

PUBLIC NOTICE

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IN THE FEDERAL HIGH COURT OF NIGERIA IN THE ABUJA JUDICIAL DIVISION HOLDEN AT ABUJA

SUIT NO. FHC/ABJ/CS/988/2023

BETWEEN:

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION BY THE ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL CRIMES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF PROPERTIES REASONABLY SUSPECTED TO BE PROCEEDS OF UNLAWFUL ACTIVITIES OF SOME PERSON(S) **UNKNOWN**

ENROLLED ORDER

UPON THIS Motion Exparte dated the 4th of July, 2023 but filed on the 20th day of July, 2023, coming before this Honourable Court on the 7th day of September, 2023 for hearing and praying for the following reliefs:-

OFFICIAL

FEDERAL HIGH COURT OF NIGERIA

1. AN ORDER of this Honourable Court granting a preservative order to preserve properties/money

reasonably suspected to be proceeds of

unlawful activity and/or abandoned or unclaimed properties as set out in the Schedules attached herein

2. AN ORDER of the Honourable Court directing the publication of a Notice in any National Newspaper and the EFCC website or by any other means of publication inviting all persons/bodies who may have interest in the properties or claim ownership of the properties to show cause why the properties should not be forfeited to the Federal Government of Nigeria.

3. AND FOR SUCH FURTHER OR OTHER ORDERS as this Honourable Court may deem fit to make in the circumstances of

4. PROPERTIES/MONIES REASONABLY SUSPECTED TO BE PROCEEDS OF UNLAWFUL ACTIVITIES OF SOME PERSON UNKNOWN

1 UNIT BLACK LEXUS IS350 2014 MODEL WITH REGISTRATION NO ABC 954 SW
WITH REGISTRATION NO ABC 954 SW
2 UNITS OF BLUE IPHONE 13
1 UNIT OF BLACK IPHONE 7
1 UNIT OF ASH MACBOOK PRO
THE SUM OF N2,699.233 USDT IN FORM OF
TETHER COIN (USDT TRC-20

READING the nineteen paragraphed Affidavit in support of the Motion Exparte deposed to by Umar Ali Dawa,

Adult, Male, Muslim and Nigerian-Citizen of

No. 301/302 Institution and Research Cadastral District Jabi-Airport Road and filed at the Registry of this Court.

AFTER HEARING S. O. Obila Esq. Counsel for the Applicant arguing the application and urging the Court to grant the prayers sought.

AND THE COURT having delivered its Bench Ruling in the open Court, its reasoning and conclusion are as contained in the body of the Bench Ruling.



IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That an Interim Order is made to preserve properties/Money reasonably suspected to be proceeds of unlawful activity and/or abandoned

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or unclaimed properties as set out in schedule attached to the application.

HON JUSTICE OBIORA ATUEGWU EGWUATU PRESIDING JUDGE 2. That an Order is made directing the publication of this Order or of a Notice in either the Punch Newspaper or Thisday Newspaper and the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission (EFCC) Website inviting all person/bodies who may have interest in the properties or claim ownership of the properties to show cause within fourteen (14)days of the said Publication/Notice why the properties should not be forfeited to the Federal Government of Nigeria.



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within fourteen (14) days from today the 7th day of September, 2023.

I JUSTICE OBIORA ATUEOWU EGWUATU PRESIDING JUDGE Accordingly, this matter is adjourned to the 25th day of September, 2023 for report of publication.

ISSUED AT ABUJA under the seal of the Court and the hand of the presiding Judge this 7th day of September, 2023.

MICHAEL AKPIRI REGISTRAR

