value and any premium to be paid to the company in consideration for its issue.

(2) This does not apply to shares taken on the formation of the company by the subscribers to the company's memorandum.

#### **Powers to Issue Different Classes of Share**

**25.**—(1) Subject to the articles, but without prejudice to the rights attached to any existing share, the company may issue shares with such rights or restrictions as may be determined by ordinary resolution.

(2) The company may issue shares which are to be redeemed, or are liable to be redeemed at the option of the company or the holder, subject to such conditions as may be prescribed in the terms of issue or by the articles.

#### **Company Not Bound by Less Than Absolute Interests**

**26.** Except as required by law, no person is to be recognised by the company as holding any share upon any trust, and except as otherwise required by law or the articles, the company is not in any way to be bound by or recognise any interest in a share other than the holder's absolute ownership of it and all the rights attaching to it.

#### **Share Certificates**

**27.**—(1) The company must issue each shareholder, free of charge, with one or more certificates in respect of the shares which that shareholder holds.

(2) Every certificate must specify—

- (a) in respect of how many shares, of what class, it is issued;
- (b) the nominal value of those shares;
- (c) that the shares are fully paid; and
- (d) any distinguishing numbers assigned to them.

(3) If more than one person holds a share, only one certificate may be issued in respect of it.

(4) Certificates must—

- (a) have affixed to them the company's common seal, or
- (b) be otherwise executed as a deed.

## **Replacement Share Certificates**

**28.**—(1) If a paper certificate issued in respect of a shareholder's shares is—

- (a) damaged or defaced, or
- (b) said to be lost, stolen or destroyed,

that shareholder is entitled to be issued with a replacement certificate in respect of the same shares.

(2) A shareholder exercising the right to be issued with such a replacement certificate-

- (a) may at the same time exercise the right to be issued with a single certificate or separate certificates;
- (b) must return the certificate which is to be replaced to the company if it is damaged or defaced; and
- (c) must comply with such conditions as to evidence, indemnity and the payment of a reasonable fee as the directors decide.

## PARTLY PAID SHARES

## **Company's Lien Over Partly Paid Shares**

**29.**—(1) The company has a lien ("the company's lien") over every share which is partly paid or any part of-

- (a) that share's nominal value, and
- (b) any premium at which it was issued,

which has not been paid to the company, and which is payable immediately or at some time in the future, whether or not a call notice has been sent in respect of it.

(2) The company's lien over a share—

- (a) takes priority over any third party's interest in that share, and
- (b) extends to any dividend or other money payable by the company in respect of that share and (if the lien is enforced and the share is sold by the company) the proceeds of sale of that share.

(3) The directors may at any time decide that a share which is or would otherwise be subject to the company's lien shall not be subject to it, either wholly or in part.

## **Enforcement of the Company's Lien**

- **30.**—(1) Subject to the provisions of this article, if—
  - (a) a lien enforcement notice has been given in respect of a share, and
  - (b) the person to whom the notice was given has failed to comply with it, the company may sell that share in such manner as the directors decide.
- (2) A lien enforcement notice—
  - (a) may only be given in respect of a share which is subject to the company's lien, in respect of which a sum is payable and the due date for payment of that sum has passed;
  - (b) must specify the share concerned;
  - (c) must require payment of the sum payable within 14 days of the notice;
  - (d) must be addressed either to the holder of the share or to a person entitled to it by reason of the holder's death, bankruptcy or otherwise; and
  - (e) must state the company's intention to sell the share if the notice is not complied with.
- (3) Where shares are sold under this article—
  - (a) the directors may authorise any person to execute an instrument of transfer of the shares to the purchaser or a person nominated by the purchaser, and
  - (b) the transferee is not bound to see to the application of the consideration, and the transferee's title is not affected by any irregularity in or invalidity of the process leading to the sale.

(4) The net proceeds of any such sale (after payment of the costs of sale and any other costs of enforcing the lien) must be applied—

- (a) first, in payment of so much of the sum for which the lien exists as was payable at the date of the lien enforcement notice,
- (b) second, to the person entitled to the shares at the date of the sale, but only after the certificate for the shares sold has been surrendered to the company for cancellation or a suitable indemnity has been given for any lost certificates, and subject to a lien equivalent to the company's lien over the shares before the sale for any money payable in respect of the shares after the date of the lien enforcement notice.

(5) A statutory declaration by a director or the company secretary that the declarant is a director or the company secretary and that a share has been sold to satisfy the company's lien on a specified date—

- (a) is conclusive evidence of the facts stated in it as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the share, and
- (b) subject to compliance with any other formalities of transfer required by the articles or by law, constitutes a good title to the share.

## **Call Notices**

**31.**—(1) Subject to the articles and the terms on which shares are allotted, the directors may send a notice (a "call notice") to a member requiring the member to pay the company a specified sum of money (a "call") which is payable in respect of shares which that member holds at the date when the directors decide to send the call notice.

- (2) A call notice—
  - (a) may not require a member to pay a call which exceeds the total sum unpaid on that member's shares (whether as to the share's nominal value or any amount payable to the company by way of premium);

- (b) must state when and how any call to which it relates it is to be paid; and
- (c) may permit or require the call to be paid by instalments.

(3) A member must comply with the requirements of a call notice, but no member is obliged to pay any call before 14 days have passed since the notice was sent.

(4) Before the company has received any call due under a call notice the directors may—

(a) revoke it wholly or in part, or

(b) specify a later time for payment than is specified in the notice,

by a further notice in writing to the member in respect of whose shares the call is made.

## Liability to Pay Calls

**32.**—(1) Liability to pay a call is not extinguished or transferred by transferring the shares in respect of which it is required to be paid.

(2) Joint holders of a share are jointly and severally liable to pay all calls in respect of that share.

(3) Subject to the terms on which shares are allotted, the directors may, when issuing shares, provide that call notices sent to the holders of those shares may require them—

- (a) to pay calls which are not the same, or
- (b) to pay calls at different times.

## When Call Notice Need Not be Issued

**33.**—(1) A call notice need not be issued in respect of sums which are specified, in the terms on which a share is issued, as being payable to the company in respect of that share (whether in respect of nominal value or premium)—

- (a) on allotment;
- (b) on the occurrence of a particular event; or
- (c) on a date fixed by or in accordance with the terms of issue.

(2) But if the due date for payment of such a sum has passed and it has not been paid, the holder of the share concerned is treated in all respects as having failed to comply with a call notice in respect of that sum, and is liable to the same consequences as regards the payment of interest and forfeiture.

## Failure to Comply with Call Notice: Automatic Consequences

**34.**—(1) If a person is liable to pay a call and fails to do so by the call payment date—

- (a) the directors may issue a notice of intended forfeiture to that person, and
- (b) until the call is paid, that person must pay the company interest on the call from the call payment date at the relevant rate.
- (2) For the purposes of this article—
  - (a) the "call payment date" is the time when the call notice states that a call is payable, unless the directors give a notice specifying a later date, in which case the "call payment date" is that later date;
  - (b) the "relevant rate" is—
    - (i) the rate fixed by the terms on which the share in respect of which the call is due was allotted;

(ii) such other rate as was fixed in the call notice which required payment of the call, or has otherwise been determined by the directors; or

(iii) if no rate is fixed in either of these ways, the prevailing interest rate as set by the Monetary Policy Committee of the Central Bank of Nigeria.

(3) The directors may waive any obligation to pay interest on a call wholly or in part.

#### **Notice of Intended Forfeiture**

35. A notice of intended forfeiture—

- (a) may be sent in respect of any share in respect of which a call has not been paid as required by a call notice;
- (b) must be sent to the holder of that share or to a person entitled to it by reason of the holder's death, bankruptcy or otherwise;
- (c) must require payment of the call and any accrued interest by a date which is not less than 14 days after the date of the notice;
- (d) must state how the payment is to be made; and
- (e) must state that if the notice is not complied with, the shares in respect of which the call is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

#### **Directors' Power to Forfeit Shares**

**36.** If a notice of intended forfeiture is not complied with before the date by which payment of the call is required in the notice of intended forfeiture, the directors may decide that any share in respect of which it was given is forfeited, and the forfeiture is to include all dividends or other moneys payable in respect of the forfeited shares and not paid before the forfeiture.

#### **Effect of Forfeiture**

**37.**—(1) Subject to the articles, the forfeiture of a share extinguishes—

- (a) all interests in that share, and all claims and demands against the company in respect of it, and
- (b) all other rights and liabilities incidental to the share as between the person whose share it was prior to the forfeiture and the company.
- (2) Any share which is forfeited in accordance with the articles—
  - (a) is deemed to have been forfeited when the directors decide that it is forfeited;
  - (b) is deemed to be the property of the company; and
  - (c) may be sold, re-allotted or otherwise disposed of as the directors think fit.
- (3) If a person's shares have been forfeited—
  - (a) the company must send that person notice that forfeiture has occurred and record it in the register of members;
  - (b) that person ceases to be a member in respect of those shares;
  - (c) that person must surrender the certificate for the shares forfeited to the company for cancellation;
  - (d) that person remains liable to the company for all sums payable by that person under the articles at the date of forfeiture in respect of those shares provided

that his liability ceases when the company receives payment in full of all money in respect of the shares; and

(e) the directors may waive payment of such sums wholly or in part or enforce payment without any allowance for the value of the shares at the time of forfeiture or for any consideration received on their disposal.

(4) At any time before the company disposes of a forfeited share, the directors may decide to cancel the forfeiture on payment of all calls and interest due in respect of it and on such other terms as they think fit.

#### **Procedure Following Forfeiture**

**38.**—(1) If a forfeited share is to be disposed of by being transferred, the company may receive the consideration for the transfer and the directors may authorise any person to execute the instrument of transfer.

(2) A statutory declaration by a director or the company secretary that the declarant is a director or the company secretary and that a share has been forfeited on a specified date—

- (a) is conclusive evidence of the facts stated in it as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the share, and
- (b) subject to compliance with any other formalities of transfer required by the articles or by law, constitutes a good title to the share.

(3) A person to whom a forfeited share is transferred is not bound to see to the application of the consideration (if any) nor is that person's title to the share affected by any irregularity in or invalidity of the process leading to the forfeiture or transfer of the share.

(4) If the company sells a forfeited share, the person who held it prior to its forfeiture is entitled to receive from the company the proceeds of such sale, net of any commission, and excluding any amount which—

(a) was, or would have become, payable, and

(b) had not, when that share was forfeited, been paid by that person in respect of that share, but no interest is payable to such a person in respect of such proceeds and the company is not required to account for any money earned on them.

#### **Surrender of Shares**

**39.**—(1) A member may surrender any share—

(a) in respect of which the directors may issue a notice of intended

forfeiture; (b) which the directors may forfeit; or

(c) which has been forfeited.

(2) The directors may accept the surrender of any such share.

(3) The effect of surrender on a share is the same as the effect of forfeiture on that share.(4) A share which has been surrendered may be dealt with in the same way as a share which has been forfeited.

### **Share Transfers**

**40.**—(1) Shares may be transferred by means of an instrument of transfer in any usual form or any other form approved by the directors, which is executed by or on behalf of the transferor.

(2) No fee may be charged for registering any instrument of transfer or other document relating to or affecting the title to any share.

(3) The company may retain any instrument of transfer which is registered.

(4) The transferor remains the holder of a share until the transferee's name is entered in the register of members as holder of it.

(5) The directors may refuse to register the transfer of a share (not being a fully paid share) to a person of whom they do not approve, and may also refuse to register the transfer of a share on which the company has a lien.

#### **Transmission of Shares**

**41.**—(1) If title to a share passes to a transmittee, the company may only recognise the transmittee as having any title to that share.

(2) A transmittee who produces such evidence of entitlement to shares as the directors may properly require—

- (a) may, subject to the articles, choose either to become the holder of those shares or to have them transferred to another person, and
- (b) subject to the articles, and pending any transfer of the shares to another person, has the same rights as the holder had.

(3) But transmittees do not have the right to attend or vote at a general meeting, or agree to a proposed written resolution, in respect of shares to which they are entitled, by reason of the holder's death or bankruptcy or otherwise, unless they become the holders of those shares.

#### **Exercise of Transmittees' Rights**

**42.**—(1) Transmittees who wish to become the holders of shares to which they have become entitled must notify the company in writing of that wish.

(2) If the transmittee wishes to have a share transferred to another person, the transmittee must execute an instrument of transfer in respect of it.

(3) Any transfer made or executed under this article is to be treated as if it were made or executed by the person from whom the transmittee has derived rights in respect of the share, and as if the event which gave rise to the transmission had not occurred.

#### **Transmittees Bound by Prior Notices**

**43.** If a notice is given to a shareholder in respect of shares and a transmittee is entitled to those shares, the transmittee is bound by the notice if it was given to the shareholder before the transmittee's name has been entered in the register of members.

## DIVIDENDS AND OTHER DISTRIBUTIONS

#### **Procedure for Declaring Dividends**

**44.**—(1) The company may by ordinary resolution declare dividends, and the directors may decide to pay interim dividends.

(2) A dividend must not be declared unless the directors have made a recommendation as to its amount. Such a dividend must not exceed the amount recommended by the directors.

(3) No dividend may be declared or paid unless it is in accordance with shareholders' respective rights.

