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WRIT OF SUMMONS

(Order 2 rule 3(1))

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SUIT NO

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF JUDICATURE
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

- NII OKPE V 3000034818
 DZAASETSE OF NGLESHI ALATA
 TRADITIONAL AREA, NGLESHIE ALATA PALACE JAMESTOWN
- 2. NII ARMAAH KWAFIO II
 ACTING PRESIDENT OF THE NGLESHIE
 ALATA TRADITIONAL COUNCIL AND CHIEF
 OF ARMAAMAN
 HOUSE NO.AM54 NGLESHIE AMAFRO

PLAINTIFFS

VRS.

 ODAIFIO WELENTSI III , NUNGUA MANTSE NUNGUA PALACE-ACCRA

 THE GREATER ACCRA REGIONAL HOUSE OF CHIEFS DODOWA-ACCRA DEFENDANTS

 THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION ACCRA

AN ACTION having been commenced against you by the issue of this writ by the above-named Plaintiff. NII OKPE V AND NII ARMAAH KWAFIO II

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED that within EIGHT DAYS after service of this writ on you inclusive of the day of service you do cause an appearance to be entered for you.

1.ODAIFIO WELENTSI III 2. THE GREATER ACCRA REGIONAL HOUSE OF CHIEFS 3. THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION

AND TAKE NOTICE that in default of your so doing, judgment may be given in your absence without further notice to you

Dated this day

Sept

20.14

Chief Justice of Ghana

G. SACKEY TORKORNOO (MRS).

NB: This writ is to be served within twelve calendar months from the date of issue unless, it is renewed within six calendar months from the date of that renewal.

The defendant may appear hereto by filing a notice of appearance either personally or by a lawyer at Form 5 at the Registry of the Court of issue of the writ of A defendant appearing personally may, if he desire give notice of appearance by post.

*State name, place of residence or dusiness address of plaintiff if known (not P.O. Box number).

*State name, place of residence or business address of defendant (not P.O. Box number).

FORM 1

STATEMENT OF CLAIM

WHEREFORE the Plaintiff claims against the Defendants jointly and severally as follows:

- a. An order disqualifying the 1st Defendant from participating in the forthcoming elections to be held by the 2nd Defendant.
- **b.** An order restraining the Defendants from making any acclamation declaring the 1st Defendant as the President of the Greater Accra Regional House of chiefs.
- c. Costs including legal fees.

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SOLICITORS FOR PLAINTIFFS LICENCE NO. eGAR 06378/24

This writ was issued ERIC NII MARTEY COMMODORE, (ESQ) .

by whose address for service is

ADUAPROKYE CHAMBERS, ACCRA

PLAINTIFFS

Address Number and date of lawyer's current licence:

Licence No. eGAR 06378/24

Lawyer for the Plaintiff:

who resides at ACCRA

Indorsement to be made within 3 days after service

This writ was served by me at on

the defendant

on the day of

endorsed the day of

Signed.....

Address.....

NOTE: If the plaintiff's claim is for a liquidated demand only, further proceedings will be stayed if within the time limited for appearance the defendant pays the amount claimed to the plaintiff, his lawyer or his agent or into court as provided for in Order 2 rule 3(2)

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THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE ACCRA-A.D.2023

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BETWEEN

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VRS.

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- THE GREATER ACCRA REGIONAL HOUSE OF CHIEFS DODOWA-ACCRA

DEFENDANTS

THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION
 ACCRA
(Plaintiffs will direct service)

STATEMENT OF CLAIM

 The 1st Plaintiff is the Dzaasetse of the Ngleshie Alata Traditional Area and a member of the Okpe Family of Ajumanko Dawuranpong ruling House.

The 2nd Plaintiff is the Chief of Armaahman under the James
 Town Ngleshie Alata Stool of Accra and the Acting President
 and a member of the Ngleshie Alata Traditional Council.

Plaintiffs aver that on the 10th day of September 2024, the 1st
Defendant wrote a letter to the 2nd Plaintiff inviting him for a
meeting at the Nungua Traditional Council.

- 4. The Plaintiffs aver that on the 13th Day of September 2024, the 2nd Plaintiff and two others namely; Nii Okudzeman IV and Nii Ayi Okufoubour I heeded the call of the 1st defendant and visited him at his palace.
- 5. Plaintiffs aver that at the Palace the 1st Defendant attempted to bribe the 2nd Plaintiff to sign the Chieftaincy Declaration form of one Oblempong Wetse Kojo II so he becomes the Paramount Chief of Ngleshie Alata Traditional Area when the 1st Defendant knew the said Oblempong Wetse Kojo II was not the rightful person.
- 6. Plaintiffs aver that the 1st Defendant who is the chairman of the research committee of the 2nd Defendant institution (Greater Accra Regional House of Chiefs) has been using his position to gazette wrongful persons as Chiefs and creating mayhem in some of the various Traditional Councils within Accra.
- 7. The 1st Defendant who has a shrewd skill with how the Chieftaincy declaration forms are facilitated and transmitted from the Traditional Council to the National House of Chiefs maliciously together with two others endorsed and transmitted purported Chieftaincy declaration form of one Oblempong Wetse Kojo II to the National House of Chiefs.
- Plaintiffs aver that the 1st Defendant has formed a cartel in the 2nd Defendant institution and they are using their malicious actions to foment problems within the various Traditional Councils in the Greater Accra Region.
- Plaintiffs aver that the Defendants are organizing elections to elect various officers into various positions in the 2nd Defendant institution.
- Plaintiffs avers that the 3rd Defendant as an institution mandated to conduct public elections in Ghana will be at the house to supervise the said elections.
- 11. Plaintiffs aver that the 1st Defendant has demonstrated traits which do not make him someone who has a proven character to hold the High Position of the President of the Greater Accra Regional House of Chiefs.
- 12. Plaintiffs aver that even in the absence of elections, the 1st Defendant is not fit to hold such an office since his traits will lead the region into more chieftaincy conflicts.
- 13. Plaintiffs aver that the actions of the Defendants if allowed will

- plunge the whole Greater Accra Region into serious chieftaincy disputes and confusion.
- 14. WHEREFORE Plaintiffs bring this action seeking against the Defendants, the following reliefs:
 - a) An order disqualifying the 1st Defendant from participating in the forthcoming elections to be held by the 2nd Defendant.
 - b) An order restraining the Defendants from making any acclamation declaring the 1st Defendant as the President of the Greater Accra Regional House of chiefs.
 - c) Costs including legal fees.

DATED AT ACCRA, THIS 20TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2024.

SOLICITORS FOR PLAINTIFFS LICENCE NO. eGAR 06378/24

THE REGISTRAR HIGH COURT ACCRA ERIC NII MARTEY COMMODORE ESQ. Solicitor and Barrister Of The Supreme Court Of Ghana Aduaprokye Chambers Tels +233542694496 / +233272296924 Email: Commodoreericm@gmail.com

AND TO BE SERVED ON THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS