

# A BILL

## FOR

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NIGERIAN METEOROLOGICAL AGENCY  
(ESTABLISHMENT) ACT NO.9 OF 2003; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS

*Sponsored by Hon. Benjamin Okezie Kalu*

| Commencement

BE IT ENACTED by the National Assembly of the Federal  
Republic of Nigeria as follows-

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| 1 | 1. The Nigerian Meteorological Agency Act No.9 of 2003 (herein          | Amendment of |
| 2 | referred to as the "Principal Act") is amended as set out in this Bill. | 2003 No. 9   |
| 3 | 2. Section 7 of the Principal Act is amended in subsection (I)(q) by    | Amendment of |
| 4 | replacing the existing paragraph with a new paragraph as follows-       | Section 7    |
| 5 | "(q) be the sole authority to grant approval and licence to persons     |              |
| 6 | wishing to establish meteorological stations for meteorological         |              |
| 7 | observations".  |              |
| 8 | 3. This Bill may be cited as the Nigerian Meteorological Agency         | Citation     |
| 9 | (Establishment) Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019.                             |              |

### EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the Nigerian Meteorological Agency  
(Establishment) Act so as to grant the Nigerian Meteorological Agency the  
sole authority to grant approvals and licences for the establishment of  
meteorological stations.