(4) Unless the shareholders' resolution to declare or directors' decision to pay a dividend, or the terms on which shares are issued, specify otherwise, it must be paid by reference to each shareholder's holding of shares on the date of the resolution or decision to declare or pay it.

(5) If the company's share capital is divided into different classes, no interim dividend may be paid on shares carrying deferred or non-preferred rights if, at the time of payment, any preferential dividend is in arrear.

(6) The directors may pay at intervals any dividend payable at a fixed rate if it appears to them that the profits available for distribution justify the payment.

(7) If the directors act in good faith, they do not incur any liability to the holders of shares conferring preferred rights for any loss they may suffer by the lawful payment of an interim dividend on shares with deferred or non-preferred rights.

#### **Payment of Dividends and Other Distributions**

**45.**—(1) Where a dividend or other sum which is a distribution is payable in respect of a share, it must be paid by one or more of the following means—

- (a) transfer to a bank specified by the distribution recipient either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide;
- (b) sending a cheque made payable to the distribution recipient by post to the distribution recipient at the distribution recipient's registered address (if the distribution recipient is a holder of the share), or (in any other case) to an address specified by the distribution recipient either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide;
- (c) sending a cheque made payable to such person by post to such person at such address as the distribution recipient has specified either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide; or
- (d) any other means of payment as the directors agree with the distribution recipient either in writing or by such other means as the directors decide.

(2) In the articles, "the distribution recipient" means, in respect of a share in respect of which a dividend or other sum is payable—

- (a) the holder of the share; or
- (b) if the share has two or more joint holders, whichever of them is named first in the register of members; or
- (c) if the holder is no longer entitled to the share by reason of death or bankruptcy, or otherwise by operation of law, the transmittee.

#### **No Interest on Distributions**

**46.** The company may not pay interest on any dividend or other sum payable in respect of a share unless otherwise provided by—

(a) the terms on which the share was issued, or

(b) the provisions of another agreement between the holder of that share and the company.

#### **Unclaimed Distributions**

47.—(1) All dividends or other sums which are—

- (a) payable in respect of shares, and
- (b) unclaimed after having been declared or become payable,

may be invested or otherwise made use of by the directors for the benefit of the company in accordance with the provisions of section 429 of the Act.

(2) The payment of any such dividend or other sum into a separate account does not make the company a trustee in respect of it.

(3) If—

- (a) twelve years have passed from the date on which a dividend or other sum became due for payment, and
- (b) the distribution recipient has not claimed it,

the distribution recipient is no longer entitled to that dividend or other sum and it ceases to remain owing by the company and should be included in the report that should be submitted to the other shareholders of the company.

### **Non-Cash Distributions**

**48.**— Subject to the terms of issue of the share in question, the company may, by ordinary resolution on the recommendation of the directors, decide to pay all or part of a dividend or other distribution payable in respect of a share by transferring non-cash assets of equivalent value (including, without limitation, shares or other securities in any company).

## Waiver of Distributions

**49.** Distribution recipients may waive their entitlement to a dividend or other distribution payable in respect of a share by giving the company notice in writing to that effect, but if—

- (a) the share has more than one holder, or
- (b) more than one person is entitled to the share, whether by reason of the death or bankruptcy of one or more joint holders, or otherwise,

the notice is not effective unless it is expressed to be given, and signed, by all the holders or persons otherwise entitled to the share.

## CAPITALISATION OF PROFITS

## Authority to Capitalise and Appropriation of Capitalised Sums

**50.**—(1) Subject to the articles, the directors may, if they are so authorised by an ordinary resolution—

- (a) decide to capitalise any profits of the company (whether or not they are available for distribution) which are not required for paying a preferential dividend, or any sum standing to the credit of the company's share premium account or capital redemption reserve; and
- (b) appropriate any sum which they so decide to capitalise (a "capitalised sum") to the persons who would have been entitled to it if it were distributed by way of dividend (the "persons entitled") and in the same proportions.
- (2) Capitalised sums must be applied—
  - (a) on behalf of the persons entitled, and
  - (b) in the same proportions as a dividend would have been distributed to them.

(3) Any capitalised sum may be applied in paying up new shares of a nominal amount equal to the capitalised sum which are then allotted credited as fully paid to the persons entitled or as they may direct.

(4) A capitalised sum which was appropriated from profits available for distribution may be applied in paying up new debentures of the company which are then allotted credited as fully paid to the persons entitled or as they may direct.

- (5) Subject to the articles the directors may—
  - (a) apply capitalised sums in accordance with paragraphs (3) and (4) partly in one way and partly in another;

- (b) make such arrangements as they think fit to deal with shares or debentures becoming distributable in fractions under this article (including the issuing of fractional certificates or the making of cash payments); and
- (c) authorise any person to enter into an agreement with the company on behalf of all the persons entitled which is binding on them in respect of the allotment of shares and debentures to them under this article.

### PART 4

#### DECISION-MAKING BY SHAREHOLDERS

### ORGANISATION OF GENERAL MEETINGS

#### **Attendance and Speaking at General Meetings**

**51.**—(1) A person is able to exercise the right to speak at a general meeting when that person is in a position to communicate to all those attending the meeting, during the meeting, any information or opinions which that person has on the business of the meeting.

(2) A person is able to exercise the right to vote at a general meeting when—

- (a) that person is able to vote, during the meeting, on resolutions put to the vote at the meeting, and
- (b) that person's vote can be taken into account in determining whether or not such resolutions are passed at the same time as the votes of all the other persons attending the meeting.

(3) The directors may make whatever arrangements they consider appropriate to enable those attending a general meeting to exercise their rights to speak or vote at it.

(4) In determining attendance at a general meeting, it is immaterial whether any two or more members attending it are in the same place as each other.

(5) Two or more persons who are not in the same place as each other attend a general meeting if their circumstances are such that if they have (or were to have) rights to speak and vote at that meeting, they are (or would be) able to exercise them.

#### **Chairing General Meetings**

**52.**—(1) If the directors have appointed a chairman, the chairman shall chair general meetings if present and willing to do so.

(2) If the directors have not appointed a chairman, or if the chairman is unwilling to chair the meeting or is not present within one hour of the time at which a meeting was due to start—

(a) the directors present, or

(b) (if no directors are present), the meeting,

must appoint a director or shareholder to chair the meeting, and the appointment of the chairman of the meeting must be the first business of the meeting.

(3) The person chairing a meeting in accordance with this article is referred to as "the chairman of the meeting".

### Attendance and Speaking by Directors and Non-Shareholders

**53.**—(1) Directors may attend and speak at general meetings, whether or not they are shareholders.

- (2) The chairman of the meeting may permit other persons who are not-
  - (a) shareholders of the company, or
  - (b) otherwise entitled to exercise the rights of shareholders in relation to general

meetings, to attend and speak at a general meeting.

## Adjournment

**54.**—(1) If the persons attending a general meeting within one hour of the time at which the meeting was due to start do not constitute a quorum, or if during a meeting a quorum ceases to be present due to some shareholders leaving for what appears to the chairman to be sufficient reasons, the meeting shall be adjourned.

(2) The chairman of the meeting may adjourn a general meeting at which a quorum is present if—

- (a) the meeting consents to an adjournment, or
- (b) it appears to the chairman of the meeting that an adjournment is necessary to protect the safety of any person attending the meeting or ensure that the business of the meeting is conducted in an orderly manner.

(3) The chairman of the meeting must adjourn a general meeting if directed to do so by the meeting.

(4) When adjourning a general meeting, the chairman of the meeting must—

- (a) either specify the time and place to which it is adjourned or state that it is to continue at a time and place to be fixed by the directors, and
- (b) have regard to any directions as to the time and place of any adjournment which have been given by the meeting.

(5) If the continuation of an adjourned meeting is to take place more than 30 days after it was adjourned, notice of the adjourned meeting and the business to be transacted shall be given as in the case of the original meeting.

(6) No business may be transacted at an adjourned general meeting which could not properly have been transacted at the meeting if the adjournment had not taken place.

## VOTING AT GENERAL MEETINGS

## **Voting: General**

**55.** A resolution put to the vote of a general meeting shall be decided on a show of hands unless a poll is duly demanded in accordance with the articles provided that in the case of an electronic meeting, voting may be done electronically or by count of voice concurrence.

## **Errors and Disputes**

**56.**—(1) No objection may be raised to the qualification of any person voting at a general meeting except at the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the vote objected to is tendered, and every vote not disallowed at the meeting is valid.

(2) Any such objection must be referred to the chairman of the meeting whose decision is final.

## **Poll Votes**

**57.**—(1) A poll on a resolution may be demanded—

- (a) in advance of the general meeting where it is to be put to the vote, or
- (b) at a general meeting, either before a show of hands on that resolution or immediately after the result of a show of hands on that resolution is declared.
- (2) A poll may be demanded by—
  - (a) the chairman of the meeting where he is a member or a proxy;
  - (b) at least three members present in person or by proxy;
  - (c) any member or members present in person or by proxy and representing at least one tenth of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote at the meeting;
  - (d) any member or members in the company conferring a right to vote at the meeting having shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to at least one-tenth of the total sum paid up on all the shares conferring that right.
- (3) A demand for a poll may be withdrawn if—
  - (a) the poll has not yet been taken, and
  - (b) the chairman of the meeting consents to the withdrawal.

(4) Polls must be taken immediately and in such manner as the chairman of the meeting directs.

#### **Content of Proxy Notices**

**58.**—(1) Proxies may only validly be appointed by a notice in writing (a "proxy notice") which—

- (a) states the name and address of the shareholder appointing the proxy;
- (b) identifies the person appointed to be that shareholder's proxy and the general meeting in relation to which that person is appointed;
- (c) is signed by or on behalf of the shareholder appointing the proxy, or is authenticated in such manner as the directors may determine; and
- (d) is delivered to the company in accordance with the articles and any instructions contained in the notice of the general meeting to which they relate.

(2) The company may require proxy notices to be delivered in a particular form, and may specify different forms for different purposes.

(3) Proxy notices may specify how the proxy appointed under them is to vote (or that the proxy is to abstain from voting) on one or more resolutions.

- (4) Unless a proxy notice indicates otherwise, it must be treated as-
  - (a) allowing the person appointed under it as a proxy discretion as to how to vote on any ancillary or procedural resolutions put to the meeting, and

(b) appointing that person as a proxy in relation to any adjournment of the general meeting to which it relates as well as the meeting itself.

### **Delivery of Proxy Notices**

**59.**—(1) A person who is entitled to attend, speak or vote (either on a show of hands or on a poll) at a general meeting remains so entitled in respect of that meeting or any adjournment of it, even though a valid proxy notice has been delivered to the company by or on behalf of that person.

(2) An appointment under a proxy notice may be revoked by delivering to the company a notice in writing given by or on behalf of the person by whom or on whose behalf the proxy notice was given.

(3) A notice revoking a proxy appointment only takes effect if it is delivered before the start of the meeting or adjourned meeting to which it relates.

(4) If a proxy notice is not executed by the person appointing the proxy, it must be accompanied by written evidence of the authority of the person who executed it to execute it on the appointor's behalf.

#### **Amendments to Resolutions**

**60.**—(1) An ordinary resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution if—

- (a) notice of the proposed amendment is given to the company in writing by a person entitled to vote at the general meeting at which it is to be proposed not less than 48 hours before the meeting is to take place (or such later time as the chairman of the meeting may determine), and
- (b) the proposed amendment does not, in the reasonable opinion of the chairman of the meeting, materially alter the scope of the resolution.

(2) A special resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution, if—

- (a) the chairman of the meeting proposes the amendment at the general meeting at which the resolution is to be proposed, and
- (b) the amendment does not go beyond what is necessary to correct a grammatical or other non-substantive error in the resolution.

(3) If the chairman of the meeting, acting in good faith, wrongly decides that an amendment to a resolution is out of order, the chairman's error does not invalidate the vote on that resolution.

#### PART 5

### ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

#### Means of Communication to be Used

**61.**—(1) Subject to the articles, anything sent or supplied by or to the company under the articles may be sent or supplied in any way in which the Act provides for documents or information which are authorised or required by any provision of that Act to be sent or supplied by or to the company.

(2) Subject to the articles, any notice or document to be sent or supplied to a director in connection with the taking of decisions by directors may also be sent or supplied by the means by which that director has asked to be sent or supplied with such notices or documents for the time being.

(3) A director may agree with the company that notices or documents sent to that director in a particular way are to be deemed to have been received within a specified time of their being sent, and for the specified time to be less than 48 hours.

## **Company Seals**

**62.**—(1) Any common seal may only be used by the authority of the directors.

(2) The directors may decide by what means and in what form any common seal is to be used. (3) Unless otherwise decided by the directors, if the company has a common seal and it is affixed to a document, the document must also be signed by at least one authorised person in the presence of a witness who attests the signature.

(4) For the purposes of this article, an authorised person is—

- (a) any director of the company;
- (b) the company secretary (if any); or
- (c) any person authorised by the directors for the purpose of signing documents to which the common seal is applied.

## No Right to Inspect Accounts and Other Records

**63.** Except as provided by law or authorised by the directors or an ordinary resolution of the company, no person is entitled to inspect any of the company's accounting or other records or documents merely by virtue of being a shareholder.

## **Provision for Employees On Cessation of Business**

**64.** The directors may decide to make provision for the benefit of persons employed or formerly employed by the company or any of its subsidiaries (other than a director or former director or shadow director) in connection with the cessation or transfer to any person of the whole or part of the undertaking of the company or that subsidiary.

