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# COURT OF APPEAL (MENDMENT) ACT, 2005



## ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

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1. Amendment of Cap. C 36. 1993, No. 65 LFN, 2004.
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**COURT OF APPEAL (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2005**

**ACT No. 15**

AN ACT TO AMEND THE COURT OF APPEAL ACT CAP. C36, 1993  
No. 65 LFN, 2004 ; AND FOR RELATED MATTERS :

[22nd Day of June, 2005] Commence-  
ment.

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

1. The Court of Appeal Act, as amended, is hereby further amended in Section 1 by substituting therefore the following new section : Amendment  
of Cap. C36  
1993, No.

*"1. The number of justices of the Court of Appeal, including the President of that Court shall be seventy."* 65 LFN,  
2004.

2. This Act may be cited as the Court of Appeal (Amendment) Act, 2005. Short Title.

I certify, in accordance with Section 2 (1) of the Acts Authentication Act, Cap. A2, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004, that this is a true copy of the Bill passed by both Houses of the National Assembly.

NASIRU IBRAHIM ARAB,  
*Clerk to the National Assembly*  
20th day of June 2005

**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

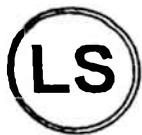
This Act amends the Court of Appeal Act Cap. 1993, No. 65 LFN, 2004 to increase the number of Justices of the Court of Appeal from fifty to seventy.

**SCHEDULE TO COURT OF APPEAL (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2005**

(1) <i>Short Title of the Bill</i>	(2) <i>Long Title of the Bill</i>	(3) <i>Summary of the Contents of the Bill</i>	(4) <i>Date Passed by the Senate</i>	(5) <i>Date Passed by the House of Representatives</i>
Court of Appeal (Amendment) Bill, 2005.	An Act to amend the Court of Appeal Act ; and for related matters.	This Bill seeks to amend the Court of Appeal Act Cap. C36, 1993, No. 651 Laws of the Federation of Nigeria, 2004 to increase the number of Justices of the Court of Appeal from fifty to seventy.	13th April, 2005.	1st January, 2005.

Federation of Nigeria, 2004.

ASSENT



NASIRU IBRAHIM ARAB,  
*Clerk to the National Assembly*  
20th Day of June, 2005

CHIEF OLUSEGUN OBASANJO, GCFR  
*President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria*  
22nd Day of June, 2005