

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
EDO STATE OF NIGERIA
IN THE BENIN JUDICIAL DIVISION
HOLDEN AT BENIN CITY
BEFORE HIS LORDSHIP HONOURABLE JUSTICE EFE IKPONMWONBA – JUDGE
ON WEDNESDAY THE 13TH DAY OF JULY, 2022

BETWEEN:

SUIT NO. B/CD/EFCC/2/23:

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Complainant

Vs.

Ekoh Godswill

Defendant

JUDGMENT

The Defendant is charged in one count with fraudulent representation contrary to Section 484 of Criminal Code. The Defendant pleaded guilty to the charge.

The Court is informed that the Defendant applied for a plea deal and this resulted in a Plea Bargain Agreement being entered into and signed by all the parties.

I have taken into consideration the facts of the case as presented by Prosecution. I have also considered the fact that the Defendant by pleading guilty has saved the Court time it would have spent trying the charge.

In sentencing the Defendant, I have taken cognizance of the Plea Bargain Agreement which I have examined and find acceptable.

Accordingly, the Defendant is sentenced to a term three years or pay a fine of N200,000.00

The Defendant shall forfeit the following to the Federal Government of Nigeria through the EFCC;

1. Iphone 12 promax
2. Balance in Sterling bank Account No. 0062879724.

That said bank account is to be permanently closed.

The Defendant will enter a written undertaking to be of good conduct and his two passport photographs shall be attached to it.


EFE IKPONMWONBA
JUDGE