



THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA  
 IN THE CHIEF MAGISTRATE'S COURT OF NWOYA AT AMURU  
 CRIMINAL CASE NO. CO. 102 OF 2018  
 CRB. 1004 OF 2017

UGANDA.....PROSECUTOR

-VERSUS-

A1 KIBIRIGE JINGO

A2 MPAGI EDWARD

A3 KAAYA RONALD

A4 KIWU RONALD.....ACCUSED(s)

COURT PROCEEDINGS

15. 12. 2017

Accused in Court

Akoko State

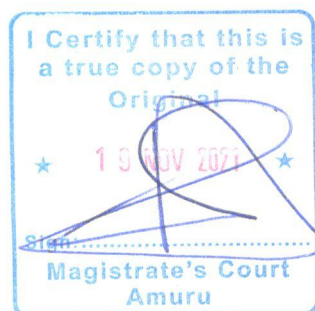
Jennifer Clerk

**State:** For plea. We don't have a translator. We seek for another date.

**Court:** Accused remanded to 04. 01. 2018 for plea.

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 Magistrate Grade 1

15. 12. 2017



**05. 01. 2018**

All accused absent

Akoko for State

Atube Clerk

**State:** We pray for Production Warrant for accused for plea.

**Court:** Adjourned to 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2018 for plea. Production Warrant issued for all the accused.

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**Magistrate Grade 1**  
**05. 01. 2018**

**23. 02. 2018**

Accused in Court

Akoko for State

Jenifer Clerk

No. 13055 WDR. Okiranyang/Interpreter

**State:** Matter for plea. Mr. Okiranyang will translate in Luganda.

**Court:** Charges read in Luganda for plea.

**Accused:**

Count 1: A1 – True

A2 – True

A3 – True

A4 – True

Count 2: A1 - True

A2 – True



A3 – True

A4 – true

Count 3: A1 – true

A2 – true

A3- true

A4- true

**Court:** Plea of guilty entered

**State:** On the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2017 the 04 accused entered the Wildlife protected area of Gonyaogo within Murchison falls. They were arrested by Wildlife Rangers and found with 4 Power Saws, a Panga, 8 pieces of Mahogany timber, a protected species in the Park. The items were exhibited, photos taken. We pray to tender the said photos in Court.

**Court:** Are these facts correct?

**Accused: A1 – True**

**A2:** Correct

**A3:** True

**A4:** Correct

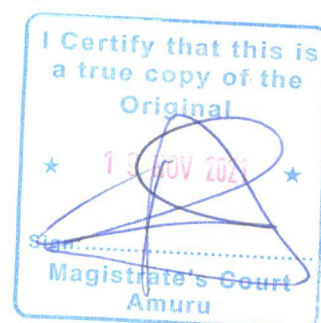
**Court:** You are convicted on all the counts as charged.

**State:** No records of previous conviction. We take them as the first time offenders. We pray for a caution on Count One, 2 months on Count Two and forfeiture of the Power Saws and timber Under Section 78 of the Uganda Wildlife authority act and 2 months on Count Three.

**Convicts:**

**A1 –** I have nothing to tell Court.

**A2:** I pray for forgiveness. I will not go back. I was just taken there.



**A3:** I pray for forgiveness. Our boss brought us saying he bought land and wants us to clear. Because of my responsibilities, I decided to come.

**Court:** You are hereby sentenced as follows;

Count 1: Cautioned

Count 2: Cautioned

Count 3: Cautioned

The 04 Power Saws and the timbers are hereby forfeited to Government of Uganda.

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**Magistrate Grade 1**  
**23. 02. 2018**