## **Borrowing Powers**

**65.** The directors may exercise the powers of the company to borrow money for the purpose of its business or objects and may mortgage or charge its undertaking, property and uncalled capital, or any part thereof, and issue debenture, debenture stock and other securities whether outright or as security for any debt, liability or obligation of the company.

## DIRECTORS' INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

## Indemnity

**66.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), a relevant director of the company or an associated company may be indemnified out of the company's assets against—

(a) any liability incurred by that director in connection with any negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust in relation to the company or an associated company,

(b) any liability incurred by that director as an officer of the company or an associated company.

(2) This article does not authorise any indemnity which would be prohibited or rendered void by any provision of the Act or by any other provision of law.

- (3) In this article—
  - (a) companies are associated if one is a subsidiary of the other or both are subsidiaries of the same body corporate, and
  - (b) a "relevant director" means any director or former director of the company or an associated company.

### Insurance

**67.**—(1) The company may purchase and maintain insurance for the benefit of any relevant director in respect of any relevant loss.

(2) In this article—

- (a) a "relevant director" means any director or former director of the company or an associated company,
- (b) a "relevant loss" means any loss or liability which has been or may be incurred by a relevant director in connection with that director's duties or powers in relation to the company, any associated company or any pension fund or employees' share scheme of the company or associated company, and
- (c) companies are associated if one is a subsidiary of the other or both are subsidiaries of the same body corporate.

SIGNATURE

Dated this

day of October, 2020

### WITNESS Name:

Address: Signature: Date:

# **TWENTY-FIRST SCHEDULE**

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## PART 1

## INTERPRETATION AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

### **Defined Terms**

1.—(1) In these articles. Unless the context requires otherwise -

*"Act"* means the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 (CAMA)

"articles" has the meaning given in the Act;

"chairman" has the meaning given in article 12;

"chairman of the meeting" has the meaning given in article 25;

"*Ltd/Gte*" means the Company limited by guarantee;

*"director"* has the meaning given in the Act and includes any person occupying the position of director, by whatever name called;

*"document"* includes, unless otherwise specified, any document sent or supplied in physical or electronic form;

"electronic form" has the following meaning:

- documents or information sent or supplied by electronic means for example by email or software by other means while in an electronic form (for example sending disk by post), and references to electronic copy shall have a corresponding meaning and a document or information is sent or supplied by electronic means if it is sent initially and received at its destination by means of electronic equipment for the processing (which expression includes digital compression) or storage of data and entirely transmitted, conveyed and received by wire, by radio, by optical means or by electromagnetic means; references to electronic means shall have a corresponding meaning;
- 2) a document or information authorized or requested to be sent or supplied in an electronic form must be sent or supplied in a form and by a means the sender or supplier reasonably considers will enable the recipient to read and retain a copy of it; and for this purpose, a document or information can be read only if it can be read with the naked eye, or to the extent that it connotes images (for example photographs, pictures, maps, plans or drawings) it can be seen with the naked eyes;

"manager" in relation to disclosure of remuneration at annual general meeting includes any person by whatever name called occupying a position in senior management and who is vested with significant autonomy, discretion, and authority in the administration and management of the affairs of a company (whether in whole or in part);

"member" has the meaning given in section 868 (1) of the Act;

"ordinary resolution" has the meaning given in section 258 (1) of the Act;

"participate", in relation to a directors' meeting, has the meaning given in the articles 10;

"proxy notice" has the meaning given in article 31;

"special resolution" has the meaning given in section 258(2) of the Act;

"subsidiary" has the meaning given in section 381 of the Act; and

*"writing"* means the representation or reproduction of words, symbols or other information in a visible form by any method or combination of methods, whether sent or supplied in electronic form or otherwise.

(2) Unless the context otherwise requires, other words or expressions contained in these articles bear the same meaning as in the CAMA, 2020 as in force on the date when these articles become binding on the company.

## **Liability of Members**

2. The liability of each member is limited to \$100,000.00, being the amount that the member undertakes to contribute to the assets of the company in the event of its being wound up while he is a member or within one year after he ceases to be a member, for –

- (a) payment of the company's debt and liabilities contracted before he ceases to be a member,
- (b) Payment of the costs, charges and expenses of winding up, and
- (c) Adjustment of the rights of the contributories among themselves.

## PART 2

## DIRECTORS

## DIRECTORS' POWERS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

## **Directors' General Authority**

**3.** Subject to the articles, the directors are responsible for the management of the company's business, for which purpose they may exercise all the powers of the company.

## Members' Reserve Power

**4.**—(1) The members may, by special resolution, direct the directors to take, or refrain from taking, specified action.

(2) No such special resolution invalidates anything which the directors have done before the passing of the resolution.

## **Directors May Delegate**

**5.**—(1) Subject to the articles, the directors may delegate any of the powers which are conferred on them under the articles—

- (a) to such person or committee;
- (b) by such means (including by power of attorney);
- (c) to such an extent;
- (d) in relation to such matters or territories; and
- (e) on such terms and conditions;

as they think fit.

(2) If the directors so specify, any such delegation may authorise further delegation of the directors' powers by any person to whom they are delegated.

(3) The directors may revoke any delegation in whole or part, or alter its terms and conditions.

### Committees

**6.**—(1) Committees to which the directors delegate any of their powers must follow procedures which are based as far as they are applicable on those provisions of the articles which govern the taking of decisions by directors.

(2) The directors may make rules of procedure for all or any committees, which prevail over rules derived from the articles if they are not consistent with them.

## DECISION-MAKING BY DIRECTORS

### **Directors to Take Decisions Collectively**

7.—(1) The general rule about decision-making by directors is that any decision of the directors must be either a majority decision at a meeting or a decision taken in accordance with article 8.

(2) If—

- (a) the company only has one director, and
- (b) no provision of the articles requires it to have more than one director,

the general rule does not apply, and the director may take decisions without regard to any of the provisions of the articles relating to directors' decision-making.

#### **Unanimous Decisions**

**8.**—(1) A decision of the directors is taken in accordance with this article when all eligible directors indicate to each other by any means that they share a common view on a matter.

(2) Such a decision may take the form of a resolution in writing, copies of which have been signed by each eligible director or to which each eligible director has otherwise indicated agreement in writing.

(3) References in this article to eligible directors are to directors who would have been entitled to vote on the matter had it been proposed as a resolution at a directors' meeting.

(4) A decision may not be taken in accordance with this article if the eligible directors would not have formed a quorum at such a meeting.

#### **Calling A Directors' Meeting**

**9.**—(1) Any director may call a directors' meeting by giving notice of the meeting to the directors or by authorising the company secretary (if any) to give such notice.

(2) Notice of any directors' meeting must indicate—

- (a) its proposed date and time;
- (b) where it is to take place; and

(c) if it is anticipated that directors participating in the meeting will not be in the same place, how it is proposed that they should communicate with each other during the meeting.

(3) Notice of a directors' meeting must be given to each director.

## **Participation in Directors' Meetings**

**10.**—(1) Subject to the articles, directors participate in a directors' meeting, or part of a directors' meeting, when—

(a) the meeting has been called and takes place in accordance with the articles, and

(b) they can each communicate to the others any information or opinions they have on any particular item of the business of the meeting.

(2) In determining whether directors are participating in a directors' meeting, it is irrelevant where any director is or how they communicate with each other.

(3) If all the directors participating in a meeting are not in the same place, they may decide that the meeting is to be treated as taking place wherever any of them is.

## **Quorum for Directors' Meetings**

**11.**—(1) At a directors' meeting, unless a quorum is participating, no proposal is to be voted on, except a proposal to call another meeting.

(2) The quorum necessary for the transaction of the business of directors are two where there are not more than six directors, but where there are more than six directors, the quorum is one-third of the number of directors, and where the number of directors is not a multiple of three, then the quorum is one third to the nearest number.

(3) If the total number of directors for the time being is less than the quorum required, the directors must not take any decision other than a decision—

(a) to appoint further directors, or

(b) to call a general meeting so as to enable the shareholders to appoint further directors.

## **Chairing of Directors' Meetings**

**12.**—(1) The directors may appoint a director to chair their meetings.

(2) The person so appointed for the time being is known as the chairman.

(3) The directors may terminate the chairman's appointment at any time.

(4) If the chairman is not participating in a directors' meeting within five minutes of the time at which it was to start, the participating directors must appoint one of themselves to chair it.

## **Casting Vote**

**13.**—(1) If the numbers of votes for and against a proposal are equal, the chairman or other director chairing the meeting has a casting vote.

(2) But this does not apply if, in accordance with the articles, the chairman or other director is not to be counted as participating in the decision-making process for quorum or voting purposes.

## **Conflicts of Interest**

14.—(1) If a proposed decision of the directors is concerned with an actual or proposed transaction or arrangement with the company in which a director is interested, that director is not to be counted as participating in the decision-making process for quorum or voting purposes.

(2) But if paragraph (3) applies, a director who is interested in an actual or proposed transaction or arrangement with the company is to be counted as participating in the decision-making process for quorum and voting purposes.

(3) This paragraph applies when—

(a) the company by ordinary resolution disapplies the provision of the articles which would otherwise prevent a director from being counted as participating in the decision-making process;

(b) the director's interest cannot reasonably be regarded as likely to give rise to a conflict of interest; or

(c) the director's conflict of interest arises from a permitted cause.

(4) For the purposes of this article, the following are permitted causes—

- (a) a guarantee given, or to be given, by or to a director in respect of an obligation incurred by or on behalf of the company or any of its subsidiaries;
- (b) subscription, or an agreement to subscribe, for securities of the company or any of its subsidiaries, or to underwrite, sub-underwrite, or guarantee subscription for any such securities; and
- (c) arrangements pursuant to which benefits are made available to employees and directors or former employees and directors of the company or any of its subsidiaries which do not provide special benefits for directors or former directors.

(5) For the purposes of this article, references to proposed decisions and decisionmaking processes include any directors' meeting or part of a directors' meeting.

(6) Subject to paragraph (7), if a question arises at a meeting of directors or of a committee of directors as to the right of a director to participate in the meeting (or part of the meeting) for voting or quorum purposes, the question may, before the conclusion of the meeting, be referred to the chairman whose ruling in relation to any director other than the chairman is to be final and conclusive.

(7) If any question as to the right to participate in the meeting (or part of the meeting) should arise in respect of the chairman, the question is to be decided by a decision of the directors at that meeting, for which purpose the chairman is not to be counted as participating in the meeting (or that part of the meeting) for voting or quorum purposes.

## **Records of Decisions to Be Kept**

**15.** The directors must ensure that the company keeps a record, in writing, for at least 10 years from the date of the decision recorded, of every unanimous or majority decision taken by the directors.

#### **Directors' Discretion to Make Further Rules**

16. Subject to the articles, the directors may make any rule which they think fit about how they take decisions, and about how such rules are to be recorded or communicated to directors.

## APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS

## **Methods of Appointing Directors**

**17.**—(1) Any person who is willing to act as a director, and is permitted by law to do so, may be appointed to be a director—

- (a) by ordinary resolution, or
- (b) by a decision of the directors in the case of casual vacancy.

(2) In any case where, as a result of death, the company has no shareholder and no directors, any of the personal representatives of the shareholders entitled to attend and vote at a general meeting shall apply to court for an order to convene a meeting of all the personal representatives to appoint new directors to manage the company, and if they fail to convene a meeting, the creditors, if any, may do so last member to have died have the right, by notice in writing, to appoint a person to be a director.

## **Termination of Director's Appointment**

18. A person ceases to be a director as soon as—

- (a) that person ceases to be a director by virtue of any provision of the Act or is prohibited from being a director by law;
- (b) a bankruptcy order is made against that person;
- (c) a composition is made with that person's creditors generally in satisfaction of that person's debts;
- (d) a registered medical practitioner who is treating that person gives a written opinion to the company stating that that person has become physically or mentally incapable of acting as a director and may remain so for more than three months;
- (e) by reason of that person's mental health, a court makes an order which wholly or partly prevents that person from personally exercising any powers or rights which that person would otherwise have;
- (f) notification is received by the company from the director that the director is resigning from office, and such resignation has taken effect in accordance with its terms.

#### **Directors' Remuneration**

**19.**—(1) Directors may undertake any services for the company that the directors

decide.

(2) Directors are entitled to such remuneration as the company determines—

- (a) for their services to the company as directors, and
- (b) for any other service which they undertake for the company.

(3) Subject to the articles, a director's remuneration may—

- (a) take any form, and
- (b) include any arrangements in connection with the payment of a pension, allowance or gratuity, or any death, sickness or disability benefits, to or in respect of that director.

(4) Unless the directors decide otherwise, directors' remuneration accrues from day to day.

(5) Unless the directors decide otherwise, directors are not accountable to the company for any remuneration which they receive as directors or other officers or employees of the company's subsidiaries or of any other body corporate in which the company is interested.

#### **Directors' Expenses**

**20.** The company may pay any reasonable expenses which the directors properly incur in connection with their attendance at—

(a) meetings of directors or committees of directors,

(b) general meetings, or

(c) separate meetings of the holders of debentures of the company,

or otherwise in connection with the exercise of their powers and the discharge of their responsibilities in relation to the company.

