

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE OF KADUNA STATE OF NIGERIA**  
**IN THE KADUNA JUDICIAL DIVISION**  
**HOLDEN AT KADUNA**

**BEFORE: THE HON. JUSTICE M.T.M. ALIYU ----- JUDGE**  
**SUIT NO:KDH/KAD/47/EFCC/2019**

**BETWEEN:**

**FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA .....COMPLAINANT**

**AND**

**MARTINS ANDA ABEKU .....DEFENDANT**

16 - 07 - 2019

Defendant in court, speak English.

S.H. Sa'ad for prosecution.

B.C. Iroagalachi for defendant.

SA'AD - The matter is for arraignment of the defendant. We have filed 2 count charge and the defendant approached us for Plea Bargain. The agreement is 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2019. Sequent to that, we filed an amended charge dated 15/07/2019. We apply that the amended charge be read to the defendant for his plea.

IROAGALACHI – That is the position. We have filed a plea Bargain after the defendant has show remorse.

COURT - Amended Charge, cheating by impersonation punishable under section 309 of the Penal Code 2017 read and explained to the defendant.

DEFENDANT - I understand the charge read and explained to me. I plead guilty.

SA'AD - We apply for him to be convicted.

IROAGALACHI - No objection. The defendant understood the implication of his plea and we have no objection to his being convicted.

### J U D G M E N T

The defendant is hereby convicted having pleaded guilty to the amended charge. He is hereby sentenced to five years prison terms or payment of ₦200,000=(Two Hundred Thousand Naira) fine. The convict shall forfeit all items recovered from him at the time of his arrest and shall disassociate himself from all criminal activities in the future as per his agreement in the Plea Bargain dated 12<sup>th</sup> July, and filed on 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2019.

Signed

HON. JUSTICE M.T.M. ALIYU-JUDGE

16/07/2019