

IN THE HIGH COURT OF THE FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY
IN THE ABUJA JUDICIAL DIVISION
HOLDEN AT GUDU - ABUJA
ON TUESDAY THE 29TH DAY OF MARCH, 2022.
BEFORE HIS LORDSHIP; HON. JUSTICE MODUPE OSHO-ADEBIYI
SUIT NO. CR/590/2021

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA ----- COMPLAINANT
AND
AD BEATS LIMITED----- DEFENDANT

PROCEEDING/JUDGMENT

Parties: Defendant is present.

Appearances: Samuel Chime for the prosecution. Chibuike Chima for the Defendant.

Prosecution Counsel: we have a charge dated 12/1/2021 and filed on 15/11/2021 after the charge the Defendant counsel applied for a plea bargain which gave rise to amended charge dated 21/3/2022 and filed same day. We apply that charge be read to the Defendant.

Charge read to the Defendant in English Language to wit,

“That you, **AD BEATS LIMITED**, between 2017 and 2019, within the jurisdiction of this Honourable Court dishonestly converted to your own use the total sum of N6,498,000.00 (Six Million, Four Hundred and Eighty Eight Thousand Naira) being payment by Setraco Nigeria Ltd for Water Bill for F.C.T. Water Board, and thereby committed an offence contrary to Section 308 of the Penal Code Act Cap 32 LFN (Abuja) 2004 and punishable under Section 309 of the same Act.”

He understands same and pleads:

1st Count: Guilty.

Prosecution Counsel: Having pleaded guilty we wish to urge the court to convict the Defendant sequel to the Plea Bargain agreement.

Defendant: I read the Plea bargain carefully before signing and its agreeable to me.

JUDGMENT

You are hereby found guilty as charged. This court has read the plea bargain agreement entered into by both parties and it is agreeable to the court.

Sentencing: Defendant is hereby sentenced to pay a sum of N500,000.00 to the Federal Republic of Nigeria.

HON. JUSTICE M. OSHO-ADEBIYI

JUDGE

29TH March, 2022