## PART 3

## MEMBERS

## BECOMING AND CEASING TO BE A MEMBER

#### **Application for Membership**

21.—No person shall become a member of the company unless –

- (a) that person has completed an application for membership in a form approved by the directors, and
- (b) The directors have approved the application.

#### **Termination of Membership**

**22.**—(1) A member may withdraw from membership of the company by giving seven days' notice to the company in writing.

(2) Membership is not transferable.

(3) A person's membership terminates when that person dies or ceases to exist.

## ORGANISATION OF GENERAL MEETINGS

## Attendance and Speaking at General Meetings

**23.**—(1) A person is able to exercise the right to speak at a general meeting when that person is in a position to communicate to all those attending the meeting, during the meeting, any information or opinions which that person has on the business of the meeting.

(2) A person is able to exercise the right to vote at a general meeting when-

- (a) that person is able to vote, during the meeting, on resolutions put to the vote at the meeting, and
- (b) that person's vote can be taken into account in determining whether or not such resolutions are passed at the same time as the votes of all the other persons attending the meeting.

(3) The directors may make whatever arrangements they consider appropriate to enable those attending a general meeting to exercise their rights to speak or vote at it.

(4) In determining attendance at a general meeting, it is immaterial whether any two or more members attending it are in the same place as each other.

(5) Two or more persons who are not in the same place as each other attend a general meeting if their circumstances are such that if they have (or were to have) rights to speak and vote at that meeting, they are (or would be) able to exercise them.

#### **Chairing General Meetings**

**24.**—(1) If the directors have appointed a chairman, the chairman shall chair general meetings if present and willing to do so.

(2) If the directors have not appointed a chairman, or if the chairman is unwilling to chair the meeting or is not present within one hour of the time at which a meeting was due to start-

- (a) the directors present, or
- (b) (if no directors are present), the meeting,

must appoint a director or member to chair the meeting, and the appointment of the chairman of the meeting must be the first business of the meeting.

(3) The person chairing a meeting in accordance with this article is referred to as "the chairman of the meeting".

#### Attendance and Speaking by Directors and Non-Shareholders

**25.**—(1) Directors may attend and speak at general meetings, whether or not they are members.

(2) The chairman of the meeting may permit other persons who are not members of the company to attend and speak at a general meeting.

#### Adjournment

**26.**—(1) If the persons attending a general meeting within one hour of the time at which the meeting was due to start do not constitute a quorum, or if during a meeting a quorum ceases to be present, the chairman of the meeting must adjourn it.

(2) The chairman of the meeting may adjourn a general meeting at which a quorum is present if-

- (a) the meeting consents to an adjournment, or
- (b) it appears to the chairman of the meeting that an adjournment is necessary to protect the safety of any person attending the meeting or ensure that the business of the meeting is conducted in an orderly manner.

(3) The chairman of the meeting must adjourn a general meeting if directed to do so by the meeting.

(4) When adjourning a general meeting, the chairman of the meeting must—

(a) either specify the time and place to which it is adjourned or state that it is to

continue at a time and place to be fixed by the directors, and

(b) have regard to any directions as to the time and place of any adjournment which have been given by the meeting.

(5) If the continuation of an adjourned meeting is to take place more than 30 days after it was adjourned, notice of the adjourned meeting and the business to be transacted shall be given as in the case of the original meeting.

(6) No business may be transacted at an adjourned general meeting which could not properly have been transacted at the meeting if the adjournment had not taken place.

## VOTING AT GENERAL MEETINGS

#### **Voting: General**

27. A resolution put to the vote of a general meeting must be decided on a show of hands unless a poll is duly demanded in accordance with the articles.

## **Errors and Disputes**

**28.**—(1) No objection may be raised to the qualification of any person voting at a general meeting except at the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the vote objected to is tendered, and every vote not disallowed at the meeting is valid.

(2) Any such objection must be referred to the chairman of the meeting whose decision is final.

## **Poll Votes**

**29.**—(1) A poll on a resolution may be demanded—

- (a) in advance of the general meeting where it is to be put to the vote, or
- (b) at a general meeting, either before a show of hands on that resolution or immediately after the result of a show of hands on that resolution is declared.
- (2) A poll may be demanded by—
  - (a) the chairman of the meeting where he is a member or a proxy;
  - (b) at least three members present in person or by proxy;
  - (c) any member or members present in person or by proxy and representing at least one tenth of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote at the meeting;
- (3) A demand for a poll may be withdrawn if—
  - (a) the poll has not yet been taken, and
  - (b) the chairman of the meeting consents to the withdrawal.

(4) Polls must be taken immediately and in such manner as the chairman of the meeting directs.

## **Content of Proxy Notices**

**30.**—(1) Proxies may only validly be appointed by a notice in writing (a "proxy notice") which—

- (a) states the name and address of the member appointing the proxy;
- (b) identifies the person appointed to be that member's proxy and the general meeting in relation to which that person is appointed;
- (c) is signed by or on behalf of the member appointing the proxy, or is authenticated in such manner as the directors may determine; and
- (d) is delivered to the company in accordance with the articles and any instructions contained in the notice of the general meeting to which they relate.

(2) The company may require proxy notices to be delivered in a particular form, and may specify different forms for different purposes.

(3) Proxy notices may specify how the proxy appointed under them is to vote (or that the proxy is to abstain from voting) on one or more resolutions.

- (4) Unless a proxy notice indicates otherwise, it must be treated as—
  - (a) allowing the person appointed under it as a proxy discretion as to how to vote on any ancillary or procedural resolutions put to the meeting, and

(b) appointing that person as a proxy in relation to any adjournment of the general meeting to which it relates as well as the meeting itself.

#### **Delivery of Proxy Notices**

**31.**—(1) A person who is entitled to attend, speak or vote (either on a show of hands or on a poll) at a general meeting remains so entitled in respect of that meeting or any adjournment of it, even though a valid proxy notice has been delivered to the company by or on behalf of that person.

(2) An appointment under a proxy notice may be revoked by delivering to the company a notice in writing given by or on behalf of the person by whom or on whose behalf the proxy notice was given.

(3) A notice revoking a proxy appointment only takes effect if it is delivered before the start of the meeting or adjourned meeting to which it relates.

(4) If a proxy notice is not executed by the person appointing the proxy, it must be accompanied by written evidence of the authority of the person who executed it to execute it on the appointor's behalf.

#### **Amendments to Resolutions**

**32.**—(1) An ordinary resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution if—

- (a) notice of the proposed amendment is given to the company in writing by a person entitled to vote at the general meeting at which it is to be proposed not less than 48 hours before the meeting is to take place (or such later time as the chairman of the meeting may determine), and
- (b) the proposed amendment does not, in the reasonable opinion of the chairman of the meeting, materially alter the scope of the resolution.

(2) A special resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution, if—

- (a) the chairman of the meeting proposes the amendment at the general meeting at which the resolution is to be proposed, and
- (b) the amendment does not go beyond what is necessary to correct a grammatical or other non-substantive error in the resolution.

(3) If the chairman of the meeting, acting in good faith, wrongly decides that an amendment to a resolution is out of order, the chairman's error does not invalidate the vote on that resolution.

### PART 5

#### ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

#### Means of Communication to be Used

**33.**—(1) Subject to the articles, anything sent or supplied by or to the company under the articles may

be sent or supplied in any way in which the Act provides for documents or information which are authorised or required by any provision of that Act to be sent or supplied by or to the company.

(2) Subject to the articles, any notice or document to be sent or supplied to a director in connection with the taking of decisions by directors may also be sent or supplied by the means by which that director has asked to be sent or supplied with such notices or documents for the time being.

(3) A director may agree with the company that notices or documents sent to that director in a particular way are to be deemed to have been received within a specified time of their being sent, and for the specified time to be less than 48 hours.

## **Company Seals**

**34.**—(1) Any common seal may only be used by the authority of the directors.

(2) The directors may decide by what means and in what form any common seal is to be used.

(3) Unless otherwise decided by the directors, if the company has a common seal and it is affixed to a document, the document must also be signed by at least one authorised person in the presence of a witness who attests the signature.

(4) For the purposes of this article, an authorised person is—

- (a) any director of the company;
- (b) the company secretary (if any); or
- (c) any person authorised by the directors for the purpose of signing documents to which the common seal is applied.

## No Right to Inspect Accounts and Other Records

**35.** Except as provided by law or authorised by the directors or an ordinary resolution of the company, no person is entitled to inspect any of the company's accounting or other records or documents merely by virtue of being a member.

## **Provision for Employees On Cessation of Business**

**36.** The directors may decide to make provision for the benefit of persons employed or formerly employed by the company or any of its subsidiaries (other than a director or former director or shadow director) in connection with the cessation or transfer to any person of the whole or part of the undertaking of the company or that subsidiary.

## **Borrowing Powers**

**37.** The directors may exercise the powers of the company to borrow money for the purpose of its business or objects and may mortgage or charge its undertaking, property and uncalled capital, or any part thereof, and issue debenture, debenture stock and other securities whether outright or as security for any debt, liability or obligation of the company.

## DIRECTORS' INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

## Indemnity

**38.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), a relevant director of the company or an associated company may be indemnified out of the company's assets against—

(a) any liability incurred by that director in connection with any negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust in relation to the company or an associated company,

(b) any liability incurred by that director as an officer of the company or an associated company.

(2) This article does not authorise any indemnity which would be prohibited or rendered void by any provision of the Act or by any other provision of law.

(3) In this article—

- (a) companies are associated if one is a subsidiary of the other or both are subsidiaries of the same body corporate, and
- (b) a "relevant director" means any director or former director of the company or an associated company.

#### Insurance

**39.**—(1) The company may purchase and maintain insurance for the benefit of any relevant director in respect of any relevant loss.

(2) In this article—

- (a) a "relevant director" means any director or former director of the company or an associated company,
- (b) a "relevant loss" means any loss or liability which has been or may be incurred by a relevant director in connection with that director's duties or powers in relation to the company, any associated company or any pension fund or employees' share scheme of the company or associated company, and
- (c) companies are associated if one is a subsidiary of the other or both are subsidiaries of the same body corporate.

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## **TWENTY-SECOND SCHEDULE**

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#### PART 1

#### INTERPRETATION AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

#### **Defined Terms**

1.—(1) In these articles. Unless the context requires otherwise -

"Act" means the Companies and Allied Matters Act, 2020 (CAMA)

"alternate" or "alternate director" has the meaning given in article 25

"appointor" has the meaning given in article 25

"articles" means the company articles of association;

"call" has the meaning given in article 53;

"call notice" has the meaning given in article 53;

*"certificate"* means a certificate, in paper or electronic form, evidencing a person's title to specified shares or other securities;

"certificated" in relation to a share, means that it is not an uncertificated share;

"chairman" has the meaning given in article 12;

"chairman of the meeting" has the meaning given in article 31;

"company's lien" has the meaning given in article 51;

*"director"* has the meaning given in the Act and includes any person occupying the position of director, by whatever name called;

"distribution recipient" has the meaning given in article 71;

"document" includes, unless otherwise specified, any document sent or supplied in physical or electronic form;

*"electronic form"* has the following meaning:

- 1) documents or information sent or supplied by electronic means for example by email or software by other means while in an electronic form (for example sending disk by post), and references to electronic copy shall have a corresponding meaning and a document or information is sent or supplied by electronic means if it is sent initially and received at its destination by means of electronic equipment for the processing (which expression includes digital compression) or storage of data and entirely transmitted, conveyed and received by wire, by radio, by optical means or by electromagnetic means; references to electronic means shall have a corresponding meaning;
- 2) a document or information authorized or requested to be sent or supplied in an electronic form must be sent or supplied in a form and by a means the sender or supplier reasonably considers will enable the recipient to read and retain a copy of it; and for this purpose, a document or information can be read only if it can be read with the naked eye, or to the extent that it connotes images (for example photographs, pictures, maps, plans or drawings) it can be seen with the naked eyes;

*"fully paid"* in relation to a share, means that the nominal value and any premium to be paid to the company in respect of that share have been paid to the company;

*"hard copy form"* means a document or information sent or supplied in hard copy form or in a paper copy or similar form capable of being read and a reference to hard copy has a corresponding meaning;

"*holder*" in relation to shares means the person whose name is entered in the register of members as the holder of the shares;

"instrument" means a document in hard or soft copy form;

"lien enforcement notice" has the meaning given in article 52;

"manager" in relation to disclosure of remuneration at annual general meeting includes any person by whatever name called occupying a position in senior management and who is vested with significant autonomy, discretion, and authority in the administration and management of the affairs of a company (whether in whole or in part);

"member" has the meaning given in section 868 (1) of the Act;

"ordinary resolution" has the meaning given in section 258 (1) of the Act;

"paid" means paid or credited as paid;

*"participate"*, in relation to a directors' meeting, has the meaning given in article 9; *"partly paid"* in relation to a share means that part of that share's nominal value or any premium on at which it was issued has not been paid to the company;

"proxy notice" has the meaning given in article 38;

"securities seal" has the meaning given in article 47;

"share" means shares in the company;

"special resolution" has the meaning given in section 258 (2) of the Act;

"subsidiary" has the meaning given in section 381 of the Act;

*"transmittee"* means a person becoming entitled to a share in consequence of the death or bankruptcy of a member or otherwise by law;

*"uncertificated"* in relation to a share means that, by virtue of legislation, rules or guidelines applicable to public companies permitting title to shares to be evidenced and transferred without a certificate; title to that share is evidenced and may be transferred without a certificate; and

*"writing"* means the representation or reproduction of words, symbols or other information in a visible form by any method or combination of methods, whether sent or supplied in electronic form or otherwise.

