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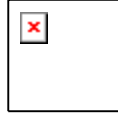
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LAW FOR THE CREATION OF ANGWAN MAKAMA CHIEFDOM



LAW NO. 1 OF 2019

20th April, 2019

Date of
Commencement.

ENACTED by the Nasarawa State House of Assembly of Nigeria and by the authority of same as follows:

- S.1** This law may be cited as the Nasarawa State Law for the creation of Angwan Makama Chiefdom Law 2019 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 20th day of April, 2019.
- S.2** In this law unless the context otherwise required:
- “**Chairman**” means the Chairman of the Local Government:
- “**College of Selectors**” means the College of Selectors referred to in Section 6 of this Law who are charged with the responsibility of the selection of the Chief of Angwan Makama:
- “**Council of Chiefs**” means the State Council of Chiefs:
- “**Local Government**” means the Akwanga Local Government of Nasarawa State;
- “**Governor**” means the Governor of Nasarawa State;
- “**Presiding Officer**” means the Presiding Officer appointed under Section 12 of this Law:
- “**Secretary**” means the Secretary of the Local Government:
- “**State**” means Nasarawa State of Nigeria:

- S.3** The Headquarters of Angwan Makama chiefdom shall be Angwan Makama
- S.4** The paramount Ruler of Angwan Makama chiefdom shall be known as chief of Angwan Makama chiefdom:
- S.5** The Angwan Makama chiefdom shall be of third (3) class status
- S.6** The selectors of chief of Angwan Makama chiefdom shall be persons who are holders of the following position:
- (i) Chem Angwan makama
 - (ii) Tak-keem
 - (iii) Njinah
 - (iv) Kurada
 - (v) Chem kankung.
- S.7** The ascension of the stool of Angwan Makama chiefdom shall be restricted to Nzojah Ruling family of Angwan Makama.
- S.8** The quorum for the selection of Angwan Makama chiefdom shall be three (3) members of the College of selectors.
- S.9** The venue for the selection of Angwan Makama shall be Akwanga or any other such place as the Governor directs.
- S.10** The selection of Angwan Makama shall be by secret ballot.
- S.11** Whenever the stool of Angwan Makama becomes vacant, the chairman of the Local Government shall notify the Governor of the state in writing of such vacancy.
- S.12** The Governor shall, on receipt of the information of the Office of chief Angwan Makama is vacant, appoint a Presiding officer and a secretary for the purpose of the Selection.
- S.13** The secretary to the Local Government or any other officer the Governor may direct shall be in attendance as an observer.
- S.14** The presiding officer shall issue nomination paper to each Traditional selector for nomination of qualified candidate for appointment as chief of Angwan Makama
- S.15** Nomination of candidates shall be to the presiding officer in writing where a selector is illiterate, he may choose any sane, literate, male, adult to assist him.

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S.16 The presiding officer shall hereupon forward names of not more
Than three (3) nominees in order of preference for appointment
As the chief of Angwan Makama Chiefdom to the Governor as
Recommendation for his approval of one of the candidates after due
consultation with the state council of chiefs.

This printed impression (Nasarawa state Law for the creation of chief of Angwan
Makama Chiefdom Law 2019) has been carefully compared by me with the bill.
Which has been passed by the Nasarawa State House of Assembly and is found
by me to be a true and correct copy of the Bill.

EGO MAIKEFFI ABASHI

Clerk of the House

Nasarwa State House of Assembly

I assented this 20th day of April, 2019

UMAR TANKO AL-MAKURA

Governor,

Nasarawa State of Nigeria.