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INDUSTRIAL TRAINING FUND (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2011
ACT No. 19

AN ACT TO AMEND THE INDUSTRIAL TRAINING FUND ACT CAP. 19, LAWS OF THE
FEDERATION OF NIGERIA, 2004 ; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS.

[3rd Day of June, 2011]

Commence-
ment.

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

1. The Industrial Training Fund Act Cap. 19 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. 19
LFN, 2004.

2. Section 1 (c) of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for the words “*Federal Ministry of Industry*” in line 3, the words “*its parent Ministry*”.

Amendment
of section
1(c).

3. Substitute for section 2 of the Principal Act a new section “2”—

Substitution
for section
2.

“Utilization of the fund ”

The Fund shall be utilized to—

(a) provide, promote and encourage the acquisition of skills in industry and commerce with a view to generating a pool of indigenous trained manpower sufficient to meet the needs of the private and public sectors of the economy ;

(b) provide training for skills in management for technical and entrepreneurial development in the public and private sectors of the economy ;

(c) set training standards in all sectors of the economy and monitor adherence ; and

(d) evaluate and certify vocational skills acquired by apprentices, craftsmen and technicians in collaboration with relevant organizations.”

4. Section 4 (1) of the Principal Act is amended—

Amendment
of section
4(1).

(a) in paragraph (e), by substituting for the word “*or*” in line 2, the word “*and*” immediately after the word “*industry*” ; and

(b) in paragraph (f), by substituting for the word “*or*” in line 2, the word “*and*” immediately after the word “*industry*”.

5. Section 5 of the Principal Act is amended by substituting for sub-section (2) a new sub-section “(2)”—

Substitution
for section
5(2).

“(2) The Council may, from time to time, appoint officers, agents or employees of the Fund to assist the Director-General in the performance of his duties under this Act, who shall be subject to the general control of the Director-General.”