(2) Unless the context otherwise requires, other words or expressions contained in these articles bear the same meaning as in the CAMA, 2020 as in force on the date when these articles become binding on the company.

## Liability of Members

**2.** The liability of the members is limited to the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares held by them.

## PART 2

## DIRECTORS

#### DIRECTORS' POWERS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

#### **Directors' General Authority**

**3.** Subject to the articles, the directors are responsible for the management of the company's business, for which purpose they may exercise all the powers of the company.

#### Members' Reserve Power

**4.**—(1) The members may, by special resolution, direct the directors to take, or refrain from taking, specified action.

(2) No such special resolution invalidates anything which the directors have done before the passing of the resolution.

## **Directors May Delegate**

**5.**—(1) Subject to the articles, the directors may delegate any of the powers which are conferred on them under the articles—

- (a) to such person or committee;
- (b) by such means (including by power of attorney);
- (c) to such an extent;
- (d) in relation to such matters or territories; and
- (e) on such terms and conditions;

as they think fit.

(2) If the directors so specify, any such delegation may authorise further delegation of the directors' powers by any person to whom they are delegated.

(3) The directors may revoke any delegation in whole or part, or alter its terms and conditions.

#### Committees

**6.**—(1) Committees to which the directors delegate any of their powers must follow procedures which are based as far as they are applicable on those provisions of the articles which govern the taking of decisions by directors.

(2) The directors may make rules of procedure for all or any committees, which prevail over rules derived from the articles if they are not consistent with them.

## DECISION-MAKING BY DIRECTORS

#### **Directors to Take Decisions Collectively**

- 7. Decisions of the directors may be taken—
  - (a) at a directors' meeting, or
  - (b) in the form of a directors' written resolution

## **Calling A Directors' Meeting**

**8.**—(1) Any director may call a directors' meeting.

- (2) The company secretary must call a directors' meeting if a director so requests.
- (3) A directors' meeting is called by giving notice of the meeting to the directors,
- (4) Notice of any directors' meeting must indicate—
  - (a) its proposed date and time;
  - (b) where it is to take place; and

(c) if it is anticipated that directors participating in the meeting will not be in the same place, how it is proposed that they should communicate with each other during the meeting.

(5) Notice of a directors' meeting must be given to each director, but need not be in writing.

## **Participation in Directors' Meetings**

**9.**—(1) Subject to the articles, directors participate in a directors' meeting, or part of a directors' meeting, when—

(a) the meeting has been called and takes place in accordance with the articles, and

(b) they can each communicate to the others any information or opinions they have on any particular item of the business of the meeting.

(2) In determining whether directors are participating in a directors' meeting, it is irrelevant where any director is or how they communicate with each other.

(3) If all the directors participating in a meeting are not in the same place, they may decide that the meeting is to be treated as taking place wherever any of them is.

## **Quorum for Directors' Meetings**

**10.**—(1) At a directors' meeting, unless a quorum is participating, no proposal is to be voted on, except a proposal to call another meeting.

(2) The quorum necessary for the transaction of the business of directors is two where there are not more than six directors, but where there are more than six directors, the quorum is one-third of the number of directors, and where the number of directors is not a multiple of three, then the quorum is one third to the nearest number.

## Meeting where Total Number of Directors Less than Quorum

**11.**—(1) This article applies where the total number of directors for the time being is less than the quorum for directors' meetings.

(2) If there is only one director, that director may appoint sufficient directors to make up a quorum or call a general meeting to do so.

(3) If there is more than one director—

- (a) a directors' meeting may take place, if it is called in accordance with the articles and at least two directors participate in it, with a view to appointing sufficient directors to make up a quorum or calling a general meeting to do so, and
- (b) if a directors' meeting is called but only one director attends at the appointed date and time to participate in it, that director may appoint sufficient directors to make up a quorum or call a general meeting to do so.

## **Chairing of Directors' Meetings**

**12.**—(1) The directors may appoint a director to chair their meetings.

(2) The person so appointed for the time being is known as the chairman.

(3) The directors may appoint other directors as deputy or assistant chairman to chair directors' meetings in the chairman's absence.

(4) The directors may terminate the appointment of the chairman, deputy or assistant chairman at any time.

(5) If neither the chairman nor any director appointed generally to chair directors' meetings in the chairman's absence is not present in a meeting within five minutes of the time at which it was to start, the participating directors must appoint one of themselves to chair it.

## Voting at a Directors' Meeting: General Rules

13.—(1) Subject to the articles, a decision is taken at a directors' meeting by a majority of the votes of the participating directors.

(2) Subject to the articles, each director participating in a directors' meeting has one vote.

(3) Subject to the articles, if a director has an interest in an actual or proposed transaction or arrangement with the company –

- (a) that director and that director's alternate may not vote on any proposal relating to it, but
- (b) this does not preclude the alternate from voting in relation to that transaction or arrangement on behalf of another appointor who does not have such an interest.

#### **Chairman's Casting Vote at Directors' Meetings**

14.—(1) If the numbers of votes for and against a proposal are equal, the chairman or

other director chairing the meeting has a casting vote. (2) But this does not apply if, in accordance with the articles, the chairman or other director is not to be counted as participating in the decision making process for quorum or voting purposes.

#### **Alternates Voting at Directors' Meetings**

**15.** A director who is also an alternate director has an additional vote on behalf of each appointor who is –

- (a) not participating in a directors' meeting,
- (b) would have been entitled to vote if they were participating in it.

#### **Conflicts of Interest**

**16.**—(1) If a meeting, or part of a directors' meeting, is concerned with an actual or proposed transaction or arrangement with the company in which a director is interested, that director is not to be counted as participating in the decision-making process for quorum or voting purposes.

(2) But if paragraph (3) applies, a director who is interested in an actual or proposed transaction or arrangement with the company is to be counted as participating in a decision at a directors' meeting, or part of a directors' meeting, relating to it for quorum and voting purposes.

(3) This paragraph applies when—

(a) the company by ordinary resolution disapplies the provision of the articles which would otherwise prevent a director from being counted as participating in, or voting at, a directors' meeting;

(b) the director's interest cannot reasonably be regarded as likely to give rise to a conflict of interest; or

- (c) the director's conflict of interest arises from a permitted cause.
- (4) For the purposes of this article, the following are permitted causes
  - a guarantee given, or to be given, by or to a director in respect of an (a) obligation incurred by or on behalf of the company or any of its subsidiaries;
  - (b) subscription, or an agreement to subscribe, for shares or other securities of the company or any of its subsidiaries, or to underwrite, sub-underwrite, or guarantee subscription for any such shares or securities; and
  - (c) arrangements pursuant to which benefits are made available to employees and directors or former employees and directors of the company or any of its subsidiaries which do not provide special benefits for directors or former directors.

(5) Subject to paragraph (6), if a question arises at a meeting of directors or of a committee of directors as to the right of a director to participate in the meeting (or part of the meeting) for voting or quorum purposes, the question may, before the conclusion of the meeting, be referred to the chairman whose ruling in relation to any director other than the chairman is to be final and conclusive.

(6) If any question as to the right to participate in the meeting (or part of the meeting) should arise in respect of the chairman, the question is to be decided by a decision of the directors at that meeting, for which purpose the chairman is not to be counted as participating in the meeting (or that part of the meeting) for voting or quorum purposes.

## **Proposing Directors' Written Resolutions**

**17.**—(1) Any director may propose a directors' written resolution.

(2) The company secretary must propose a directors' written resolution if a director so requests. (3) A directors' written resolution is proposed by giving notice of the proposed resolution to the directors.

(4) Notice of a proposed directors' written resolution must indicate—

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(a) the proposed resolution, and

(b) the time and date by which it is proposed that the directors should adopt it.

(5) Notice of a proposed directors' written resolution must be given in writing to each director. (6) Any decision which a person giving notice of a proposed directors' written resolution takes regarding the process of adopting that resolution must be taken reasonably in good faith.

## Adoption of Directors' Written Resolutions

**18.**—(1) A proposed directors' written resolution is adopted when all the directors who would have been entitled to vote on the resolution at a directors' meeting have signed one or more copies of it.

(2) It is immaterial whether any director signs the resolution before or after the time by which the notice proposed that it should be adopted.

(3) Once a directors' written resolution has been adopted, it must be treated as if it had been a decision taken at a directors' meeting in accordance with the articles.

(4) The company secretary must ensure that the company keeps a record, in writing, of all directors' written resolutions for at least ten years from the date of their adoption.

## Directors' Discretion to Make Further Rulesguarantee

**19.** Subject to the articles, the directors may make any rule which they think fit about how they take decisions, and about how such rules are to be recorded or communicated to directors.

## APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTORS

## **Methods of Appointing Directors**

**20.**—Any person who is willing to act as a director, and is permitted by law to do so, may be appointed to be a director—

(a) by ordinary resolution, or

(b) by a decision of the directors in the case of casual vacancy or where the number of directors is less than the minimum prescribed by the articles, provided that all directors appointed by the board of directors shall be ratified at the next general meeting of the company, failing which all such directors shall immediately cease to hold office as directors of the company.

#### Retirement of directors by rotation

**21.**—(1) At the first annual general meeting all the directors must retire from office.

(2) At every subsequent annual general meeting any directors—

- (a) who have been appointed by the directors since the last annual general meeting, or
- (b) who were not appointed or reappointed at one of the preceding two annual general meetings,

must retire from office and may offer themselves for reappointment by the members.

#### **Termination of Director's Appointment**

22. A person ceases to be a director as soon as—

- (a) that person ceases to be a director by virtue of any provision of the Act or is prohibited from being a director by law;
- (b) a bankruptcy order is made against that person;
- (c) a composition is made with that person's creditors generally in satisfaction of that person's debts;
- (d) a registered medical practitioner who is treating that person gives a written opinion to the company stating that that person has become physically or mentally incapable of acting as a director and may remain so for more than three months;
- (e) by reason of that person's mental health, a court makes an order which wholly or partly prevents that person from personally exercising any powers or rights which that person would otherwise have;
- (f) notification is received by the company from the director that the director is resigning from office, and such resignation has taken effect in accordance with its terms.

### **Directors' Remuneration**

**23.**—(1) Directors may undertake any services for the company that the directors decide

decide.

- (2) Directors are entitled to such remuneration as the company determines—
  - (a) for their services to the company as directors, and
  - (b) for any other service which they undertake for the company.

(3) Subject to the articles, a director's remuneration may—

- (a) take any form, and
- (b) include any arrangements in connection with the payment of a pension, allowance or gratuity, or any death, sickness or disability benefits, to or in respect of that director.

(4) Unless the directors decide otherwise, directors' remuneration accrues from day to day.

(5) Unless the directors decide otherwise, directors are not accountable to the company for any remuneration which they receive as directors or other officers or employees of the company's subsidiaries or of any other body corporate in which the company is interested.

## **Directors' Expenses**

**24.** The company may pay any reasonable expenses which the directors properly incur in connection with their attendance at—

- (a) meetings of directors or committees of directors,
- (b) general meetings, or

(c) separate meetings of the holders of any class of shares or of debentures of the company,

or otherwise in connection with the exercise of their powers and the discharge of their responsibilities in relation to the company.

#### ALTERNATE DIRECTORS

#### **Appointment and Removal of Alternates**

**25.**—(1) Any director (the "appointor") may appoint as an alternate any other director, or any other person approved by resolution of the directors, to—

- (a) exercise that director's powers, and
- (b) carry out that director's responsibilities,

in relation to the taking of decisions by the directors in the absence of the alternate's appointor.

(2) Any appointment or removal of an alternate must be effected by notice in writing to the company signed by the appointor, or in any other manner approved by the directors.

(3) The notice must—

- (a) identify the proposed alternate, and
- (b) in the case of a notice of appointment, contain a statement signed by the proposed alternate that the proposed alternate is willing to act as the alternate of the appointor.

#### **Rights and Responsibilities of Alternate Directors**

**26.**—(1) An alternate director has the same rights, in relation to any directors' meeting or directors' written resolution, as the alternate's appointor.

(2) Except as the articles specify otherwise, alternate

directors-

- (a) are deemed for all purposes to be directors;
- (b) are liable for their own acts and omissions;
- (c) are subject to the same restrictions as their appointors; and
- (d) are not deemed to be agents of or for their appointors.

(3) A person who is an alternate director but not a director—

- (a) may be counted as participating for the purposes of determining whether a quorum is participating (but only if that person's appointor is not participating), and
- (b) may sign a written resolution (but only if it is not signed or to be signed by that person's appointor).

No alternate may be counted as more than one director for such purposes.

(4) An alternate director is not entitled to receive any remuneration from the company for serving as an alternate director except such part of the alternate's appointor's remuneration as the appointor may direct by notice in writing made to the company.

#### **Termination of Alternate Directorship**

**27.** An alternate director's appointment as an alternate terminates—

- (a) when the alternate's appointor revokes the appointment by notice to the company in writing specifying when it is to terminate;
- (b) on the occurrence in relation to the alternate of any event which, if it occurred in relation to the alternate's appointor, would result in the termination of the appointor's appointment as a director;
- (c) on the death of the alternate's appointor; or
- (d) when the alternate's appointor's appointment as a director terminates, except that an alternate's appointment as an alternate does not terminate when the appointor retires by rotation at a general meeting and is then re-appointed as a director at the same general meeting.

