

Peter Bon Jallah, Guilty Of Statutory Rape And Kidnapping



The Judge of Criminal Court "E" at the Temple of Justice, Judge Wesseh A. Wesseh, has found former National Security Agency (NSA) staff member Peter Bon Jallah Guilty of Statutory rape and Kidnapping of a 16-year-old boy in Central Monrovia.

On Friday, October 23, 2026, the Assigned Judge of Criminal Court "E" ruled against 63-year-old Peter Bon Jallah, a former NSA employee, after a four-month trial.

Judge Wesseh believes that the prosecution's evidence shows sufficient and reasonable grounds to warrant the conviction of Peter Bon Jallah for the crimes of kidnapping and Statutory rape.

"Having adjudged defendant Jallah guilty on two counts of kidnapping and statutory rape, he is ordered remanded to the Monrovia Central Prison, pending the outcome of a pre-sentencing report by the Ministry of Justice," stated Judge Wesseh.

It can be recalled that in June 2026, the Court arraigned defendant Jallah, and he pleaded not guilty to the charges, thereby joining issue with the state. The defendant opted for a bench trial.

During the trial, the prosecution paraded 13 regular witnesses, including the victim, his mother, police officers, and medical doctors. The state also produced six rebuttal witnesses.

State witnesses testified throughout the trial that defendant Peter lived in the Airfield, Shark Community area and that, in the year 2025, he lured the boy into his house and sexually abused him on many occasions.

According to the witnesses, the defendant, still not satisfied with his barbaric act, along with two other men, again lured the boy into an apartment on Camp Johnson Road and kept him in the house for three days while sexually abusing him.

The witnesses stated that after the defendants completed their sexual act against the child, they placed him in defendant Jallah's vehicle and eventually dropped the victim's helpless body on the Street in Sinkor.

The defendant brought six regular witnesses and three subpoenaed witnesses from the Ministry of Gender, Social Protection, J. F. K. Medical Center, and Orange GSM company to prove his innocence.