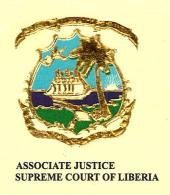




IN THE HONORABLE SUPREME COURT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA MARCH TERM, A.D. 2015

BEFORE HIS HONOR FRANCIS S. KORKPOR, SR	CHIEF JUSTICE
BEFORE HIS HONOR KABINEH M. JA'NEH	ASSOCIATE ILISTICE
BEFORE HER HONOR JAMESETTA H. WOLOKOLIE	ASSOCIATE HISTICE
BEFORE HIS HONOR PHILIP A. Z. BANKS, III	ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
BEFORE HER HONOR SIE-A-NYENE G. YUOH	ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
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National Elections Commission of the Republic of Liberia, by and	
Through its Acting Chairperson, Cllr. Sarah M. Jegede-Toe	
,INFORMANT	BILL OF INFORMATION
AND	
Jim Womba Tornonlah of the People's Unification Party, of Margibi	
County, Republic of Liberia	
VERSUS	
National Patriotic Party (NPP), represented by its National Secretary,	
Andrew Peters of the City of Monrovia, County of Montserrado,	
LiberiaRESPONDENT	
GROWING OUT OF THE CASE:	
National Patriotic Party, represented, by its National Secretary,	
Andrew Peters of the City of Monrovia, County of Montserrado,	PETITION FOR THE WRIT
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Republic of Liberia,PETITIONER	OF PROHIBITION
Versus	
The National Elections Commission, represented by its Chairman,	
Cllr. Jerome G. Korkoya, and the Board of Commissioners of the	
Commission and all other relevant authority of Said Commission,	
Of 9 th Street, Sinkor, Monrovia, Republic of	
Liberia	
AND	
Jim Womba Tornonlah of the People's Unification Party (PUP), also	
Of Margibi County, Republic of Liberia2 nd RESPONDENT	
GROWING OUT OF THE CASE	
National Patriotic Party, represented by its National Secretary,	
Andrew Peters of the City of Monrovia, County of Montserrado,	
Republic of LiberiaPlaintiff	





VERSUS

The National Elections Commission, represented by its Chairman, Counsellor Jerome G. Korkoya and the Board of Commissioners of The National Elections Commission and all other relevant authority Of said Commission, of 9th Street, Monrovia, Republic of Liberia

ELECTORAL IRREGULARITIES

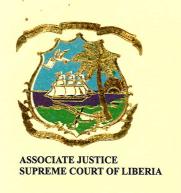
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Jim Womba Tornonlah of the People's Unification Party (PUP), Also of Margibi County, Republic of Liberia......2nd RESPONDENT

JUDGMENT

When this case was called for hearing, Counselor Joseph N. Blidi, In-House Counsel, appeared for the National Elections Commission (NEC), Informant. Counsellor Albert S. Sims appeared for Co-Informant, Jim Womba Tornonlah. Counsellors Saymah Syrenius Cephus and James N. Kumeh appeared for Respondent, National Patriotic Party (NPP). Counsellor Yamie Quiqui Gbeisay appeared for the Congress for Democratic Change (CDC) and Prof. Ansu D. Sonii.

Having reviewed the certified records and the submissions made by the parties, it is hereby





ADJUDGED:

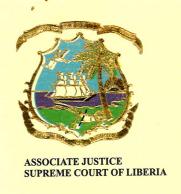
That the Bill of Information be and same is hereby granted. Accordingly, the stay order placed on the certification of Co-Informant Jim Womba Tornonlah of the People's Unification Party (PUP) as the winner of the Special Senatorial Election for Margibi County is hereby ordered lifted and the Board of Commissioners of the National Elections Commission (NEC) ordered to forthwith certificate said Jim Womba Tornonlah as Senator for Margibi County.

That by this decision, Co-informant Jim Womba Tornonlah is entitled to all benefits and emoluments retroactively as if seated on January 12, A.D. 2015.

The Clerk of this Court is hereby ordered to send a mandate to the National Elections Commission (NEC) to give effect to this Judgment.

That this Court having considered the grave consequences of the conduct of Counsellors Saymah Syrenius Cephus and James N. Kumeh, which the Court has determined to be contemptuous, we do hereby suspend Counsellors Saymah Syrenius Cephus and James N. Kumeh from the practice of law directly and indirectly within the bailiwick of the Republic of Liberia for three months and one month respectively.

The Clerk is also ordered to send communication to all court's within the bailiwick of Liberia informing them of this Court's decision suspending Counsellors Saymah Syrenius Cephus for three (3) months and James N. Kumeh for one (1) month effective immediately. **AND IT IS HEREBY SO ORDERED.**





GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS AND THE SEAL OF THE SUPREME COURT OF LIBERIA, THIS 7TH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2015.

KABINEH M. JA'NEH

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF LIBERIA

JAMESETTA H. WOLOKOLIE

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF LIBERIA

SIE-A-NYENE G. YUOH

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF LIBERIA

Note: Mr. Chief Justice Francis S. Korkpor, Sr., was out of the country when this case was heard; hence, he did not sign this judgment.

Associate Justice Philip A. Z. Banks, III, was out of the country when this case was heard; hence, he did not sign this judgment.