



# FEDERAL MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

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The Executive Secretary,  
National Board for Technical Education (NBTE)  
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Kaduna.



### RE: AMENDMENTS TO THE CONTENTIOUS TEMPLATE FOR APPOINTMENT OF PRINCIPAL OFFICERS IN NIGERIAN POLYTECHNICS

You may wish to recall that the requirement for "a minimum of twenty-two (22) years teaching experience and tertiary institutions" as captured in item iii under Academic qualification and qualities have caused a lot of unease in the sector.

2. After a meeting of the Rapid Response Team, an agreement was reached on a modification of item iii and has been approved by the Minister of Education
3. I am, therefore, directed to inform you that item iii on the template should be changed to read "a minimum 23 years' experience with an HND or its equivalent or a minimum of 20 years with M.Sc. or its equivalent or a minimum of 17 years with Ph.D.
4. Please note that all other requirements remain the same.
5. It is hoped that this amendment would lay to rest this issue.
6. Kindly revert if you have any contrary opinion, otherwise, please implement immediately. All the above must have ten (10) years' experience in a Polytechnic or similar TVET Institutions.
7. While gratefully waiting for your prompt response, please, accept the assurances of the Honourable Minister's best regards.

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Director