#### PART3

#### DECISION N-MAKING BY MEMBERS

#### ORGANISATIONNOF GENERAL MEETING

#### Members Can Call General Meeting If Not Enough Directors

28. If—

- (a) the company has fewer than two directors, and
- (b) the director is unable or unwilling to appoint sufficient directors to make up a quorum or to call a general meeting to do so,

then two or more members may call a general meeting (or instruct the company secretary to do so) for the purpose of appointing one or more directors.

#### **Chairing General Meetings**

**29.**—(1) If the directors have appointed a chairman, the chairman shall chair general meetings if present and willing to do so.

(2) If the directors have not appointed a chairman, or if the chairman is unwilling to chair the meeting or is not present within one hour of the time at which a meeting was due to start—

- (a) the directors present, or
- (b) (if no directors are present), the meeting,

must appoint a director or member to chair the meeting, and the appointment of the chairman of the meeting must be the first business of the meeting.

(3) The person chairing a meeting in accordance with this article is referred to as "the chairman of the meeting".

#### Attendance and Speaking by Directors and Non-Members

**30.**—(1) Directors may attend and speak at general meetings, whether or not they are members.

(2) The chairman of the meeting may permit other persons who are not—

- (a) members of the company, or
- (b) otherwise entitled to exercise the rights of members in relation to general meetings,

to attend and speak at a general meeting.

#### Adjournment

**31.**—(1) If the persons attending a general meeting within one hour of the time at which the meeting was due to start do not constitute a quorum, or if during a meeting a quorum ceases to be present as a result of members leaving for what appears to the chairman to be sufficient reasons, the meeting shall be adjourned.

(2) The chairman of the meeting may adjourn a general meeting at which a quorum is

present if (a) the meeting consents to an adjournment, or

(b) it appears to the chairman of the meeting that an adjournment is necessary to protect the safety of any person attending the meeting or ensure that the business of the meeting is conducted in an orderly manner.

(3) The chairman of the meeting must adjourn a general meeting if directed to do so by the meeting.

- (4) When adjourning a general meeting, the chairman of the meeting must—
  - (a) either specify the time and place to which it is adjourned or state that it is to continue at a time and place to be fixed by the directors, and
  - (b) have regard to any directions as to the time and place of any adjournment which have been given by the meeting.

(5) If the continuation of an adjourned meeting is to take place more than 30 days after it was adjourned, notice of the adjourned meeting and the business to be transacted shall be given as in the case of the original meeting.

- (a) to the same persons to whom notice of the company's general meetings is required to be given, and
- (b) containing the same information which such notice is required to contain.

(6) No business may be transacted at an adjourned general meeting which could not properly have been transacted at the meeting if the adjournment had not taken place.

#### VOTING AT GENERAL MEETINGS

#### Voting: General

**32.** A resolution put to the vote of a general meeting must be decided on a show of hands unless a poll is duly demanded in accordance with the articles.

## **Errors and Disputes**

**33.**—(1) No objection may be raised to the qualification of any person voting at a general meeting except at the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the vote objected to is tendered, and every vote not disallowed at the meeting is valid.

(2) Any such objection must be referred to the chairman of the meeting whose decision is final.

## **Demanding a Poll**

**34**—(1) A poll on a resolution may be demanded—

- (a) in advance of the general meeting where it is to be put to the vote, or
- (b) at a general meeting, either before a show of hands on that resolution or immediately after the result of a show of hands on that resolution is declared.
- (2) A poll may be demanded by— (a) the chairman, where he is a member or a proxy;
  - (b) at least three members present in person or by

proxy;

- (c) a member or members present in person or by proxy and representing at least one tenth of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote at the meeting; or
- (d) any member or members in the company conferring a right to vote at the meeting having shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to at least one-tenth of the total sum paid up on all the shares conferring that right.
- (3) A demand for a poll may be withdrawn if—
  - (a) the poll has not yet been taken, and
  - (b) the chairman of the meeting consents to the withdrawal.

## **Procedure On a Poll**

**35.**—(1) Subject to the articles, polls at general meetings must be taken when, where and in such manner as the chairman of the meeting directs.

(2) The chairman of the meeting may appoint scrutineers (who need not be members) and decide how and when the result of the poll is to be declared.

(3) The result of a poll shall be the decision of the meeting in respect of the resolution on which the poll was demanded.

(4) A poll on—

- (a) the election of the chairman of the meeting, or
- (b) a question of adjournment, must be taken immediately.
- (5) Other polls shall be taken at such time as the chairman directs.

(6) A demand for a poll does not prevent a general meeting from continuing, except as regards the question on which the poll was demanded.

(7) No notice need be given of a poll not taken immediately if the time and place at which it is to be taken are announced at the meeting at which it is demanded.

(8) In any other case, at least 7 days' notice must be given specifying the time and place at which the poll is to be taken.

## **Content of Proxy Notices**

**36.**—(1) Proxies may only validly be appointed by a notice in writing (a "proxy notice") which—

- (a) states the name and address of the member appointing the proxy;
- (b) identifies the person appointed to be that member's proxy and the general meeting in relation to which that person is appointed;
- (c) is signed by or on behalf of the member appointing the proxy, or is authenticated in such manner as the directors may determine; and
- (d) is delivered to the company in accordance with the articles and any instructions contained in the notice of the general meeting to which they relate.

(2) The company may require proxy notices to be delivered in a particular form, and may specify different forms for different purposes.

(3) Proxy notices may specify how the proxy appointed under them is to vote (or that the proxy is to abstain from voting) on one or more resolutions.

(4) Unless a proxy notice indicates otherwise, it must be treated as—

- (a) allowing the person appointed under it as a proxy discretion as to how to vote on any ancillary or procedural resolutions put to the meeting, and
- (b) appointing that person as a proxy in relation to any adjournment of the general meeting to which it relates as well as the meeting itself.

### **Delivery of Proxy Notices**

**37.**—(1) Any notice of a general meeting must specify the address or addresses ("proxy notification address") at which the company or its agents will receive proxy notices relating to that meeting, or any adjournment of it, delivered in hard copy or electronic form.

(2) A person who is entitled to attend, speak or vote (either on a show of hands or on a poll) at a general meeting remains so entitled in respect of that meeting or any adjournment of it, even though a valid proxy notice has been delivered to the company by or on behalf of that person.

(3) Subject to paragraphs (4) and (5), a proxy notice must be delivered to a proxy notification address not less than 48 hours before the general meeting or adjourned meeting to which it relates.

(4) In the case of a poll taken more than 48 hours after it is demanded, the proxy notice must be delivered to a proxy notification address not less than 24 hours before the time appointed for the taking of the poll.

(5) In the case of a poll not taken during the meeting but taken not more than 48 hours after it was demanded, the proxy notice must be delivered—

- (a) in accordance with paragraph (3), or
- (b) at the meeting at which the poll was demanded to the chairman, secretary or any director.

(6) An appointment under a proxy notice may be revoked by delivering a notice in writing given by or on behalf of the person by whom or on whose behalf the proxy notice was given to a proxy notification address.

(7) A notice revoking a proxy appointment only takes effect if it is delivered before—

- (a) the start of the meeting or adjourned meeting to which it relates, or
- (b) (in the case of a poll not taken on the same day as the meeting or adjourned meeting) the time appointed for taking the poll to which it relates.

(8) If a proxy notice is not signed by the person appointing the proxy, it must be accompanied by written evidence of the authority of the person who executed it to execute it on the appointor's behalf.

#### Amendments to Resolutions

**38.**—(1) An ordinary resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution if—

- (a) notice of the proposed amendment is given to the company secretary in writing by a person entitled to vote at the general meeting at which it is to be proposed not less than 48 hours before the meeting is to take place (or such later time as the chairman of the meeting may determine), and
- (b) the proposed amendment does not, in the reasonable opinion of the chairman of the meeting, materially alter the scope of the resolution.

(2) A special resolution to be proposed at a general meeting may be amended by ordinary resolution, if—

- (a) the chairman of the meeting proposes the amendment at the general meeting at which the resolution is to be proposed, and
- (b) the amendment does not go beyond what is necessary to correct a grammatical or other non-substantive error in the resolution.

(3) If the chairman of the meeting, acting in good faith, wrongly decides that an amendment to a resolution is out of order, the chairman's error does not invalidate the vote on that resolution.

## **RESTRICTIONS ON MEMBERS' RIGHTS**

#### No Voting of Shares On Which Money Owed to Company

**39.** No voting rights attached to a share may be exercised at any general meeting, at any adjournment of it, or on any poll called at or in relation to it, unless all amounts payable to the company in respect of that share have been paid.

## APPLICATION OF RULES TO CLASS MEETINGS

#### **Class Meetings**

**40.** The provisions of the articles relating to general meetings apply, with any necessary modifications, to meetings of the holders of any class of shares.

## PART 4

## SHARES AND DISTRIBUTIONS

#### **ISSUE OF SHARES**

#### Powers to Issue Different Classes of Share

**41.**—(1) Subject to the articles, but without prejudice to the rights attached to any existing share, the company may issue shares with such rights or restrictions as may be determined by ordinary resolution.

(2) The company may issue shares which are to be redeemed, or are liable to be redeemed at the option of the company or the holder, and the directors may determine the terms, conditions and manner of redemption of any such shares.

## Payment of Commissions On Subscription for Shares

**42**—(1) The company may pay any person a commission in consideration for that person—

(a) subscribing, or agreeing to subscribe, for shares, or

- (b) procuring, or agreeing to procure, subscriptions for shares.
- (2) Any such commission may be paid—
  - (a) in cash, or in fully paid or partly paid shares or other securities, or partly in one way and partly in the other, and
  - (b) in respect of a conditional or an absolute subscription.

## INTERESTS IN SHARES

## **Company Not Bound by Less Than Absolute Interests**

**43.** Except as required by law, no person is to be recognised by the company as holding any share upon any trust, and except as otherwise required by law or the articles, the company is not in any way to be bound by or recognise any interest in a share other than the holder's absolute ownership of it and all the rights attaching to it.

## SHARE CERTIFICATES

## **Certificates to Be Issued Except in Certain Cases**

**44.**—(1) The company must issue each member with one or more certificates in respect of the shares which that member holds.

(2) This article does not apply to—

- (a) uncertificated shares, or
- (b) shares in respect of which the Act permit the company not to issue a certificate.

(3) Except as otherwise specified in the articles, all certificates must be issued free of charge.

(4) If more than one person holds a share, only one certificate may be issued in respect of it.

## **Contents and Execution of Share Certificates**

**45.**—(1) Every certificate must specify—

- (a) in respect of how many shares, of what class, it is issued;
- (b) the nominal value of those shares;
- (c) the amount paid up on them; and

- (d) any distinguishing numbers assigned to them.
- (2) Certificates must-
  - (a) have affixed to them the company's common seal (if any), or
  - (b) be otherwise executed in accordance with the Act.

## **Consolidated Share Certificates**

**46.**—(1) When a member's holding of shares of a particular class increases, the company may issue that member with—

- (a) a single, consolidated certificate in respect of all the shares of a particular class which that member holds, or
- (b) a separate certificate in respect of only those shares by which that member's holding has increased.

(2) When a member's holding of shares of a particular class is reduced, the company must ensure that the member is issued with one or more certificates in respect of the number of shares held by the member after that reduction. But the company need not (in the absence of a request from the member) issue any new certificate if—

(a) all the shares which the member no longer holds as a result of the reduction, and

(b) none of the shares which the member retains following the reduction, were,

immediately before the reduction, represented by the same certificate.

(3) A member may request the company, in writing, to replace—

- (a) the member's separate certificates with a consolidated certificate, or
- (b) the member's consolidated certificate with two or more separate certificates representing such proportion of the shares as the member may specify.

(4) When the company complies with such a request it may charge such reasonable fee as the directors may decide for doing so.

(5) A consolidated certificate must not be issued unless any certificates which it is to replace have first been returned to the company for cancellation.

## **Replacement Share Certificates**

47.—(1) If a physical certificate issued in respect of a member's shares is—

- (a) damaged or defaced, or
- (b) said to be lost, stolen or destroyed,

that member is entitled to be issued with a replacement certificate in respect of the same shares.

(2) A member exercising the right to be issued with such a replacement certificate—

- (a) may at the same time exercise the right to be issued with a single certificate or separate certificates;
- (b) must return the certificate which is to be replaced to the company if it is damaged or defaced; and
- (c) must comply with such conditions as to evidence, indemnity and the payment of a reasonable fee as the directors decide.

## SHARES NOT HELD IN CERTIFICATED FORM

## **Uncertificated Shares**

**48.**—(1) In this article, "the relevant rules" means—

- (a) any applicable provision of the Act about the holding, evidencing of title to, or transfer of shares other than in certificated form, and
- (b) any applicable legislation, rules or other arrangements made under or by virtue of such provision.
- (2) The provisions of this article have effect subject to the relevant rules.

(3) Any provision of the articles which is inconsistent with the relevant rules must be disregarded, to the extent that it is inconsistent, whenever the relevant rules apply.

