

Nigerian Bar Association – Section on Public Interest and Development Law (NBA-SPIDEL)



Pursuant to Article XV111 of the Uniform Bye-laws for Sections, 2025 and sequel to the approval of the NBA-SPIDEL Executive Committee (EXCO) and the subsequent approval of the additional Committees by NBA NEC, kindly find herein, the composition of the Regional Representatives, Committees, Task Teams and Special Mechanisms for the Nigerian Bar Association Section on Public Interest and Development Law.

NBA-SPIDEL REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVES, COMMITTEES, TASK TEAMS, AND SPECIAL MECHANISMS

NBA-SPIDEL Regional Representatives

Western Region

Olawunmi Tope Adeola

Eastern Region

Dorn Cklaimz Enamhe

Northern Region

Ibrahim Nassarawa

NBA-SPIDEL Committees

1. Public Interest Litigation (A SPIDEL Statutory Committee)

(With Special Supervisory Role by the SPIDEL Vice Chair - Paul Daudu, SAN)

Chair

Ntufam Mba E. Ukwani, SAN

Vice Chair

Bulus Atsen

Secretary

Vincent Adodo

Assistant Secretary

Dr Lilian Ojemma

Advisors

Jubril S. Okutepe, SAN

Prof. Chidi Odinkalu

Note:

Public Interest Litigation Task Teams/Sub Committees will be established on Case Management, Drafting and Research and on each of the cases being handled by the SPIDEL Litigation Committee leadership.

2. Development Committee (A SPIDEL statutory Committee)

(With Special Supervisory Role by SPIDEL Vice Chair - Paul Daudu, SAN)

Chair

Andrew Odum, SAN

Vice Chair

Fatima Kere Ahmed

Secretary

Yakubu Saleh Bawa

Assistant Secretary

Nkwachi Madu-Onwuatube

Advisors

Prof. Hadiza Hamma

Adesina Adegbite

Dr. Oracle Nwala, Mni

Prof. Adam Etete

George Itodo

NBA-SPIDEL Development Committee Task Teams/Sub Committees

- i. SDG Compliance and Monitoring Task Team
- ii. Integrity in Government and Professions Task Team
- iii. Electoral Reform and Election Dispute Resolution Task Teams
- iv. Regional, State and Local Government Task Team
- v. Environment & Climate Change Task Team

SPIDEL Newly Established Committees & Mechanisms

3. National Legal Aid Strategy Implementation Monitoring Committee

Chair

Prof. Paul Ananaba, SAN

Vice Chair

President Aigbokhan

Secretary

Adaobi Egboka

Assistant Secretary

Erondu Ihuoma Evangeline

Advisors

Chief R. A. Lawal-Rabana, SAN

Prof. Usman Mohammad Shuib

Aliyu Bagudu Abubakar - DG Legal Aid Council (LACON)

Ronke Adeyemi, SAN

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4. SPIDEL Detention Monitoring Committee

Chair

Chisom Onuoha

Vice Chair

Idris Audu Bawa

Secretary

Bayo Akinlade

Assistant Secretary

David Ngwee

Advisors

Prof. Hayatu Chiroma, SAN

Ikeazor Akaraiwe, SAN

Dr Rommy Mom

Kelechukwu Agwu

Dr Maureen Baribefe-Koate

5. Public Interest and Development Law Media Network (NBA SPIDEL Media Network)

Chair

Dr Monday Ubani, SAN

Vice Chair

Halima Abiola Yusuf

Secretary

Lilian Okenwa

Assistant Secretary

Gloria Ireka

Advisors

NBA Publicity Secretary

NBA Assistant Publicity Secretary

SPIDEL Public Relations Officer

**6. Public Interest and Development Law Research and Policy
Committee**

Chair

Folarin Aluko

Vice Chair

Chika Okoli

Secretary

Vincent Odo

Assistant Secretary

Stanley Ekpa

Advisors

Osita Chidoka

Ikhide Ehighelua

Prof. Abdulkadir Ibrahim Abikan (DG, Nigerian Institute of Advanced Legal Studies)

Chinyere Moneme, SAN

Emmanuel Oluwabiya

7. Capacity Building, Knowledge Management & Mentoring Committee

Chair

Dr. Ike Ukam

Vice Chair

Abdulahi Karaye

Secretary

Dr Nnenna Eboh

Assistant Secretary

Samuel Etuk

Advisors

Dr Olugbemisola Titilayo Odusote (Director General, Nigerian Law School)

Assc. Prof. Joe Edet

Prof. Chizoba Okpara

Prof. Aisha Sani Maikudi

Dr. Idachaba Martins Ajogwu

This Committee will include the following subcommittees/task teams:

- i. NBA-SPIDEL Journal Task Team;
- ii. NBA-SPIDEL Essays, Poetry, and Spoken Word Annual Competition Assessment & Compilation Task Team/Panel;
- iii. SPIDEL Training & Capacity Building Task Team; and
- iv. NBA - SPIDEL Law Students & Young Lawyers Mentorship Task Team.

8. Public Interest and Development Law Legislative Reforms / Liaison Committee (SPIDEL Legislative Reforms Committee)

Chair

Senator Dino Melaye

Vice Chair

Senator Emmanuel Bwacha

Secretary

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Assistant Secretary

Deborah Yakubu

Advisor

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