



2025 NATIONAL CONFERENCE

ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND FISCAL GOVERNANCE

Theme:

Fiscal Governance in Nigeria – Charting a New Course
for Transparency and Sustainable Development



Date: Sunday 6th – Thursday 10th July, 2025

Venue: Congress Hall, Transcorp Hilton, Abuja

Time: 10:00 am Daily

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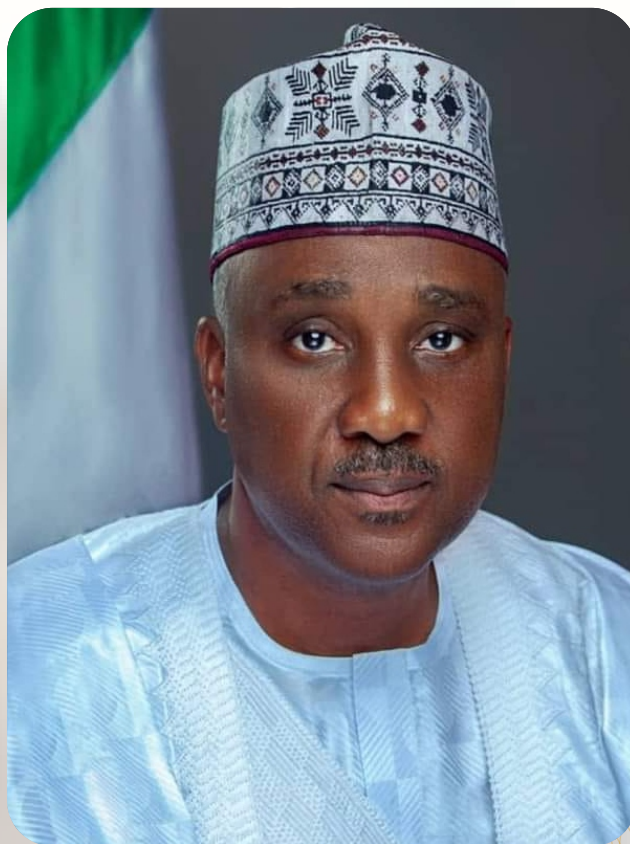


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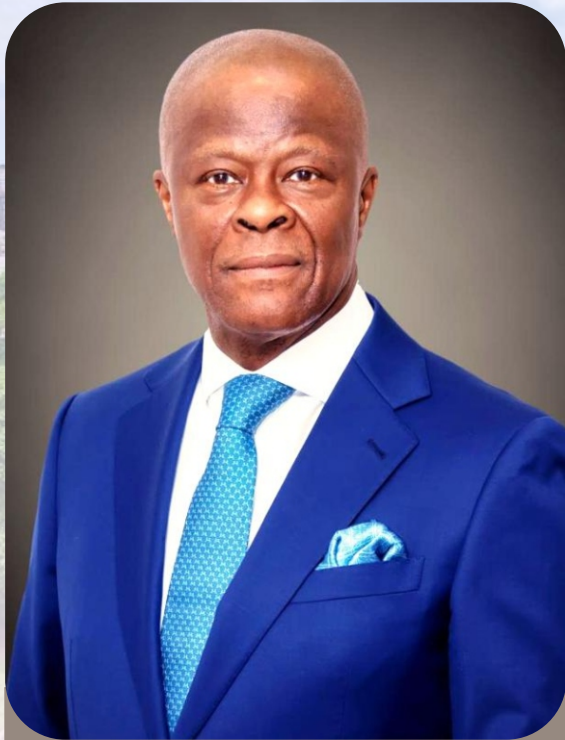


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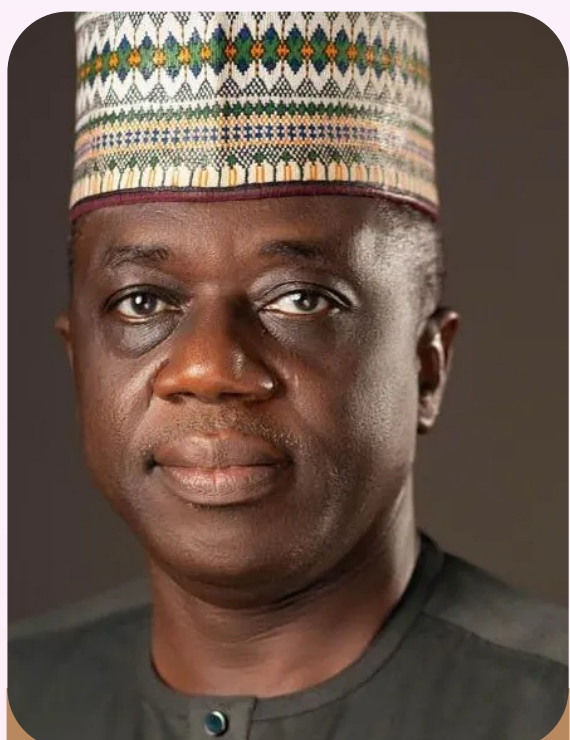
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INTRODUCTION TO THE CONFERENCE AND THE COMMITTEE

The 2025 National Conference on Public Accounts and Fiscal Governance is a landmark national initiative organised by the **House Committee on Public Accounts (PAC)** of the Nigerian House of Representatives. As a constitutionally mandated oversight body, the PAC is tasked with reviewing and scrutinising the reports of the Auditor-General of the Federation, ensuring that public funds are utilised efficiently and that governance is anchored on transparency and accountability. The Committee is critical in holding Ministries, Departments and Agencies (MDAs) accountable and ensuring fiscal prudence across the public sector. With a growing demand for integrity and transparency in the use of public resources, the work of the PAC has never been more critical to Nigeria's democratic development.

