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Date: 28th July, 2018

The Inspector General of Police, Force Headquarters, Abuja,

Dear Sir.



RE: KIDNAP OF MR. ONYEMAZU NGINI BY MR. ANTHONY QNYEAGQLU, EMEKA MADUKA AND OTHERS: SMOKING OF AND DEALING IN INDIAN HEMP BY MR. ANTHONY QNYEAGQLU AND GRAVE THREAT TO KIDNAP MR. ONYEMAZU NGINI AND KILL HIM BY INSTALLMENT: CALL FOR URGENT POLICE ACTION.

We act as solicitors to MR. ONYEMAZU NGINI (for himself and on behalf of the Executive of Isu-Anaocha Town Youth Body), Isu-Anaocha, Anambra State, hereafter called "Our Client" and our services retained by him.

It is our client's instruction that

- He is the Chairman of Isu-Anaocha Town Youths Body constituted by Isu-Anaocha Development Union.
- 2. Our client was elected by the Isu-Anaocha Development Union as Chairman of Isu-Anaocha Youth Body together with other members of his Executive in 2016. Other members elected are Mr. Angus Okoye Deputy Chairman, Mr. Frank Mkpume Secretary, Mr. Onyeka Okafor Financial Secretary, Mr. Ifeanyi Nwankwo (deceased) Treasurer and Mr. Chinedu Okeke Provost. The tenure of the Executive of the Youth Body is for four years which has not expired
- 3. In 2017, the present Executive of the Isu-Anaocha Development Union was unconstitutionally elected by a splinter group of the Union led by Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu who was elected as President General of the Union alongside with others. Their election was unconstitutional.

- 4. Surprisingly, in may, 2018 Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu called our client and told him that he wanted to re-structure the Youth Executive but our client informed him that he has no right to re-structure the Youth Body Executive because the Youth Executive was elected by the General Assembly as he, the President General and his Executive were elected.
- 5. Further surprisingly, in June, 2018, Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu (the purported President General of Isu-Anaocha Development Union) invited the Youth Body Executive and directed then to organize the Youth wing to go and demolish wall fence set up by Amakpu family around part of expanse of land the family is alleging is not part of land of Community Secondary School Isu-Anaocha but the Youth Executive told him that the Youth will not take laws into their hands by going to demolish fence but rather the town Union should write to relevant Government Department in charge of schools whose duty it is to take steps against the said family.
- Then Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu engaged Mr. Emeka Maduka, Mr. Nwabueze Ofulume, Mr. Chidi Okafor, Mr. Obinna Nwadiogbu and several others to go and demolish the fence which they did.
- 7. Thereafter, the President General (Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu) called our client on phone and told him he has dissolved his Youth Executive and has constituted another Youth Executive and that the Chairman of the Youth Executive is Mr. Emeka Maduka (his brother) and that our client and other members of his Youth Executive should stop operating as such.
- 8. Our Client told him that he has no right to dissolve the Youth Executive and that he is trying to cause unnecessary trouble.
- 9. Our client and his Executive continued to do their work accordingly
- 10. Unfortunately and surprisingly, in the morning of 13th July, 2018 Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu went with Mr. Emeka Maduka, Mr. Nwabueze Ofulume, Mr. Chidi Okafor, Mr. Obinna Nwadiogbu and some others including unknown faces not natives of Isu-Anaocha who later introduced themselves as deadly kidnappers from Aguleri and kidnapped our client and took him to the house of Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu at Otoko village, Isu-Anaocha.
- 11. In his house, they tied his legs and hands and Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu directed him to sign a document they have already prepared to the effect that our client and other members of the Executive of the Youth Body of which our client is chairman have resigned their positions and that they will work under the new executive constituted by the President General.

- 12. After reading the contents of the document by Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu to our client, they asked our client to sign but our client refused to sign.
- 13. Thereupon, they put our client into the Highlander Jeep of Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu and flanked him with the Unknown faces who introduced themselves as coming from Aguleri. The two unknown faces from Aguleri were with short guns.
- 14. Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu directed them to take our client to their camp in Aguleri axis and deal with our client as usual.
- 15. As they were about to pass through the gate of Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu who was driving behind the Highlander Jeep in his blue Lexus Jeep, more than Thirty Youths stormed the premises of Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu and rescued our client and took him away.
- 16. Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu has since then been using the kidnappers from Aguleri to trail the members of executive of the Youth Body including our client.
- 17. Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu and the boys he is using smoke Indian hemp like cigarette and always carry Indian hemp in his motor. He uses Mr. Emeka Maduka, Mr. Nwabueze Ofulume, and others to intimidate the natives and recently the unknown faces (kidnappers) he has introduced from Aguleri.
- 18. Our client and other members of his executive of the youth body have abandoned their homes for fear of the kidnappers.
- 19. Worse still, Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu has threatened and is threatening that any of the members of the Youth Executive that the men from Aguleri catches will be killed by installment.
- 20. To our client's greatest surprise the reports he made at Achalla Police Station, Awka North Local Government Area, Anambra State and the one at SARS, Anambra State Command against Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu and his kidnap conspirators were not investigated up till now. The boasts of Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu that our client's reports will never be investigated by any security agency in Anambra State and even at zonal Police level have eloquently played out.
- 21. Conversely, Mr. Anthony Onyeagolu and his conspirators have been using Police from Achalla Police Station and from office of the Commissioner of Police Anambra State, (Particularly from APPCAP, which reports directly to Commissioner of Police, Anambra State) to harass, intimidate, arrest and detain our client's Executive members wantonly in other to make them submit to their whims and caprices of the said Anthony Onyeagolu and his conspirators, hence this petition to your good offices.

In the light of the above, we hereby respectfully urge you to use your good offices in causing high-powered and comprehensive investigation to be conducted into the facts hereinabove enumerated and the kidnappers, Indian hemp addicts, and other culprits be brought to book before they overrun the entire Isu- Anaocha Community.

A stitch in time, it is said saves nine.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,

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Our client