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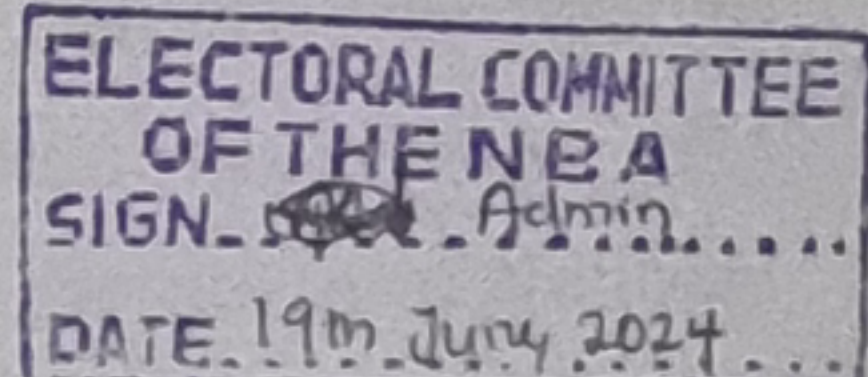
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18<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2024

The Chairman

Electoral Committee of the Nigerian Bar Association (ECNBA)

ECNBA Secretariat, NBA House, 24, Oro Ago Street Garki, Abuja.



Dear Learned Silk,

PETTITION AGAINST MR CHARLES AJIBOYE, A CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF THE NBA NATIONAL PUBLICITY SECRETARY, FOR USING OFFICIAL NBA PLATFORMS, CHANNELS AND WEBSITE TO CONFER UNFAIR, UNETHICAL AND UNDUE ELECTION ADVANTAGE TO HIMSELF OVER OTHER CANDIDATES TO WIT:

1. PROMOTION AND PUBLICATION OF HIS IMAGE AND NAME THROUGH NBA OFFICIAL WEBSITES AND CHANNELS WITH THE AIM OF GETTING UNDUE PUBLICITY.
2. HARVESTING OF YOUNG LAWYERS DATA, INCLUDING THEIR SCN. NUMBER THROUGH OFFICIAL NBA PLATFORMS WITH THE AIM OF INFLUENCING THEM FOR HIS ELECTION.
3. OPENLY OFFERING OF ADVANTAGE TO YOUNG LAWYERS THROUGH OFFICIAL NBA PLATFORMS WITH THE MOTIVE OF INFLUENCING THEM TO HIS ADVANTAGE IN THE ELECTION.



My name is **Bridget Ijeoma Edokwe Esq (Mrs)**, a Nigerian Lawyer, Notary Public and by the special grace of God, I am one of the candidates your noble committee, ECNBA, found worthy and qualified to contest for the office of the NBA National Publicity Secretary in the forthcoming NBA Election schedule to hold on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024. I am also the Publisher of **barristerng.com** law and politics news blog.

I write this petition with utmost good faith and to bring to the attention of ECNBA, the unfair, unethical, irregular and election manipulative acts of Mr Charles Ajiboye Esq, a fellow candidate for the office of National Publicity Secretary in the July 20<sup>th</sup> 2024 NBA election and the current Assistant National Publicity Secretary of NBA by using official websites, platforms and channels of the NBA to get unfair election advantage over other candidates in the forthcoming NBA Election.

This petition is premised on three cardinal stands to wit;

**1. HAVING EMERGED AS A CANDIDATE IN THE ELECTION, MR CHARLES AJIBOYE HAS CONTINUED TO PROMOTE HIS PICTURE AND NAME THROUGH NBA OFFICIAL WEBSITES, PLATFORMS AND CHANNELS WITH THE AIM OF GETTING UNDUE PUBLICITY TO AID HIS ELECTION CAMPAIGN.**

Fairness and Justice demands that Mr Charles Ajiboye, having submitted his form to contest for the office of the NBA National Publicity Secretary in the forthcoming election will desist and estopped from using the official NBA websites and platforms to promote his



name and picture with the aim of promoting his publicity and gain undue advantage for the election. This is more so when there is an active NBA National Publicity secretary in office. The NBA Constitution by Section 9(5)i expressly provides that the NBA National Publicity Secretary is responsible for publicizing NBA activities and Section 9(5)j only empowers the NBA National Assistant Publicity Secretary to assist and act for the NBA National Publicity Secretary only in his ABSENCE or when directed by the NBA President or National Executive Council (NEC). Presently, the NBA National Publicity Secretary is active and present and there is no record or evidence to show that Mr Charles Ajiboye has been directed by the NBA President or the NEC to act in the stead of the NBA National Publicity Secretary.

