



THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA  
IN THE CHIEF MAGISTRATE'S COURT OF NWOYA AT AMURU  
CRIMINAL CASE NO. CO. 294 OF 2017  
CRB. 33 OF 2017

UGANDA.....PROSECUTOR

-VERSUS-

AWEKONIMUNGU SAMUEL.....ACCUSED

COURT PROCEEDINGS

**12. 04. 2017**

Accused in Court

Bayo for State

Jennifer Clerk

Okeny Charles for UWA in Court.

**State:** For plea.

**Court:** Read in Luo for plea.

**Accused:**

Count 1 – True

Count 2 – True

Count 3 – True

**Court:** Plea of guilty on all Counts.



**State:** On the 07<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017, the Game Rangers were on the routine patrol within Murchison Park. They found accused within the Park. He was arrested upon search, he was found with Spears, Knives and assorted meat of Buffalos. He was arrested and forwarded to Kabim Rangers Outpost where the Three Counts were preferred against him. The exhibits were exhibited.

**Accused:** The Brief Facts are correct.

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

**State:** No record of previous convictions. His action was unlawful. From the meat recovered from, it appears he had killed four Buffalos. This is a destruction of economy. We pray for a deterrent sentence.

**Court:** Mitigation

**Convict:** When we entered the Park, we were chased by the Elephant. I entered a pit and dislocated my right leg. I have 2 sets of twins.

**Court:** Accused remanded to 20. 04. 2017 for sentence

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**Magistrate Grade 1**  
**12. 04. 2017**

**25. 05. 2017**

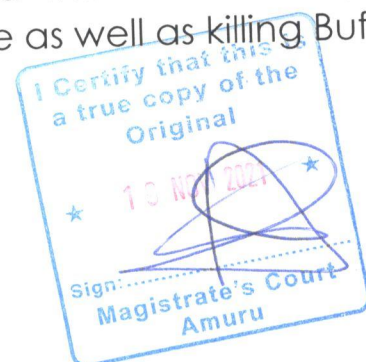
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Jennifer Clerk

**State:** For sentencing. We are ready for the same.

**Court:** The convict pleaded guilty to three counts of unlawfully entering into the Wildlife protected area with devices capable of wounding, trapping and killing the Wildlife as well as killing Buffalos.



According to State, he is a first time offender. He is also a young man. But his conduct is a threat to national economy. Having considered all the above, I sentence you as follows;

**Count 1:** 03 months' imprisonment or a fine of Ugx. 500,000/= (Five Hundred Uganda Shillings only)

**Count 2:** 06 months' imprisonment or a fine of Ugx. 800,000/= (Eight Hundred Uganda Shillings only)

**Count 3:** 12 months' imprisonment or a fine of Ugx. 2.000,000/= (Two Million Uganda Shillings only)

The prison terms shall be served concurrently.

Rights of Appeal explained.

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**Magistrate Grade 1**  
**25. 05. 2017**

