

The following Bill, which will in due course be presented to the House of Representatives for enactment, is published for general information.

## A BILL

FOR

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND DENTISTS ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 130 OF THE REVISED EDITION OF THE LAWS, 1948).

Commence-  
ment.

BE IT ENACTED by the Legislature of the Federation of Nigeria as follows—

Enactment.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Medical Practitioners and Dentists (Amendment) Ordinance, 1958.

Short title.

Amendment  
of section 8  
of Cap. 130  
No. 24 of  
1951.

2. Section 8 of the Medical Practitioners and Dentists Ordinance, as amended by the Medical Practitioners and Dentists (Amendment) Ordinance, 1951, is amended by the addition at the end thereof of the following additional paragraph—

“(e) the holder of the Diploma of the National Board of Medical Examiners of the United States of America.”

*Objects and Reasons*

The object of the amendment is to add one category to the categories of qualifications acceptable upon an application for registration as a medical practitioner in Nigeria.

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