The ECNBA on 3rd<sup>t</sup> day of May 2024 published the Name of Mr Charles Ajiboye as a candidate for NBA Election 2024 and since then, Mr Ajiboye has issued Ten Publications with his name and picture through NBA official mailing list to all Nigerian Lawyers. The emails publications are dated May 8<sup>th</sup>, May 10<sup>th</sup>, May 15<sup>th</sup>, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, May 27<sup>th</sup>, May 29<sup>th</sup>, May 31<sup>st</sup>, June 1<sup>st</sup>, June 5<sup>th</sup>, and June 18<sup>th</sup> all in 2024. The copies of these emails are attached to this petition and marked as Exhibit 1 to 10 respectively.

The only conclusion that will be deduced by an unbiased person is that Mr Charles Ajiboye, with the unethical aim of conveying undue advantage to himself for the purpose of the wining the forthcoming NBA election, has been granted unduly, the NBA Platforms and Channels to promote himself and his image. This is an unfair advantage that is not available to other candidates and such unfair advantage should not be



allowed to ensure free and fair election that will be the pride of all Nigerian Lawyers.

I had earlier got an unconfirmed report from some of my supporters that Mr Charles Ajiboye had boasted at a forum that he will win the election by deploying the power of “**Incumbency**” as is done in Nigerian politics. I didn’t pay heed to that report as I believe that ECNBA will ensure the sanctity of the NBA election and will draw no inspiration from Nigerian politics. That belief is why I write this petition for ECNBA to intervene and stop further use of NBA Platforms, Channels and Websites to promote the publicity of Mr Charles Ajiboye, a candidate in the forthcoming NBA election.

## **2. HARVESTING OF YOUNG LAWYERS DATA, INCLUDING THEIR SUPREME COURT NUMBER (SCN) THROUGH OFFICIAL NBA PLATFORMS WITH THE AIM OF INFLUENCING THEM FOR HIS ELECTION.**

All Nigerian Lawyers today, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2024, received a publication through NBA official emailing list from Mr Charles Ajiboye seeking to collect the data of Nigerian Lawyers of 1 to 5 years post call with the purpose of making them volunteers to attend NBA Annual General Conference, AGC, schedule to hold in August 2024 in Lagos. This email is attached to this Petition and marked as Exhibit 11. Among the data sought by Mr Charles Ajiboye from young lawyers are their names, Whatsapp number, email, Supreme Court Number(SCN) and branches.



While these data are sought under the guise of being volunteers for AGC 2024, **a practice that has never happened in NBA history**, an unbiased and discerning mind will conclude without hesitation that this data harvesting move by Mr Charles Ajiboye, is for the purpose of utilizing these data to pursue his personal ambition using the official NBA channels and websites to confer undue advantage to himself. A careful examination of voting patterns from past NBA National Elections will show that young lawyers constitute more than 50% of registered voters. Harvesting Young Lawyers data by a candidate will confer undue advantage to that candidate against other candidates. This is an unfair and unethical practice which goes to the credibility of the electioneering process.

Fairness and international best practices demands that a candidate in an election into a body should not be allowed to use any official channel of that body to promote his political and personal ambition during the pendency of his candidature. Allowing Mr Charles Ajiboye the undue advantage of harvesting the data of young lawyers through official NBA Channels under the guise of AGC Volunteers will confer an unfair advantage to him in the election. I urge you Sir to intervene and stop forthwith Mr Charles Ajiboye of further using NBA official channels to harvest young lawyers data.

**3. MR CHARLES AJIBOYE IS OPENLY OFFERING AN ADVANTAGE OF NBA AGC 2024 COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP TO YOUNG LAWYERS THROUGH OFFICIAL NBA PLATFORMS WITH THE MOTIVE OF INFLUENCING THEM TO HIS ADVANTAGE IN THE ELECTION.**



By an email publication sent to all Nigerian Lawyers today, the 18<sup>th</sup> of June 2024 (Exhibit 11), through NBA Official Channels, platforms and Websites, Mr Charles Ajiboye is offering young lawyers of 1 to 5 years post call an offer of an advantage of being members of NBA AGC Committee by volunteering. The same offer was made on NBA Official Twitter handle with 41.2 thousand followers by Mr Charles Ajiboye on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of June 2024.(The Twitter Publication is attached to this petition Marked as Exhibit 11a). The message request young lawyers who accept the offer to contact Mr Charles Ajiboye with his name and picture boldly attached to the message.

The Registration fee for NBA AGC 2024 is between fifty thousand Naira to Hundred thousand Naira (N50,000.00 – N100,000.00) for young lawyers, but by volunteering to be a member of the NBA AGC Committee, all young lawyers who accept the offer would have through the advantage Mr Charles Ajiboye seeks to confer on them been a member of NBA AGC 2024 planning committee which will automatically qualify them enter the AGC 2024 whether they are registered for the conference or not. This is an offer that many young lawyers will find very hard to resist.

To buttress this point, an ardent supporter of mine in Lagos who is also a young lawyer saw the offer from Mr Charles Ajiboye and sent me a message to inform me that he has withdrawn his support for me. I later found out from his social media posts that he is now supporting Mr Charles Ajiboye. I don't blame him as such unethical offer will be very tempting to many young lawyers.



This offer by Mr Charles Ajiboye to young Lawyers also contravenes article 5.4v of the ECNBA NOTICE 9(GUIDELINES B).

It is my firm belief that this offer and practice by Mr Charles Ajiboye is unethical, unfair, and should not be allowed by ECNBA for the credibility of NBA National Election 2024. ECNBA should act fast and stop Mr Charles Ajiboye from buying the vote and support of young lawyers using NBA official websites, platforms and channels under the guise of NBA AGC 2024 volunteers.

## **CONCLUSION AND MY APPEAL**

Sir, it is to be noted that there has never been a time in NBA history where a candidate for NBA election is allowed to unduly and unethically take advantage of NBA websites, platforms and Channels to confer an undue advantage to himself or herself. **Such unfair practice has no root in NBA Traditions.** In fact, the immediate past NBA President, Mr Olumide Akpata did not, for once, allow his official Special Assistant, the Late Ogaga Emenwonre Esq, to use any NBA Platform to publicize his name, picture or confer any advantage on lawyers during the pendency of Ogaga's National publicity Secretary Candidature. This is the standard electioneering fairness demands. I urge you Sir to uphold this standard and stop Mr Charles Ajiboye forthwith from using NBA official channels, platforms and websites to publish his name, image or make any offer of advantage to lawyers during the pendency of his candidature in the 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024 NBA election.

It is my humble appeal that ECNBA order Mr Charles Ajiboye to withdraw



the unfair offer of advantage of being volunteers for NBA AGC 2024 he made to young Lawyers with the aim of influencing them to support him in his National Publicity Secretary election bid.

It is my further appeal that his withdrawal of the offer be made through the same official channels that he used to publish the offer.

It is my further Appeal that ECNBA order Mr Charles Ajiboye to stop forthwith from using any NBA official website, Channels and platforms to publish and distribute his name, picture or any offer whatsoever during the pendency of his candidature.

I make this Petition and appeal in utmost good faith with the strong believe that ECNBA will find merit in the issues I raised and grant my appeal in the spirit of fairness and Justice.

Please accept professional regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Bridget Ijeoma Edokwe Esq (Mrs)', written over a horizontal line.

**Bridget Ijeoma Edokwe Esq (Mrs)**

**Candidate for the office of NBA National Publicity Secretary.**

**CC**

**NBA President**

**Mr Ferdinand Naza**



THE 18TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS LAW CONFERENCE OF THE NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION SECTION ON BUSINESS LAW

1 message

NBA SECTION AND FORA <info2@nigerianbar.org.ng>

Wed, May 8, 2024 at 9:45 AM

**SBL NBA Survive and THRIVE 2024**  
 Section on Business Law  
 18th Annual International Business Law Conference **2024**

# Call for Registration

## 2024 CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES

Physical Attendance		Virtual Attendance	
<b>Young Lawyers (0-7yrs)</b>		<b>Young Lawyers (0-7yrs)</b>	
SBL Members	<b>25k</b>	SBL Members	<b>10k</b>
Non-Members	<b>35k</b>	Non-Members	<b>15k</b>
<b>Others</b>		<b>Others</b>	
SBL Members	<b>50k</b>	SBL Members	<b>20k</b>
Non-Members	<b>65k</b>	Non-Members	<b>30k</b>

**Dinner Tickets - 20k**

**EXHIBIT 1**

Dear Esteemed Colleague,

On behalf of the 2024 Conference Planning Committee (CPC) i wish to inform you that the 18th Annual Business Law Conference (the "2024 Conference") is scheduled to take place between Wednesday, 26th June to Friday 28th June, 2024 at the Abuja Continental Hotel, FCT, Nigeria.

The theme of this year's conference is: "Survive and THRIVE"

Since its inception in 2004, the Annual Business Law Conference of the NBA-SBL has continued to be a converging point and a veritable platform for decision makers in both the public and private sector of the economy. The 2024 conference will no doubt, attract a distinguished faculty of knowledgeable speakers and resource persons from within and outside Nigeria.

The Conference will be the largest gathering of business lawyers in Nigeria with over 1,000 lawyers and legal professionals expected to converge at the venue. It will have about 20 working sessions covering all areas of practice relevant to lawyers and to the Nigerian business community.

This conference will provide invaluable opportunities for business leaders to sit side by side with their regulators and engage in meaningful and mutually beneficial conversations about critical issues in the business environment. It is also an avenue for continuing professional development and networking for lawyers.



As you may also be aware, the NBA-SBL marks its 20th anniversary this year; celebrating two decades of constructive engagements, dedication to promoting and developing the practice of business law in Nigeria. We are incredibly grateful for your unwavering support of the NBA-SBL over the years.

In recognition of our 20th year, this year's conference presents a unique opportunity to showcase the NBA-SBL's achievements and contributions to the legal landscape in Nigeria and is geared to be the largest and most impactful yet.

In view of this, we are inviting you to participate at this year's conference with the registration link and approved fees below:

**Physical Attendance**

Young Lawyers (0 - 7 Years Post Call)  
SBL Members – 25,000  
Non- Members – 35,000  
Others (Above 7 Years Post Call);  
SBL Members – 50,000  
Non-Members – 65,000

**Virtual Attendance**

Young Lawyers (0 - 7 Years Post Call)  
SBL Members – 10,000  
Non-Members – 15,000  
Others (Above 7 Years Post Call);  
SBL Members – 20,000  
Non-Members – 30,000

Dinner Tickets – 20,000

**Conference registration link:** <https://conference.nbasbl.org>

For Sponsorship opportunity, please contact **+234 805 488 1300**

For Exhibitions, please contact **+234 814 766 7455**

Looking forward to welcoming you to the conference.

Click to follow our official WhatsApp News channel and unmute for notifications: <https://whatsapp.com/channel/0029Va9FONDAzNboYzDImH2F>

Best regards,

**Charles Ajiboye, Esq.**

**National Assistant Publicity Secretary**



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## LAWYERS GOT TALENT 2.0 AT THE 18TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS LAW CONFERENCE

1 message

NBA SECTION AND FORA &lt;info2@nigerianbar.org.ng&gt;

Fri, May 10, 2024 at 8:16 PM

# EXHIBIT 2

Dear Esteemed Colleague,

Lawyers Got Talent (LGT) 2.0 is here!

The SBL through Johnson Amaechi, Esq., Chair, Logistics & Entertainment Sub-committee is introducing the much-anticipated sequel that captured our attention last year!

After the resounding success of the previous edition, the SBL is thrilled to bring you another unforgettable experience. Get ready to be dazzled once again as talented legal professionals showcase their talent in a display that is sure to leave you in awe. This year's edition will take place during the 18th Annual International Business Law Conference, which is scheduled to be held from 26th - 28th of June, 2024, in the vibrant city of Abuja. To register for the conference and for more information about the conference, please visit <https://conference.nbasbl.org>.

Expect nothing short of an evening filled with entertainment, excitement, and perhaps even a few surprises!

### HOW TO APPLY:

Interested Participants should make a 60-second video showcasing their talents, save the video in a google Drive link, and email it to [nbasblconference@gmail.com](mailto:nbasblconference@gmail.com)



Ensure you send your full name, phone number, year of call, SCN number, and evidence of payment for the conference alongside the google link.

Interested participants are to ensure that the sharing permissions allow access to their videos for the judging process.

**Note:**

The extension of the deadline for submission is now the 16th of May 2024.

Get ready to witness talent like never before at Lawyers Got Talent 2.0, an event that promises to be extraordinary.

