

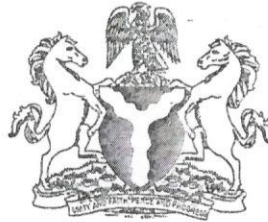
ANNEX A – C

COPIES OF LETTER WRITTEN TO THE
COMPTROLLER –GENERAL OF PRISONS

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REF: No.....
Governor's Office,
Musa Usman Secretariat,
Maiduguri, Borno State
29TH March, 2019
Date

The Comptroller General,
Nigeria Prison Service,
Headquarters,
Abuja.

NOTICE OF CONSTITUTION OF AN INVESTIGATIVE PANEL BY THE BORNO STATE GOVERNMENT INTO THE REPROT OF ALLEGED INCIDENCES OF CHILD PROSTITUTION, SODOMY AND FORCE ABORTION AT THE MAIDUGURI MAXIMUM SECURITY PRISION

Sequel to a disturbing report by the Sahara Reporters on 23rd March, 2019 on alleged incidences of child prostitution, sodomy and forced abortion at the Maiduguri Maximum Prison, the Executive Governor of Borno State has Constituted a 9-man Investigative Panel with the Honourable Attorney-General and Commissioner for Justice of the State as the Chairman, representatives of NBA, FIDA, Police, Prison, DSS, NHRC and NATIPP with the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development as Secretary.

2. The Investigative Panel is requesting your kind permission to direct that the Panel be granted access to the Maximum Security Prison facilities on Tuesday 2nd April, 2019 to enable the Panel carryout its duties so that the truth will be availed.

3. Kindly find attached the terms of reference of the Panel.

4. Please be assured of the Panel's highest regards.


DR. HAUWA MAIMUSA
SECRETARY

Copy to:-
The Comptroller, Nigeria Prison Service,
Borno State.
Maiduguri.

Above for your information and necessary action, please.


DR. HAUWA MAIMUSA
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NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION



Ref No: NHRC/BSO/MDR/007

29th March 2019

The Comptroller General

Nigerian Prison Service

Abuja,

ALLEGED INCIDENCE OF CHLD PROSTITUTION, SODOMY AND FORCED ABORTION IN THE MAIDUGURI MAXIMUM SECURITY PRISON

The Commission and Borno State Government received with shock an allegation raised by an online media Sahara reporters on 22nd March 2019, On the above subject matter.

The Borno State Government setup and inaugurated investigative panel on 25th march 2019 to investigate the allegations raised with seven terms of reference.

In view of the above the National Human Rights Commission Act of 1995 as amended to deal with all matters related to Promotion and Protection of Human rights violations in Nigeria and especially section 5 and 6 of the Act empowers the Commission to visit prison and detention center .

Below are the list of the panel members established by his Excellency to investigate the allegations raised.

The committee comprises of the above members:

The Attorney General and Commissioner of Justice

Nigeria Bar Association

National Human Rights Commission

Nigeria Police Force

International Federation of Women Lawyers (FIDA)

National Agency for Prohibition of Trafficking In Person

Department of State Services (DSS)

Permanent Secretary Ministry of Women Affairs

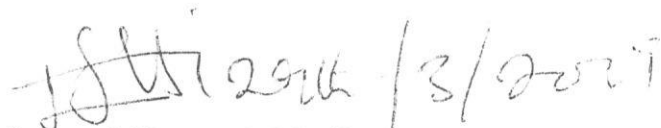
Nigeria Prison Service

Pursuant to the above, the panel has scheduled to carry out it's investigation in Maiduguri Maximum Protection Prison on Tuesday, 2nd April 2019.

Attached herewith are:

Terms of reference, National Human Rights Commission Act and Appointment letter, for your ease of reference.

While anticipating your prompt response, accept the Commission's highest esteem and warm regards.


Jummai Usman Mshelia

State Coordinator

CC:

State Comptroller

Borno State Command

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REF: No.....
Governor's Office,
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4TH April, 2019
Date

The Comptroller General,
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Headquarters,
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RE: NOTICE OF CONSTITUTION OF AN INVESTIGATIVE PANEL BY THE BORNO STATE GOVERNMENT INTO THE REPORT OF ALLEGED INCIDENCES OF CHILD PROSTITUTION, SODOMY AND FORCE ABORTION AT THE MAIDUGURI MAXIMUM SECURITY PRISON.

Please refer to our letter with reference No. GO/S/FED/14/T.4 dated 29th March, 2019 concerning the above subject matter.

2. I am hereby directed to write and send a remainder to you on the above issue and request you to kindly expedite action on the request as the period of assignment of the Panel is about to wind up. For ease of reference, please find attached our letter earlier sent to you.


DR. HAUWA MAIMUSA
SECRETARY

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ANNEX D

MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE INVESTIGATIVE PANEL

MINUTES OF INAUGURAL MEETING OF THE INVESTIGATIVE PANEL ON THE REPORT OF ALLEED INCIDENCES OF CHILD PROSTITUTION, SODOMY AND FORCED ABORTION AT THE MAIDUGURI MAXIMUM SECURITY PRISON HELD ON MONDAY 25TH MARCH, 2019 AT THE NBA CENTRE, MAIDUGURI.

1.00 **PRESENT:**


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| 1.01 | Barr. Kaka Shehu Lawan,
Attorney-General/Hon. Commissioner
for Justice. | - | Chairman |
| 1.02 | DCP Yomi Oladimeji,
Nigeria Police Force | - | Member |
| 1.03 | Mallam Nafiu Tukur Bello
DSS Borno State | - | Member |
| 1.04 | Barr. (Mrs) Jummai Usman Mshelia,
NHRCBorno State | - | Member |
| 1.05 | Barr. Muhamddd Umaru,
Chairman, Borno State | - | Member |
| 1.06 | Mallam Abubakar Abdullahi Tabra
NAPTIP Borno State | - | Member |
| 1.07 | Barr. Amina Mustapha Ibrahim,
FIDA Borno State | - | Member |
| 1.08 | DCP Ahmed Bojube
Rep. Nigeria Prison Service | - | Member |
| 1.09 | Dr. Hauwa Maimusa,
Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Women Affairs and
Social Development. | - | Member/Secretary |

IN-ATTENDANCE

- 1.10 Hajja Adama B. Umar - Asst. Secretary
1.11 Alh. Muhammed Hamza - " "

2.00 DELIBERATION AND RESOLUTIONS

- 2.1 The meeting commenced immediately after the inauguration of the Investigative Panel by His Excellency Hon. Kashim Shetitma at the Government House Auditorium at about 11:30 am
- 2.2 The Chairman of the Investigative Panel Barr. Kaka Shehu Lawan, who is also the State Attorney General and Commissioner for Justice, welcomed all members and thanked them for promptly availing themselves for this very important assignment.
- 2.3 He reiterated the fact that the allegation is of utmost concern to the Government and people of Borno State; therefore they should treat the assignment with all the seriousness it deserves so as to get to the root of the matter.
- 2.4 The modus operandi to be adopted by the Panel were discussed which included among others visits to the Maiduguri Maximum Security Prison.
- 2.5 The meeting was adjourned with prayers at about 12:30pm as members agreed to reconvene on Tuesday 26th March, 2019 at the NBA Centre at 9:00am.


BARR. KAKA SHEHU LAWAN
HON. ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND
COMMISSIONER FOR JUSTICE
CHAIRMAN

DR. HAUWA MAIMUSA
PERMAMENT SECRETARY
MIN. OF WOMEN AFFAIRS
AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT
SECRETARY