

28 September 2026

The Secretary,
Nigerian Bar Association,
Owerri Branch.

Sir,

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WRITTEN PROPOSAL/MOTION FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE CHAIRMAN, NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION, OWERRI BRANCH, DR. MAZI UDEGBULEM, BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF HIS TENURE OF OFFICE

Pursuant to Article 13(6) of the Uniform Bye-Law for Branches 2025 (as amended), we, the undersigned financial members of the Nigerian Bar Association, Owerri Branch, hereby submit this written proposal/motion for the removal of the Chairman of the Branch, Dr. Mazi Udegbulem, before the expiration of his tenure of office.

This proposal is founded on alleged breaches of the provisions of Articles 7(1)(a) and 12(6) of the NBA Uniform Bye-Law for Branches, arising particularly from the following acts and/or omissions:

1. Alleged misappropriation of the sum of ~~N100,000,000.00~~ received from the Government of Imo State;
2. Reckless and/or improper management of the funds of the Branch;
3. Incurring and/or authorising expenditures on behalf of the Branch without the prior approval or subsequent ratification of the General Meeting, where such approval or ratification is required;
4. Alleged fraudulent inflation of the costs of expenditures and projects undertaken without the requisite approval of the General Meeting; and
5. Failure, in the discharge of his responsibilities as Chairman, to ensure the prudent and efficient utilisation of the resources of the Branch.

In view of the foregoing, we hereby request and demand that you, in your capacity as Branch Secretary:

1. Receive and formally acknowledge this written proposal/motion in accordance with Article 13(6) and (7) of the NBA Uniform Bye-Law for Branches;
2. Notify the Branch Chairman, Dr. Mazi Udegbulem, in writing of this proposal/motion within the period prescribed by the Bye-Law; and
3. Include this proposal/motion as a substantive item on the agenda of the October 2026 General Meeting of the Branch, to be convened for its consideration and determination in accordance with the Uniform Bye-Law.

This proposal is submitted in the overriding interest of due process, accountability, transparency, financial responsibility, and strict compliance with the Uniform Bye-Law for Branches.

Yours faithfully,

SIGNED BY FIVE (5) FINANCIAL MEMBERS OF THE NIGERIAN BAR ASSOCIATION, OWERRI BRANCH

1. Name: CHUKWUEMEKA E. ANYANWU

SCN: SCN 0.55036

Signature: 

Date: 28-09-2026

2. Name: JUDE CHINONYERE ARISUKWU

SCN: 056388

Signature: 

Date: 28/09/2026

3. Name: OLIBARIWA OLUKARO PASCARE

SCN: 112938

Signature: 

Date: 28/9/2026

4. Name: GODWIN LYKE UMAH

SCN: 109390

Signature: 

Date: 28/09/2026

5. Name: Asilomi Paul-phen Isi

SCN: SCN072275

Signature: 

Date: 28/9/2026



28 September 2026

The Chairman,
Nigerian Bar Association
Owerri Branch.

Durcas Onyemechara
NBA Owerri Branch
Sign.....
Date..... 28/09/2026
Acknowledged.

Dear Sir,

REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO AND CERTIFIED TRUE COPIES OF FINANCIAL RECORDS OF THE
NBA OWERRI BRANCH PURSUANT TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION LAW OF IMO STATE

I hereby formally request access to and Certified True Copies of the following financial records and documents of the Nigerian Bar Association, Owerri Branch:

1. The complete Statement of Account of the NBA Owerri Branch Project Account, covering the period from 23 August 2026 to the date the requested statement is generated;
2. The complete Statements of Account of all other bank accounts maintained and/or operated by the NBA Owerri Branch, irrespective of their names, designations or purposes, covering the period from 6 July 2026 to the date the requested statements are generated;
3. All receipts, invoices, payment vouchers, purchase orders and other supporting documents relating to procurements, purchases, supplies, works, services or expenditures in respect of the NBA Owerri Bar Centre, covering the period from 6 July 2026 to 26 September 2026; and
4. All cheques drawn, issued and/or signed on any account of the NBA Owerri Branch between 6 July 2026 and 26 September 2026, together with the relevant cheque numbers, dates, amounts, payees and the accounts on which they were drawn.

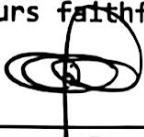
The requested documents should be duly certified by the appropriate officer having custody of the respective records. Where any of the records are maintained electronically, electronic copies will be acceptable, provided their authenticity and completeness are duly certified.

This request follows the presentation of the Branch's financial report at the General Meeting held on 26 September 2026 and is intended to facilitate the proper examination, verification and reconciliation of the financial transactions and expenditures of the Branch during the period under review.

I respectfully request that the above records be made available within the period prescribed by the applicable Freedom of Information Law of Imo State.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

Yours faithfully,


CHINEDU AGU, ESQ.



Cc:

- ✓ The Secretary,
Nigerian Bar Association, Owerri Branch.
- ✓ The Treasurer,
Nigerian Bar Association, Owerri Branch.
- ✓ The Financial Secretary,
Nigerian Bar Association, Owerri Branch.



28 September 2026

The Secretary
Nigerian Bar Association
Owerri Branch.

Dorcas Onyemechara
N B A Owerri BRANCH
Sign.....
Date..... 28/09/2026
Acknowledged.

Dear Sir,

REQUEST FOR THE AUDIO AND VISUAL RECORDING OF THE MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING HELD ON 26 SEPTEMBER 2026

I write to respectfully request that you make available to me the complete audio and visual recording of the Monthly General Meeting of the Nigerian Bar Association, Owerri Branch, held on 26 September 2026, which was conducted as a hybrid meeting.

For completeness, this request covers the entire recording of the proceedings of the meeting, both the audio and video components, in whatever electronic format in which the recording is presently maintained or stored.

I shall appreciate it if the requested recording is made available to me expeditiously, preferably by electronic means or through any other convenient medium through which the complete recording can be accessed or transferred.

Given the importance of having an accurate record of the proceedings of the said meeting, I would particularly appreciate your speedy response and prompt transmission of the requested recording.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

Yours faithfully,


CHINEDU AGU, ESQ.

