## IN THE FEDERAL HIGH COURT OF NIGERIA IN THE WARRI JUDICIAL DIVISION HOLDEN AT WARRI ON FRIDAY THE 11<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2019 BEFORE HIS LORDSHIP, HON. JUSTICE EMEKA NWITE JUDGE

CHARGE NO.: FHC/WR/64C/2019 BETWEEN: FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA .. .. COMPLAINANT AND AMADIN COLLINS .. .. .. DEFENDANT

## JUDGMENT

In view of the Plea of guilty entered against the defendant and the testimony of PW1 and Exhibit tendered, the defendant is hereby convicted as charged.

**ALLOCUTUS:** The defendant counsel urge the Court to take cognizance of plea bargain agreement signed by both parties on 20/9/2019 with particularly reference to Section 270(4) of ACJA. The first offender has shown remorse. He has terminal ill wife to take care of and aged mother. We urge the Court to exercise its discretion in favour of the defendant.

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CERTIFIED TRUE COPY NAME: OBIRE OF RANK STEFO SIGN: DATE: 2) 3/23 FEDERAL HIGH COURT WW RRI I have listened to the defendant counsel and have also gone through the plea bargain agreement entered into by both parties and have examined the provision of Section 270(4) of the Administration of Criminal Justice Act, 2015, I am minded to tamper justice with mercy.

Consequently, the defendant is sentenced:

- To Six months imprisonment commencing from the date of Judgment or an option of fine of N200,000.00 (Two million Naira) only.
- That the defendant shall forfeit to the Federal Government of Nigeria the following items:
  - i. Apple IPhone 7 with IMEI NO. 355373089265757;
  - ii. Mercedes Benz GLK (BLACK) with Chassis NO.

WDCGG8HBXB680837 Reg. NO. EKY 546 EV (LAGOS);

iii. ACURA SUV (Silver) with Chassis NO.

2HNYB168AH500281, Reg. NO. BDG 740 DX (LAGOS).

3. The forfeiture of the above assets shall not operate as a foreclosure against the commission from applying to the Court for forfeiture of any assets subsequently traced to

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CERTIFIED TRUE COPY NAME: DENPE: 0-9 RANK SIGN: DATE: 2-13-12-3 FEDERAL HIGH COURT WARRI the defendant as proceeds of crime with which he is charged.

4. The defendant shall undertake in writing to be of good behavior and law abiding.

Hon. Justice Emeka Nwite Judge 11/10/2019.

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Parties: Defendant present in Court.

## **Appearances:**

L.P. Aso with C.U. Udus for the prosecution. Pascal Ugbome for the defendant.

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