## S. I. 39 of 1984

## MINISTERS STATUTORY POWERS AND DUTIES (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT (CAP. 122)

## TRADE DISPUTES ACT 1976

(1976 No. 7)

Trade Disputes (Delegation of Certain Statutory Functions)
Order 1984

Commencement: 20th August 1984

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Ministers' Statutory Powers and Duties (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act (Cap. 122 1958 Laws of the Federation) as modified by the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1979 and further modified by the Constitution (Suspension and Modification) Decree 1984, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I, Minister for Employment, Labour and Productivity, hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) The functions conferred on the Minister for Employment, Labour and Productivity under the provisions of Trade Disputes Act 1976, mentioned in Column 1 of the Schedule hereto, are hereby delegated to the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Employment, Labour and Productivity and the officer in charge of the State office of the Federal Ministry of Employment, Labour and Productivity (such officer not being below the rank of a Chief Labour Officer hereinafter called the State Labour Officer).

Delegation of certain statutory functions 1976 No. 7.

- (2) The Permanent Secretary or the State Labour Officer shall exercise the functions herein delegated in respect of disputes between any of the following authorities and workers employed by it:
  - (a) The Military Governor of a State;
  - (b) A local authority in a State;
  - (c) Any Corporation, Council, Board or Committee established by or under any law (including an Edict of a Military Governor of a State);
  - (d) The Proprietor of any school who receives grant in respect of the school out of the public revenue of the State;
    - (e) Any Establishment or Company situated in the State.
- (3) The Permanent Secretary of the Federal Ministry of Employment, Labour and Productivity shall in any other case, in addition to the foregoing, exercise the functions herein delegated.
- (4) In exercising the functions delegated under this section the Permanent Secretary or the State Labour Officer shall have regard to any directions on matters of policy which may from time to time be given by the Minister.
- (5) Nothing in this Order shall prevent the Minister from exercising any of the functions hereby delegated.

Short title and repeal L.N. 23 1978.

- 2.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Trade Disputes (Delegation of Certain Statutory Functions) Order 1984.
- (2) The Trade Disputes (Delegation of Certain Statutory Functions) Order 1978 is hereby repealed.

## SCHEDULE

STATUTORY FUNCTIONS DELEGATED Paragraph 1(1)

Section

Functions delegated

- 4 To receive report of declaration of a trade dispute.
- Where a trade dispute is declared in the circumstances prescribed under section 4 of the Decree, to issue a notice in writing specifying the steps which must be taken, to satisfy the requirements of sections 3 and 4 of the Decree.
- 6 For the purpose of section 5 of the Decree, to appoint a fit person to act as Conciliator.

MADE at Lagos this 10th day of August 1984.

BRIGADIER SOLOMON OMOJOKUN,
Minister of Employment, Labour and
Productivity

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note does not form part of the above Order but is intended to explain its effect)

By the Order, the Minister for Employment, Labour and Productivity has delegated to the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Employment, Labour and Productivity and the officer in charge of the State office of the Federal Ministry of Employment, Labour and Productivity, (such officer not being below the rank of a Chief Labour Officer) certain functions (specified in the Schedule to the Order) conferred on the Minister by the Trade Disputes Act 1976.