Best regards,  
Charles Ajiboye, Esq.  
National Assistant Publicity Secretary, NBA



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**NBA-SARC Western Zone Town Hall Meeting**

1 message

NBA COMMITTEE <info3@nigerianbar.org.ng>

Wed, May 15, 2024 at 9:59 PM

**EXHIBIT 3**

**NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION  
SECURITY AGENCIES RELATIONS  
COMMITTEE (NBA-SARC)**

*Cordially Invites all lawyers to the*

**NBA-SARC  
TOWNHALL  
MEETING (WEST)**

**THEME:**  
**FOSTERING A HARMONIOUS  
RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN LAWYERS AND  
SECURITY AGENCIES IN NIGERIA: A  
CONSTRUCTIVE DIALOGUE BY  
STAKEHOLDERS**

**CHIEF HOST:**  
**Yakubu C. Malkyau, SAN**  
President, Nigerian Bar Association

**HOST:**  
**Chukwuka Ikwuazom, SAN**  
Chairman, NBA Security Agencies Relations  
Committee (NBA-SARC)

**Thursday, 16th May 2024 | 10AM**  
**The Agip Recital Hall, Muson Centre, 8/9  
Marina, Onikan, Lagos State**

**RSVP: Aare Oladotun Hassan: 08033931229  
Douglas Ogbankwa: 08070700176**

Participating Agencies:



Dear Esteemed Colleague,

Invitation to the NBA-SARC Western Zone Town Hall Meeting

This is to warmly invite you to the NBA-SARC Western Zone (Lagos, Ogun, Ondo, Oyo, Ekiti, Osun, Edo and Delta States) Town Hall Meeting.

Theme: "Fostering A Harmonious Relationship Between Lawyers and Security Agencies in Nigeria; A Constructive Dialogue by Stakeholders"

**Date: Thursday 16th May, 2024**  
**Venue: Agip Recital Hall, Muson Centre, Onikan, Lagos.**  
**Time: 10.00a.m.**

The Nigerian Bar Association, Security Agencies Relations Committee (NBA-SARC) is a Committee of the Nigerian Bar Association (NBA) established to, among other things: (i) Foster collaboration between the legal community and security agencies, (ii) Collaborate with security agencies to promote and advance a mutually beneficial relationship between them and lawyers, (iii) address the challenges faced by legal practitioners in their professional interactions with the various security agencies in Nigeria.



The Town Hall Meeting will give lawyers and the security agencies a platform to interact in order to foster an harmonious working relationship between parties. Security agencies that will be represented are: Nigeria Police Force, DSS, EFCC, ICPC, NSCDC, Nigerian Army, Nigerian Immigration Services and Nigeria Custom Services to mention a few.

We implore all lawyers within the Zone to attend this all important epochal Town Hall Meeting.

**Enquiries:**

Aare Oladotun Hassan, Chairman, Planning Committee, 08033931229,  
[nbasarcwest@gmail.com](mailto:nbasarcwest@gmail.com)  
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Thank you.


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**ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION (NBA)**

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**NBA PRESIDENT** <info@nigerianbar.org.ng>  
Reply-To: info@nigerianbar.org.ng  
To: echikachina@gmail.com

Thu, May 23, 2024 at 10:21 AM

**EXHIBIT 4**

**ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION (NBA), MR. YAKUBU CHONOKO MAIKYAU, OON SAN, AT THE PUBLIC HEARING OF THE BILL ON JUDICIAL REMUNERATION ORGANISED BY THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, HUMAN RIGHTS AND LEGAL MATTERS, HELD AT THE SENATE CONFERENCE HALL 231, SECOND FLOOR, NEW BUILDING ON MONDAY, 20 MAY 2024**

The Nigerian Bar Association (NBA) under the current administration led by Yakubu Chonoko Maikyau, OON, SAN has consistently advocated for the improvement of the remuneration of Judicial officers. The NBA President again had the opportunity to further this advocacy which is already yielding positive results when he had the privilege of delivering the subject address.

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The NBA President also made a case for other court officials and stressed on the need to cater for their welfare in a unique way as is being done for judicial officers.

He further advocated for the recognition of Magistrates as judicial officers in view of their very sensitive responsibilities.

Indeed, the address captures the essence of the NBA and her role in ensuring the independence of the judiciary and promotion of the rule of law.

I have herein attached the full address of the NBA President and I encourage you to take some time to read it.

