

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT 9 SITTING AT ACCRA ON TUESDAY 24TH NOVEMBER, 2015 BEFORE HER HONOUR AFI A. KUDOMOR (MRS), CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

TIME: 10:29am

CASE NO. D2/252/15

THE REPUBLIC

VRS

AYISHA BOKU ASUMDA

JOSHUA PALBA

ARIEL LAMPTEY

WUNI SALINKO

ANIAH RAZAK ISSIFU

JOSEPH SEIDU AWUNI

ALIFA ADAMS @ ABASS

Accused persons present

Complainant absent

Lily Aritega for the republic

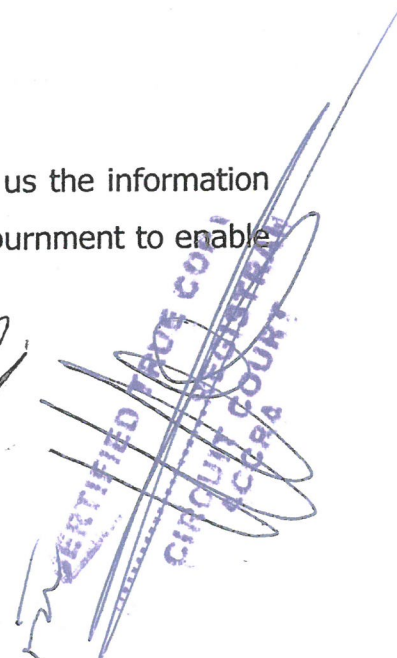
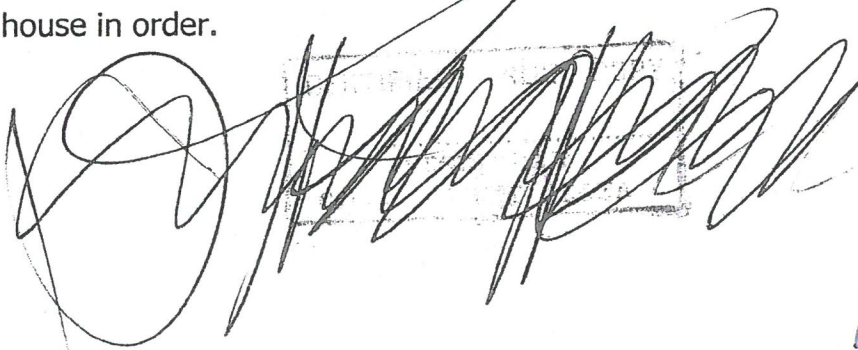
Lily Afua Lartey with Saviour Abraham holding brief of Victor Adawudu for A1 & A3

Divine Afigbetse for A7 and holding brief of Counsel for A4

Vida Acheampong for A1

Kutu Acheampong for A6

Representative of the Republic: The investigator has just given us the information we need to start proceeding of this matter. I pray for a month's adjournment to enable us put our house in order.



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Counsel for A2: On the last sitting, we prayed the court to discharge the accused because the prosecution is not ready. Anytime they are ready they can always bring us back. I leave the decision to the court.

By Court: The prosecution has been given several opportunities to start hearing in this matter but to no avail.

The court on 28/09/15 gave the prosecution the last opportunity to put their house in order and start hearing in this matter on the next adjourned date of 29/10/15 after the State Attorney prayed the court for about a month's adjournment to put their house in order.

On 29/10/15, the court was magnanimous enough to grant a further adjournment of a month to enable them put their house in order. Today it is the State Attorney's prayer for a month adjournment but the court is not minded to grant it because the liberties of the accused persons are at stake here.

The case is hereby struck out for want of prosecution. Accused persons are discharged. Accused persons can always be arranged before the court if prosecution is ready and minded to do so.

(SGD)

**H/H AFI A. KUDOMOR (MRS)
CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE**