(4) Any share or class of shares of the company may be issued or held on such terms, or in such a way, that—

- (a) title to it or them is not, or must not be, evidenced by a certificate, or
- (b) it or they may or must be transferred wholly or partly without a certificate.

(5) The directors have power to take such steps as they think fit in relation

to—

- (a) the evidencing of and transfer of title to uncertificated shares (including in connection with the issue of such shares);
- (b) any records relating to the holding of uncertificated shares;
- (c) the conversion of certificated shares into uncertificated shares; or
- (d) the conversion of uncertificated shares into certificated shares.
- (6) The company may by notice to the holder of a share require that share—
  - (a) if it is uncertificated, to be converted into certificated form, and
  - (b) if it is certificated, to be converted into uncertificated form, to enable it to be dealt with in accordance with the articles.

(7) If—

- (a) the articles give the directors power to take action, or require other persons to take action, in order to sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of shares, and
- (b) uncertificated shares are subject to that power, but the power is expressed in terms which assume the use of a certificate or other written instrument,

the directors may take such action as is necessary or expedient to achieve the same results when exercising that power in relation to uncertificated shares.

(8) In particular, the directors may take such action as they consider appropriate to achieve the sale, transfer, disposal, forfeiture, re-allotment or surrender of an uncertificated share or otherwise to enforce a lien in respect of it.

(9) Unless the directors otherwise determine, shares which a member holds in uncertificated form must be treated as separate holdings from any shares which that member holds in certificated form.

(10) A class of shares must not be treated as two classes simply because some shares of that class are held in certificated form and others are held in uncertificated form.

## PARTLY PAID SHARES

## **Company's Lien Over Partly Paid Shares**

**49.**—(1) The company has a lien ("the company's lien") over every share which is partly paid or any part of—

- (a) that share's nominal value, and
- (b) any premium at which it was issued,

which has not been paid to the company, and which is payable immediately or at some time in the future, whether or not a call notice has been sent in respect of it.

- (2) The company's lien over a share—
  - (a) takes priority over any third party's interest in that share, and
  - (b) extends to any dividend or other money payable by the company in respect of that share and (if the lien is enforced and the share is sold by the company) the proceeds of sale of that share.

(3) The directors may at any time decide that a share which is or would otherwise be subject to the company's lien shall not be subject to it, either wholly or in part.

## **Enforcement of the Company's Lien**

**50.**—(1) Subject to the provisions of this article, if—

- (a) a lien enforcement notice has been given in respect of a share, and
- (b) the person to whom the notice was given has failed to comply with it, the

company may sell that share in such manner as the directors decide.

- (2) A lien enforcement notice—
  - (a) may only be given in respect of a share which is subject to the company's lien, in respect of which a sum is payable and the due date for payment of that sum has passed;
  - (b) must specify the share concerned;
  - (c) must require payment of the sum payable within 14 days of the notice;
  - (d) must be addressed either to the holder of the share or to a person entitled to it by reason of the holder's death, bankruptcy or otherwise; and
  - (e) must state the company's intention to sell the share if the notice is not complied with.
- (3) Where shares are sold under this article—
  - (a) the directors may authorise any person to execute an instrument of transfer of the shares to the purchaser or a person nominated by the purchaser, and
  - (b) the transferee is not bound to see to the application of the consideration, and the transferee's title is not affected by any irregularity in or invalidity of the process leading to the sale.

(4) The net proceeds of any such sale (after payment of the costs of sale and any other costs of enforcing the lien) must be applied—

- (a) first, in payment of so much of the sum for which the lien exists as was payable at the date of the lien enforcement notice,
- (b) second, to the person entitled to the shares at the date of the sale, but only after the certificate for the shares sold has been surrendered to the company for cancellation or a suitable indemnity has been given for any lost certificates, and subject to a lien equivalent to the company's lien over the shares before the sale for any money payable in respect of the shares after the date of the lien enforcement notice.

(5) A statutory declaration by a director or the company secretary that the declarant is a director or the company secretary and that a share has been sold to satisfy the company's lien on a specified date—

- (a) is conclusive evidence of the facts stated in it as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the share, and
- (b) subject to compliance with any other formalities of transfer required by the articles or by law, constitutes a good title to the share.

## **Call Notices**

**51.**—(1) Subject to the articles and the terms on which shares are allotted, the directors may send a notice (a "call notice") to a member requiring the member to pay the company a specified sum of money (a "call") which is payable in respect of shares which that member holds at the date when the directors decide to send the call notice.

(2) A call notice—

- (a) may not require a member to pay a call which exceeds the total sum unpaid on that member's shares (whether as to the share's nominal value or any amount payable to the company by way of premium);
- (b) must state when and how any call to which it relates it is to be paid; and
- (c) may permit or require the call to be paid by instalments.

(3) A member must comply with the requirements of a call notice, but no member is obliged to pay any call before 14 days have passed since the notice was sent.

(4) Before the company has received any call due under a call notice the directors

may—

- (a) revoke it wholly or in part, or
- (b) specify a later time for payment than is specified in the notice,

by a further notice in writing to the member in respect of whose shares the call is made.

## Liability to Pay Calls

**52.**—(1) Liability to pay a call is not extinguished or transferred by transferring the shares in respect of which it is required to be paid.

(2) Joint holders of a share are jointly and severally liable to pay all calls in respect of that share.

(3) Subject to the terms on which shares are allotted, the directors may, when issuing shares, provide that call notices sent to the holders of those shares may require them—

- (a) to pay calls which are not the same, or
- (b) to pay calls at different times.

#### When Call Notice Need Not be Issued

**53.**—(1) A call notice need not be issued in respect of sums which are specified, in the terms on which a share is issued, as being payable to the company in respect of that share (whether in respect of nominal value or premium)—

- (a) on allotment;
- (b) on the occurrence of a particular event; or
- (c) on a date fixed by or in accordance with the terms of issue.

(2) But if the due date for payment of such a sum has passed and it has not been paid, the holder of the share concerned is treated in all respects as having failed to comply with a call notice in respect of that sum, and is liable to the same consequences as regards the payment of interest and forfeiture.

## Failure to Comply with Call Notice: Automatic Consequences

- 54.—(1) If a person is liable to pay a call and fails to do so by the call payment date—
  - (a) the directors may issue a notice of intended forfeiture to that person, and
  - (b) until the call is paid, that person must pay the company interest on the call from the call payment date at the relevant rate.
- (2) For the purposes of this article—
  - (a) the "call payment date" is the time when the call notice states that a call is payable, unless the directors give a notice specifying a later date, in which case the "call payment date" is that later date;
  - (b) the "relevant rate" is—
    - (i) the rate fixed by the terms on which the share in respect of which the call is due was allotted;
    - (ii) such other rate as was fixed in the call notice which required payment of the call, or has otherwise been determined by the directors; or
    - (iii) if no rate is fixed in either of these ways, the prevailing interest rate as set by the Monetary Policy Committee of the Central Bank of Nigeria.
- (3) The directors may waive any obligation to pay interest on a call wholly or in part.

#### **Notice of Intended Forfeiture**

- 55. A notice of intended forfeiture—
  - (a) may be sent in respect of any share in respect of which a call has not been paid as required by a call notice;
  - (b) must be sent to the holder of that share or to a person entitled to it by reason of the holder's death, bankruptcy or otherwise;
  - (c) must require payment of the call and any accrued interest by a date which is not less than 14 days after the date of the notice;
  - (d) must state how the payment is to be made; and
  - (e) must state that if the notice is not complied with, the shares in respect of which the call is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

#### **Directors' Power to Forfeit Shares**

**56.** If a notice of intended forfeiture is not complied with before the date by which payment of the call is required in the notice of intended forfeiture, the directors may decide that any share in respect of which it was given is forfeited, and the forfeiture is to include all dividends or other moneys payable in respect of the forfeited shares and not paid before the forfeiture.

#### **Effect of Forfeiture**

57.—(1) Subject to the articles, the forfeiture of a share extinguishes—

- (a) all interests in that share, and all claims and demands against the company in respect of it, and
- (b) all other rights and liabilities incidental to the share as between the person whose share it was prior to the forfeiture and the company.
- (2) Any share which is forfeited in accordance with the articles—

- (a) is deemed to have been forfeited when the directors decide that it is forfeited;
- (b) is deemed to be the property of the company; and
- (c) may be sold, re-allotted or otherwise disposed of as the directors think fit.
- (3) If a person's shares have been forfeited—
  - (a) the company must send that person notice that forfeiture has occurred and record it in the register of members;
  - (b) that person ceases to be a member in respect of those shares;
  - (c) that person must surrender the certificate for the shares forfeited to the company for cancellation;
  - (d) that person remains liable to the company for all sums payable by that person under the articles at the date of forfeiture in respect of those shares provided that his liability ceases when the company receives payment in full of all money in respect of the shares; and
  - (e) the directors may waive payment of such sums wholly or in part or enforce payment without any allowance for the value of the shares at the time of forfeiture or for any consideration received on their disposal.

(4) At any time before the company disposes of a forfeited share, the directors may decide to cancel the forfeiture on payment of all calls and interest due in respect of it and on such other terms as they think fit.

#### **Procedure Following Forfeiture**

**58.**—(1) If a forfeited share is to be disposed of by being transferred, the company may receive the consideration for the transfer and the directors may authorise any person to execute the instrument of transfer.

(2) A statutory declaration by a director or the company secretary that the declarant is a director or the company secretary and that a share has been forfeited on a specified date—

- (a) is conclusive evidence of the facts stated in it as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the share, and
- (b) subject to compliance with any other formalities of transfer required by the articles or by law, constitutes a good title to the share.

(3) A person to whom a forfeited share is transferred is not bound to see to the application of the consideration (if any) nor is that person's title to the share affected by any irregularity in or invalidity of the process leading to the forfeiture or transfer of the share.

(4) If the company sells a forfeited share, the person who held it prior to its forfeiture is entitled to receive from the company the proceeds of such sale, net of any commission, and excluding any amount which—

(a) was, or would have become, payable, and

(b) had not, when that share was forfeited, been paid by that person in respect of that share, but no interest is payable to such a person in respect of such proceeds and the company is not required to account for any money earned on them.

#### **Surrender of Shares**

**59.**—(1) A member may surrender any share to the company as a gift

(2) The directors may accept the surrender of any such share.

(3) The effect of surrender on a share is the same as the effect of forfeiture on that share.

(4) A share which has been surrendered may be dealt with in the same way as a share which has been forfeited.

## TRANSFER AND TRANSMISSION OF SHARES

## **Transfers of Certificated Shares**

**60.**—(1) Certificated shares may be transferred by means of an instrument of transfer in any usual form or any other form approved by the directors, which is executed by or on behalf of—

- (a) the transferor, and
- (b) (if any of the shares is partly paid) the transferee.

(2) No fee may be charged for registering any instrument of transfer or other document relating to or affecting the title to any share.

(3) The company may retain any instrument of transfer which is registered.

(4) The transferor remains the holder of a certificated share until the transferee's name is entered in the register of members as holder of it.

(5) The directors may refuse to register the transfer of a certificated share if—

- (a) the share is not fully paid;
- (b) the transfer is not lodged at the company's registered office or such other place as the directors have appointed;
- (c) the transfer is not accompanied by the certificate for the shares to which it relates, or such other evidence as the directors may reasonably require to show the transferor's right to make the transfer, or evidence of the right of someone other than the transferor to make the transfer on the transferor's behalf;
- (d) the transfer is in respect of more than one class of share; or

(6) If the directors refuse to register the transfer of a share, the instrument of transfer must be returned to the transferee with the notice of refusal unless they suspect that the proposed transfer may be fraudulent.

## **Transfer of Uncertificated Shares**

**61.** A transfer of an uncertificated share must not be registered if it is in favour of more than four transferees.

## **Transmission of Shares**

**62.**—(1) If title to a share passes to a transmittee, the company shall recognise the transmittee as having title to that share.

(2) Nothing in these articles releases the estate of a deceased member from any liability in respect of a share solely or jointly held by that member.

## **Transmittees' Rights**

**63.**—(1) A transmittee who produces such evidence of entitlement to shares as the directors may properly require—

(a) may, subject to the articles, choose either to become the holder of those shares or to have them transferred to another person, and

(b) subject to the articles, and pending any transfer of the shares to another person, has the same rights as the holder had.

(2) Transmittees do not have the right to attend or vote at a general meeting in respect of shares to which they are entitled, by reason of the holder's death or bankruptcy or otherwise, unless they become the holders of those shares

#### **Exercise of Transmittees' Rights**

**64.**—(1) Transmittees who wish to become the holders of shares to which they have become entitled must notify the company in writing of that wish.

(2) If the share is a certificated share and a transmittee wishes to have it transferred to another person, the transmittee must execute an instrument of transfer in respect of it.

(3) If the share is an uncertificated share and the transmittee wishes to have it transferred to another person, the transmittee must—

- (a) procure that all appropriate instructions are given to effect the transfer, or
- (b) procure that the uncertificated share is changed into certificated form and then execute an instrument of transfer in respect of it.

(4) Any transfer made or executed under this article is to be treated as if it were made or executed by the person from whom the transmittee has derived rights in respect of the share, and as if the event which gave rise to the transmission had not occurred.

#### **Transmittees Bound by Prior Notices**

**65.** If a notice is given to a member in respect of shares and a transmittee is entitled to those shares, the transmittee is bound by the notice if it was given to the member before the transmittee's name has been entered in the register of members.

#### CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES

#### **Procedure for Disposing of Fractions of Shares**

66.—(1) This article applies where—

- (a) there has been a consolidation or division of shares, and
- (b) as a result, members are entitled to fractions of shares.
- (2) The directors may—
  - (a) sell the shares representing the fractions to any person including the company for the best price reasonably obtainable;
  - (b) in the case of a certificated share, authorise any person to execute an instrument of transfer of the shares to the purchaser or a person nominated by the purchaser; and
  - (c) distribute the net proceeds of sale in due proportion among the holders of the shares.

(3) The person to whom the shares are transferred is not obliged to ensure that any purchase money is received by the person entitled to the relevant fractions.

(4) The transferee's title to the shares is not affected by any irregularity in or invalidity of the process leading to their sale.

#### DISTRIBUTIONS

#### **Procedure for Declaring Dividends**

**67.**—(1) The company may by ordinary resolution declare dividends, and the directors may decide to pay interim dividends.

(2) A dividend must not be declared unless the directors have made a recommendation as to its amount. Such a dividend must not exceed the amount recommended by the directors.

(3) No dividend may be declared or paid unless it is in accordance with members' respective rights.

(4) Unless the members' resolution to declare or directors' decision to pay a dividend, or the terms on which shares are issued, specify otherwise, it must be paid by reference to each member's holding of shares on the date of the resolution or decision to declare or pay it.

(5) If the company's share capital is divided into different classes, no interim dividend may be paid on shares carrying deferred or non-preferred rights if, at the time of payment, any preferential dividend is in arrear.

(6) The directors may pay at intervals any dividend payable at a fixed rate if it appears to them that the profits available for distribution justify the payment.

(7) If the directors act in good faith, they do not incur any liability to the holders of shares conferring preferred rights for any loss they may suffer by the lawful payment of an interim dividend on shares with deferred or non-preferred rights.

#### **Calculation of Dividends**

**68.**—(1) Except as otherwise provided by the articles or the rights attached to shares, all dividends must be—

- (a) declared and paid according to the amounts paid up on the shares on which the dividend is paid, and
- (b) apportioned and paid proportionately to the amounts paid up on the shares during any portion or portions of the period in respect of which the dividend is paid.

(2) If any share is issued on terms providing that it ranks for dividend as from a particular date, that share ranks for dividend accordingly.

(3) For the purposes of calculating dividends, no account is to be taken of any amount which has been paid up on a share in advance of the due date for payment of that amount.

#### **Payment of Dividends and Other Distributions**

**69.**—(1) Where a dividend or other sum which is a distribution is payable in respect of a share, it must be paid by one or more of the following means—

- (a) transfer to a bank account specified by the distribution recipient either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide;
- (b) sending a cheque made payable to the distribution recipient by post to the distribution recipient at the distribution recipient's registered address (if the distribution recipient is a holder of the share), or (in any other case) to an address specified by the distribution recipient either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide;
- (c) sending a cheque made payable to such person by post to such person at such address as the distribution recipient has specified either in writing or as the directors may otherwise decide; or
- (d) any other means of payment as the directors agree with the distribution recipient either in writing or by such other means as the directors decide.

(2) In the articles, "the distribution recipient" means, in respect of a share in respect of which a dividend or other sum is payable—

- (a) the holder of the share; or
- (b) if the share has two or more joint holders, whichever of them is named first in the register of members; or
- (c) if the holder is no longer entitled to the share by reason of death or bankruptcy, or otherwise by operation of law, the transmittee.

#### Deductions from Distributions in Respect of Sums Owed to the Company

70.—(1) If—

- (a) a share is subject to the company's lien, and
- (b) the directors are entitled to issue a lien enforcement notice in respect of it,

they may, instead of issuing a lien enforcement notice, deduct from any dividend or other sum payable in respect of the share any sum of money which is payable to the company in respect of that share to the extent that they are entitled to require payment under a lien enforcement notice.

(2) Money so deducted must be used to pay any of the sums payable in respect of that share.

- (3) The company must notify the distribution recipient in writing of—
  - (a) the fact and amount of any such deduction;
  - (b) any non-payment of a dividend or other sum payable in respect of a share resulting from any such deduction; and
  - (c) how the money deducted has been applied.

#### **No Interest on Distributions**

71. The company may not pay interest on any dividend or other sum payable in respect of a share unless otherwise provided by—

- (a) the terms on which the share was issued, or
- (b) the provisions of another agreement between the holder of that share and the company.

## **Unclaimed Distributions**

72.—(1) All dividends or other sums which are—

- (a) payable in respect of shares, and
- (b) unclaimed after having been declared or become payable,

may be invested or otherwise made use of by the directors for the benefit of the company until claimed.

(2) The payment of any such dividend or other sum into a separate account does not make the company a trustee in respect of it.

(3) If—

- (a) twelve years have passed from the date on which a dividend or other sum became due for payment, and
- (b) the distribution recipient has not claimed it,

the distribution recipient is no longer entitled to that dividend or other sum and it ceases to remain owing by the company.

#### **Non-Cash Distributions**

**73.**—(1) Subject to the terms of issue of the share in question, the company may, by ordinary resolution on the recommendation of the directors, decide to pay all or part of a dividend or other distribution payable in respect of a share by transferring non-cash assets of equivalent value (including, without limitation, shares or other securities in any company).

(2) If the shares in respect of which such a non-cash distribution is paid are uncertificated, any shares in the company which are issued as a non-cash distribution in respect of them must be uncertificated.

(3) For the purposes of paying a non-cash distribution, the directors may make whatever arrangements they think fit, including, where any difficulty arises regarding the distribution—

- (a) fixing the value of any assets;
- (b) paying cash to any distribution recipient on the basis of that value in order to adjust the rights of recipients; and
- (c) vesting any assets in trustees.

#### **Waiver of Distributions**

74. Distribution recipients may waive their entitlement to a dividend or other distribution payable in respect of a share by giving the company notice in writing to that effect, but if—

- (a) the share has more than one holder, or
- (b) more than one person is entitled to the share, whether by reason of the death or bankruptcy of one or more joint holders, or otherwise,

the notice is not effective unless it is expressed to be given, and signed, by all the holders or persons otherwise entitled to the share.

## CAPITALISATION OF PROFITS

#### Authority to Capitalise and Appropriation of Capitalised Sums

75.—(1) Subject to the articles, the directors may, if they are so authorised by an ordinary resolution—

- (a) decide to capitalise any profits of the company (whether or not they are available for distribution) which are not required for paying a preferential dividend, or any sum standing to the credit of the company's share premium account or capital redemption reserve; and
- (b) appropriate any sum which they so decide to capitalise (a "capitalised sum") to the persons who would have been entitled to it if it were distributed by way of dividend (the "persons entitled") and in the same proportions.
- (2) Capitalised sums must be applied—
  - (a) on behalf of the persons entitled, and
  - (b) in the same proportions as a dividend would have been distributed to them.

(3) Any capitalised sum may be applied in paying up new shares of a nominal amount equal to the capitalised sum which are then allotted credited as fully paid to the persons entitled or as they may direct.

(4) A capitalised sum which was appropriated from profits available for distribution may be applied—

- (a) in or towards paying up any amounts unpaid on existing shares held by the persons entitled, or
- (b) in paying up new debentures of the company which are then allotted credited as fully paid to the persons entitled or as they may direct.

- (5) Subject to the articles the directors may—
  - (a) apply capitalised sums in accordance with paragraphs (3) and (4) partly in one way and partly in another;
  - (b) make such arrangements as they think fit to deal with shares or debentures becoming distributable in fractions under this article (including the issuing of fractional certificates or the making of cash payments); and
  - (c) authorise any person to enter into an agreement with the company on behalf of all the persons entitled which is binding on them in respect of the allotment of shares and debentures to them under this article

## PART 5

#### MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

#### COMMUNICATIONS

#### Means of Communication to be Used

**76.**—(1) Subject to the articles, anything sent or supplied by or to the company under the articles may be sent or supplied in any way in which the Act provides for documents or information which are authorised or required by any provision of that Act to be sent or supplied by or to the company.

(2) Subject to the articles, any notice or document to be sent or supplied to a director in connection with the taking of decisions by directors may also be sent or supplied by the means by which that director has asked to be sent or supplied with such notices or documents for the time being.

(3) A director may agree with the company that notices or documents sent to that director in a particular way are to be deemed to have been received within a specified time of their being sent, and for the specified time to be less than 48 hours.

## **Failure to Notify Contact Details**

77.—(1) If—

- (a) the company sends two consecutive documents to a member over a period of at least 12 months, and
- (b) each of those documents is returned undelivered, or the company receives notification that it has not been delivered,

that member ceases to be entitled to receive notices from the company.

(2) A member who has ceased to be entitled to receive notices from the company becomes entitled to receive such notices again by sending the company—

- (a) a new address to be recorded in the register of members, or
- (b) if the member has agreed that the company should use a means of communication other than sending things to such an address, the information that the company needs to use that means of communication effectively.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

#### **Company Seals**

**78.**—(1) Any common seal may only be used by the authority of the directors.

(2) The directors may decide by what means and in what form any common seal or securities seal is to be used.

(3) Unless otherwise decided by the directors, if the company has a common seal and it is affixed to a document, the document must also be signed by at least one authorised person in the presence of a witness who attests the signature.

(4) For the purposes of this article, an authorised person is—

- (a) any director of the company;
- (b) the company secretary; or
- (c) any person authorised by the directors for the purpose of signing documents to which the common seal is applied.

(5) If the company has an official seal for use abroad, it may only be affixed to a document if its use on that document, or documents of a class to which it belongs, has been authorised by a decision of the directors.

(6) If the company has a securities seal, it may only be affixed to securities by the company secretary or a person authorised to apply it to securities by the company secretary.

(7) For the purposes of the articles, references to the securities seal being affixed to any document include the reproduction of the image of that seal on or in a document by any mechanical or electronic means which has been approved by the directors in relation to that document or documents of a class to which it belongs.

#### **Destruction of Documents**

**79.**—(1) The company is entitled to destroy—

- (a) all instruments of transfer of shares which have been registered, and all other documents on the basis of which any entries are made in the register of members, from six years after the date of registration;
- (b) all dividend mandates, variations or cancellations of dividend mandates, and notifications of change of address, from two years after they have been recorded;
- (c) all share certificates which have been cancelled from one year after the date of the cancellation;
- (d) all paid dividend warrants and cheques from one year after the date of actual payment; and
- (e) all proxy notices from one year after the end of the meeting to which the proxy notice relates.

(2) If the company destroys a document in good faith, in accordance with the articles, and without notice of any claim to which that document may be relevant, it is conclusively presumed in favour of the company that—

- (a) entries in the register purporting to have been made on the basis of an instrument of transfer or other document so destroyed were duly and properly made;
- (b) any instrument of transfer so destroyed was a valid and effective instrument duly and properly registered;
- (c) any share certificate so destroyed was a valid and effective certificate duly and properly cancelled; and
- (d) any other document so destroyed was a valid and effective document in accordance with its recorded particulars in the books or records of the company.

(3) This article does not impose on the company any liability which it would not otherwise have if it destroys any document before the time at which this article permits it to do so.

(4) In this article, references to the destruction of any document include a reference to its being disposed of in any manner.

## No Right to Inspect Accounts and Other Records

**80.** Except as provided by law or authorised by the directors or an ordinary resolution of the company, no person is entitled to inspect any of the company's accounting or other records or documents merely by virtue of being a member.

## **Provision for Employees on Cessation of Business**

**81.** The directors may decide to make provision for the benefit of persons employed or formerly employed by the company or any of its subsidiaries (other than a director or former director or shadow director) in connection with the cessation or transfer to any person of the whole or part of the undertaking of the company or that subsidiary.

#### **Borrowing Powers**

**82.** The directors may exercise the powers of the company to borrow money for the purpose of its business or objects and may mortgage or charge its undertaking, property and uncalled capital, or any part thereof, and issue debenture, debenture stock and other securities whether outright or as security for any debt, liability or obligation of the company.

## DIRECTORS' INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

#### Indemnity

**83.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), a relevant director of the company or an associated company may be indemnified out of the company's assets against—

- (a) any liability incurred by that director in connection with any negligence, default, breach of duty or breach of trust in relation to the company or an associated company,
- (b) any liability incurred by that director as an officer of the company or an associated company.

(2) This article does not authorise any indemnity which would be prohibited or rendered void by any provision of the Act or by any other provision of law.

(3) In this article—

- (a) companies are associated if one is a subsidiary of the other or both are subsidiaries of the same body corporate, and
- (b) a "relevant director" means any director or former director of the company or an associated company.

#### Insurance

**84.**—(1) The company may purchase and maintain insurance for the benefit of any relevant director in respect of any relevant loss.

(2) In this article—

- (a) a "relevant director" means any director or former director of the company or an associated company,
- (b) a "relevant loss" means any loss or liability which has been or may be incurred by a relevant director in connection with that director's duties or powers in relation to the company, any associated company or any pension fund or employees' share scheme of the company or associated company, and
- (c) companies are associated if one is a subsidiary of the other or both are subsidiaries of the same body corporate.

SIGNATURE

Dated this

day of October, 2020

# WITNESS

Name: Address: Signature: Date: