



**ANNUAL REPORT ON IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FREEDOM
OF INFORMATION ACT 2011 (FOIA) PREPARED BY
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**SCHEDULE OF REPORTS SUBMITTED BY PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS TO
THE OFFICE OF THE HONOURABLE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE
FEDERATION AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE
PURSUANT TO SECTION 29 OF
THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2011.**

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1.0 Introduction

The Freedom of Information Act 2011 came into force on the 28th day of May, 2011. The Act was enacted to make public records and information more freely available, provide for public access to public records and information to the extents consistent with the public interest and protection of personal privacy.

Section 29 of the Act enjoins all public institutions to submit to the office of the Attorney General of the Federation a report containing details of submissions received and matters arising therefore on or before February 1 each year. The section also requires the Honourable Attorney General of the Federation to publish same electronically and in print and submit copies to the relevant committees of the National Assembly not later than April each year.

In order to ensure compliance with the above mentioned provisions of the Act and to ensure uniformity in the form and style of reporting, the office of the Honourable Attorney General of the Federation prepared guidelines and format for the public institutions for the purpose of submission of reports to the office of the Honorable Attorney General of the Federation.

The prepared guidelines and report formats were circulated to all the public institutions with a mandate that all submissions / reports

must reach the office or the Honorable Attorney General of the Federation on or before the February 1 each year.

2.0 PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS THAT SUBMITTED REPORTS

1. National Planning Commission.
2. Federal Ministry of Works.
3. Ministry of Communication Technology.
4. Federal Ministry of Information.
5. Nigerian Law Reform Commission.
6. Federal Ministry of Power.
7. Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation.
8. Legal Aid Council of Nigeria.
9. National Primary Health Care Development Agency.
10. Nigerian Press Council.
11. Federal Roads Maintenance Agency (FERMA)
12. Nigerian Copyright Commission (NCC).
13. Federal Ministry of Works.
14. National Primary Health Care Development Agency and
15. Federal Ministry of Justice
16. Federal Ministry of Environment

(See Appendix A for an aggregation of reports submitted by Public Institutions)

3.0 NIL ENTRIES

Twelve submissions were received from the following public institutions with **nil entries**

- (1) National Planning Commission.

- (2) Nigeria Law Reform Commission.
- (3) Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation.
- (4) Legal Aid Council of Nigeria.
- (5) Nigeria Press Council.
- (6) Nigeria Copyright Commission.
- (7) Federal Ministry of Information.
- (8) Ministry of Communication Technology.
- (9) Federal Ministry of Power.
- (10) Ministry of Mines and Steel Development
- (11) Ministry of Police Affairs and
- (12) Federal Ministry of Environment.

4.0 ACTUAL REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

- (1) Federal Roads Maintenance Agency.
- (2) Federal Ministry of Works.
- (3) National Primary Health Care Development Agency and
- (4) Federal Ministry of Justice.

(See Appendix B for a Table of actual requests processed)

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