

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE OF THE
CAPITAL TERRITORY ABUJA
IN THE ABUJA JUDICIAL DIVISION
HOLDEN AT MAITAMA - ABUJA**

BEFORE: HON. JUSTICE O. C. AGBAZA

COURT CLERKS: UKONU KALU & GODSPOWER EBAHOR

COURT NO: 6

CR/052/2022

BETWEEN:

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA.....COMPLAINANT

VS

EMMANUEL ILUOBE.....DEFENDANT

JUDGMENT

Prosecution Counsel submits that in view of the Plea of the Defendant, have entered into a Plea Bargain. And Agreement is before the court. The said Agreement has been signed by all the parties and urge the court to consider it in sentencing of the Defendant upon conviction.

Defendant Counsel confirms the position stated by the Prosecution Counsel and urge the court to consider the fact in sentencing upon conviction.

COURT

Consequent upon the guilty plea of the Defendant, the Prosecution Counsel confirming to court that a Plea Bargain Agreement has been entered by voluntary by the Defendant prays the court to consider the Terms of his Plea Bargain in sentencing the Defendant. Defendant in the circumstance alluding to the facts stated by the Prosecution Counsel.

This court shall in line with the Provision of the Law and based on the Plea of the Defendant, accordingly find the Defendant guilty as charged, and he is hereby convicted.

SENTENCING

Court: In line with the Provision of the Sentencing guidelines, the court shall engage both Prosecution Counsel and Defendant on some relevant questions.

Prosecution Counsel submits and urge the court to consider the Terms of Plea Bargain in Sentencing the Convict.

Defendant Counsel in a Plea of allocutus, pray, that in view of the Plea of the Defendant, saving the pressures time of court, saving resources of court, in the fact that the Defendant is a fresh graduate and cooperate with the Prosecuting Officer and also first son of his family and bread winner and has shown great remorse. And forfeit all the proceeds of the offence to the commission. In all urge the court to give the Defendant a second opportunity to live a good life.

SENTENCING

Having carefully considered the check list as guide for Sentencing under the Practice Direction, the Defendant understanding same and noting the Plea of Allocutus of the Defendant Counsel. The Defendant having considered to the Plea Bargain, I shall in line with all I have said, hereby Sentence the Defendant to the payment of the Sum of ₦300,000.00 (Three Hundred Thousand Naira) only; in line with Sentencing guidelines and the Terms of the Plea Bargain. I so Order.

HON. JUSTICE O. C. AGBAZA

Presiding Judge

6/4/2022

FATIMA M. MUSTAPHA WITH JOY AUDU FOR THE PROSECUTION

E.G. INALEGWU FOR THE DEFENDANT