IN THE HIGH COURT OF LAGOS STATE IN THE IKEJA JUDICIAL DIVISION HOLDEN AT COURT NO. 11, SPECIAL OFFENCES COURT I BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE M. A. DADA (MRS.) TODAY THURSDAY THE 11TH DAY OF JULY, 2019.

ŚUIT NO: 1D/9726C/19

BETWEEN:

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

COMPLAINANT

AND

SADIQ ADEOLA

DEFENDANT

JUDGMENT

The Defendant on an Amended Information dated 11/07/19 was arraigned on the I Count of Possession of Fraudulent Documents contrary to Section 320 of the Criminal Law of Lagos State, 2015 to which he pleaded Guilty. The Defendant is alleged to have on or about the 10/09/2017 had in his possession an email wherein he falsely represented himself as Jane Smith having an apartment to rent knowing same to be false.

The Defendant having therefore pleaded Guilty on the strength of a Plea Bargain Agreement dated 11/07/19 jointly executed by him and his Counsel with the Prosecution is hereby convicted as charged and sentenced to one year imprisonment from the day of his arrest.

The Defendant shall also forfeit to the Federal Government of Nigeria all items recovered from him in the course of the investigation and do an undertaken to the EFCC to be of good behaviour.

In view of the early option for a Plea Bargain Agreement however, the Defendant is granted an option of a fine of \$\frac{1}{2}\$50,000:00 in lieu of his prison term failing which he shall be remanded in prison custody.

This is the judgment of the Court

HON.JUSTICE M.A. DADA (MRS) JUDGE

(14/07/19)

Defendants Present.

N. M. Anana for the Prosecution

Fola Akinyemi for the Defendant.