The 2025 National Conference is being convened as part of the legislative reform drive of the People's House Agenda. It is an avenue for stakeholders across Nigeria's fiscal governance architecture to converge, share insights, evaluate progress, and shape the future of public financial management. This year's theme, "***Fiscal Governance in Nigeria: Charting a New Course for Transparency and Sustainable Development***," reflects a collective aspiration to entrench robust governance systems that improve accountability and fiscal performance at all levels of government.

This high-level conference will convene the Chairmen of State Public Accounts Committees, State and Local Government Auditor Generals, Commissioners of Finance, Directors of Finance, Honourable Ministers, Development Partners, Civil Society Organisations, and top technocrats across Nigeria. Over five days, the conference will address pertinent topics including audit implementation, digital finance tracking, subnational fiscal oversight, anti-corruption frameworks, and more. It is a national dialogue and technical workshop in one, designed to build institutional capacity and inspire collective action for governance reforms.



WHY THIS CONFERENCE MATTERS

Nigeria stands at a critical juncture in its fiscal governance journey. Despite various reforms, challenges such as budget leakages, limited audit implementation, inconsistent public reporting, and weak enforcement of financial laws persist across MDAs.

Nigeria's decentralised structure presents additional challenges for harmonising accountability standards and strengthening fiscal responsibility. While the federal government has implemented several initiatives, including the Open Treasury Portal, the effective trickle-down of these reforms to state and local governments remains uneven.

As Nigeria advances its ambitious tax reform and fiscal governance agenda, including the proposed establishment of a centralised tax authority, the harmonisation of over 60 fragmented taxes into a simplified structure, and the complete digitisation of revenue collection, there is a renewed national commitment to raising the country's tax-to-GDP ratio from 10.86% to 18% within the next three years. These efforts underscore the urgent need for robust stakeholder engagement, institutional realignment, and capacity building, particularly in public accounts oversight, transparency, and accountability.

The PAC National Conference is a timely and strategic platform to interrogate these reforms, foster dialogue among lawmakers, public financial managers, tax administrators, and civil society, and collectively strengthen Nigeria's public financial architecture in line with international standards. Despite the progress, critical challenges such as regional disparities, infrastructural gaps, and institutional coordination persist, necessitating inclusive conversations and actionable frameworks that will be explored

during this high-level engagement.

The 2025 National Conference on Public Accounts and Fiscal Governance will become an indispensable national platform in this context. It is convened to serve not merely as a forum for knowledge exchange, but as a working session to recalibrate Nigeria's fiscal accountability frameworks in light of recent presidential reforms and global best practices. The aim is to drive conversation from policy to implementation, and from review to reform.

Moreover, the House Committee on Public Accounts strongly believes in inclusive reform. That is why this conference targets not only top government officials but also the often-overlooked subnational actors—the real engines of grassroots financial governance. In addition, this year's conference creates a historic first: the deliberate participation of heads of finance and audit from local government councils, whose capacity and inclusion are critical to national development outcomes.

Through keynote presentations, breakout sessions, panel discussions, and workshops, the conference will uncover gaps, propose solutions, and adopt resolutions that will be transmitted to the House for legislative and oversight action. It is expected to lead to new guidelines, strengthened partnerships, and improved internal processes to protect public resources and promote citizen trust.

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

The conference is designed to deliver both intellectual and institutional value. Its primary aim is to enhance the capacity of public sector financial managers and oversight bodies to operate with greater efficiency, transparency, and effectiveness.

The specific objectives are as follows:

To create a unified platform for high-level deliberation on Nigeria's fiscal governance systems.

To build capacity among PAC Chairmen, Auditor Generals, Commissioners of Finance, and other relevant officers on modern public financial management tools.

To examine the effectiveness of the current audit implementation framework and propose actionable solutions.

To explore international best practices in transparency, digital finance tracking, audit automation, and anti-corruption.

To initiate discussions that bridge the policy-practice gap between federal and subnational fiscal institutions.

To foster synergy on financial accountability issues between MDAs, legislative committees, civil society, and the private sector.

To serve as a springboard for generating a new reform agenda to support implementing the President's public sector financial transformation vision.

To produce a communiqué and action plan to inform further legislative oversight and reform by the House Committee on Public Accounts.

Ultimately, the conference intends to move the conversation from reaction to strategy, exposure to reform, and from weakness to national strength. It is a call for renewal, partnership, and performance.



SPONSORSHIP AS A PUBLIC INTEREST DONATION

The 2025 National Conference is not a commercial event but a **national assignment**. As such, all forms of sponsorship are regarded as **donations supporting governance, integrity, and public sector capacity-building**. The House Committee on Public Accounts is not a for-profit entity and does not receive budgetary allocations for conferences of this nature. Your donation is a patriotic contribution toward transparency and accountability in Nigeria.

Your support will enable the Committee to:

- Provide high-quality learning kits for all participants

- Offer daily tea breaks and lunch throughout the five-day programme

- Supply branded conference materials, including bags, notepads, jackets, and pens

- Ensure seamless logistics, including venue setup, signage, branding, and transportation.

- Facilitate high-quality media coverage, live streaming, and conference documentation.

- Host the opening gala and closing awards dinner


- Make provision for grassroots and civil society participation.

All sponsors will receive formal letters of appreciation and acknowledgement during the event, with complete visibility based on the value of their contribution. This is a unique opportunity to invest in the moral and fiscal backbone of the Nigerian state, and we invite your institution to join us in making history.



DONATION-BASED SPONSORSHIP CATEGORIES

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	Category/ Amount	Purpose and Visibility
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	Reform Supporter ₦5,000,000	Acknowledged in the event brochure and hall display, and received a certificate of appreciation.

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Thank you for your anticipated support toward building a transparent and accountable Nigeria.

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