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2.Explain issues of the Nigerian legal system and its effects on engineering industries?

Answer: Law can be described as a set of rules made by a society to guide maintain order and regulate the actions of its citizens. Therefore, an action is regarded as legal if it is done within the confines of the law.The Nigerian Legal System is based on the English Common Law. This is obviously as a result of colonization. Even Section 45(1) of the Interpretation Act says that “the common law of England and the doctrines of equity and the statutes of general application which were in force in England on 1st January, 1900 are applicable in Nigeria, only in so far as local jurisdiction and circumstances shall permit”.

1. **Absence of Financial Autonomy**
2. **Lack of Technology**
3. **Poor Funding:** The first and possibly one of the greatest challenges facing education in Nigeria is inadequate funding by the federal, state and local government. In the year 2017, Nigeria’s education sector was again allocated much lower than the 26 percent of national budget recommended by the United Nations.
4. **Poor Governance:** Poor governance and mismanagement have crippled most sectors in the country not leaving behind the education sector. Government’s attitude towards crucial problems of education, especially its quality, is lackadaisical.