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**ABSTRACT**

This study examines, empirically, the relationship between human resources (staffing) of organizations and their performance. With data from randomly selected companies quoted on the 1<sup>st</sup> tier of the Nigerian Stock Exchange (NSE), this paper established, using the ordinary least square, a positive relationship between staffing and organizational performance. The practical implication of this finding is that employees training and