Best regards,

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**NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION YOUNG LAWYERS FORUM**

1 message

NBA SECTION AND FORA &lt;info2@nigerianbar.org.ng&gt;

Mon, May 27, 2024 at 6:58 PM

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to inform you that the second edition of the Body of Benchers Mentoring Programme for young lawyers will commence on 1st July, 2024.

To provide you with detailed information about the programme, the Mentoring Committee of the Body of Benchers has scheduled a briefing session as follows:

**Date: Tuesday, 28th May, 2024****Time: 2:00pm****Venue: Virtual**

Registration Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYIde6tqzqgGtz66uHc1J22ZHqhQWGR4Ntw>

We strongly encourage all young lawyers to attend.

Best regards,

**Charles Olawale Ajiboye**  
National Assistant Publicity Secretary

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Wed, May 29, 2024 at 9:19 AM

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## ECHIKANBA Annual General Conference 2024 Registration Exceeds Expectations with Over 1,000 Lawyers Already Registered.

1 message

AGC 2024 <info@nigerianbar.org.ng>  
Reply-To: info@nigerianbar.org.ng  
To: echikachina@gmail.com

Fri, May 31, 2024 at 3:30 PM



### EXHIBIT 7

This is to thank our colleagues who were among the first 1,000 to register for this year's Conference. It goes a long way to show their support for the good work currently being done.

In just one week, over 1,000 lawyers from across the country have registered for this year's conference, showcasing the legal community's strong interest and commitment to this pivotal event.

No doubt the AGC 2023 was a success on many levels which can explain why the anticipation for this year's Conference is very high. The 2024 Annual General Conference, scheduled to take place from the 23rd of August to the 28th of August 2024 at the historic Tafawa Balewa Square promises to be an extraordinary gathering.

The conference will feature a wide array of sessions, including keynote addresses from prominent erudite minds, workshops on contemporary legal issues, and ample opportunities for networking and professional development. It will showcase many 'first of its kind' initiatives and excellence will not be spared in the delivery.

The overwhelming response we've seen so far is a testament to the importance of our Annual General Conference and the value it provides to our members and the society at large. We are looking forward to an enriching and engaging conference that will address critical issues facing the legal profession and our country today.

Early registration not only guarantees a spot at the conference but also provides access to early-bird discounts.

To register now, please visit [www.nigerianbar.org.ng/conference](http://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/conference)



Registration Fees: <https://www.nigerianbar.org.ng/conference/registration-fees>

Join us in making the 2024 Annual General Conference a memorable and impactful experience for the legal community and beyond. Register today and be part of the conversation shaping the future of law and our country Nigeria.



We are pressing forward.

Register Now



**Ajiboye Charles Olawale**

Assistant National Publicity Secretary,

Alt. Chairman, Media & Publicity Sub-Committee AGCPC2024

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AGC 2024 <info@nigerianbar.org.ng>  
Reply-To: info@nigerianbar.org.ng  
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Sat, Jun 1, 2024 at 11:15 AM



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CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

EXHIBIT 10

A detailed poster for the call for volunteers. At the top left is the "PRESSING FORWARD" logo. Next to it is the text "NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION 2024 ANNUAL GENERAL CONFERENCE". The main graphic is a large black megaphone shape containing the text "CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS" in large white letters. Below this, it says "Media and Publicity Sub-Committee of the AGC2024". To the right of the megaphone, the word "Creatives" is written vertically. A yellow speech bubble next to the megaphone says "Open to dynamic young lawyers (1-5 years post-call)". At the bottom left, contact information is provided: "For enquiries, contact: Charles Ajiboye, Esq. Alt. Chairman, Media &amp; Publicity Sub-Committee, AGCPC2024. 08121722161". At the bottom right, a note says "NB: Only shortlisted persons will be contacted." Below the contact info, it says "To volunteer, click link and fill google form on or before 20th June, 2024". At the very bottom, there is a green bar with social media icons and the text "#nbaconferenceNG | #nbaconference2024 | #PressingForward".

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To volunteer, CLICK on the link below and fill the form on or before 20th June 2024:

<https://shorturl.at/p6tNG>

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Name \*

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Last Name

Middle Name

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Email \*



Confirm Email

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NBA Branch \*

Select your branch form the drop down.

Will you be Registering to attend the NBA-AGC ? \*

Yes



No

**INTERESTED CREATIVE SKILL AREAS \***

- Content Creation
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- Secretariat

Select the one you are interested in volunteering for

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