

FEDERAL HIGH COURT (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2013
EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Act increases the number of Judges of the Federal High Court from 50 to 100 and repeals the Federal High Court (Amendment) Act, 2005.

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ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section:

1. Amendment of Cap. F12, LFN 2004.
2. Amendment of Section 1.
3. Repeal of the Federal High Court (Amendment) Act, 2005.
4. Citation

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A Bill

For

An Act to amend the Federal High Court Act, Cap. F12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to increase the number of Judges of the Federal High Court from 50 to 100 and repeal the Federal High Court (Amendment) Act 2005; and for related matters.

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

1. The Federal High Court Act Cap. F12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 (in this Act referred to as “the Principal Act”) is amended as set out in this Act. Amendment of Cap. F12, LFN 2004.
2. Section 1(2)(b) of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for the figure “50” the figure “100”. Amendment of Section 1.
3. The Federal High Court (Amendment) Act, 2005 is repealed. Repeal of the Federal High Court (Amendment) Act, 2005.
4. This Act may be cited as the Federal High Court (Amendment) Act, 2013. Citation.

CERTIFY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2 (1) OF THE ACTS AUTHENTICATION ACT, CAP. A2, LAWS OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA 2004, THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE BILL PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.



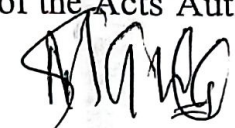
SALISU ABUBAKAR MAIKASUWA, OON, mni
CLERK TO THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

7th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2013

Schedule to Federal High Court (Amendment) Bill, 2013

SHORT TITLE OF THE BILL	LONG TITLE OF THE BILL	SUMMARY OF THE CONTENTS OF THE BILL	DATE PASSED BY THE SENATE	DATE PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Federal High Court (Amendment) Bill, 2013	An Act to amend the Federal High Court Act, Cap. F12, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to increase the number of Judges of the Federal High Court from 50 to 100 and repeal the Federal High Court (Amendment) Act 2005; and for related matters.	This Act increases the number of Judges of the Federal High Court from 50 to 100 and repeals the Federal High Court (Amendment) Act, 2005.	16 th May, 2012	28 th February, 2013

I certify that this Bill has been carefully compared by me with the decision reached by the National Assembly and found by me to be true and correct decision of the Houses and is in accordance with the provisions of the Acts Authentication Act Cap. A2, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004.



SALISU ABUBAKAR MAIKASUWA, OON, mni

Clerk to the National Assembly

7th Day of November, 2013

I ASSENT.

DR. GOODLUCK EBELE JONATHAN, GCFR

President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria

Day of November, 2013