

IN THE HIGH COURT OF LAGOS STATE
IN THE IKEJA JUDICIAL DIVISION
HOLDEN AT COURT NO. 11, SPECIAL OFFENCES COURT 1
BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE M. A. DADA (MRS.)
TODAY THURSDAY THE 4TH DAY OF JULY, 2019.

SUIT NO: ID/7702C/18

BETWEEN:

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

COMPLAINANT

AND

DIRISU PRINCE JUBRIL

DEFENDANT

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JUDGMENT

The Defendant was initially arraigned on the Information dated 11/06/18 on 1 Count of Destroying evidence contrary to Section 91 (1) of the Criminal Law of Lagos State, 2011 to which he pleaded Not Guilty on 2/11/18. The Prosecution commenced trial with one Afanda Emmanuel, an operative of the EFCC who gave evidence of the investigation conducted by his Team on the case based on the Intelligence Report received by the Commission leading to the arrest of the Defendant. He testified that the Defendant upon seeing the operatives, took his I-Pad and Phones and smashed them on the floor about 2 or 3 times and in the process destroyed them. The witness stated that the operatives gained access to the house, picked up the pieces of the damaged I-Pad and telephones of the Defendant.

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The Defence thereafter approached the Prosecution leading to the filing of a Plea Bargain Agreement dated 4th July, 2019 and a change of the Plea of the Defendant to that of Guilty.

The Defendant having therefore pleaded Guilty to the 1 Count Information dated 11/06/18 is hereby convicted as charged.

He is hereby sentenced to one year imprisonment from today as proposed in the said Plea Bargain Agreement. The Defendant shall also upon his release from custody undertake to the EFCC to be of good behaviour and never to be involved in any form of crime within or outside Nigeria.

The Defendant is however granted an option of a fine of N250,000:00 in lieu of his prison term.

This is the judgment of the Court.

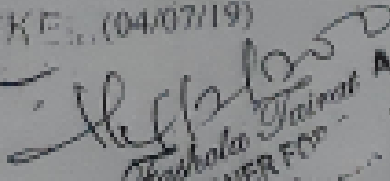

HON. JUSTICE M.A. DADA (MRS.)
JUDGE

DAVIES OLUKE, (04/07/19)
COMMISSIONER

Defendants Present,

F. Oluwa for the Prosecution

Taofeek Akindele for the Defendant.


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COMMISSIONER FCP
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