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#### To:

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The Managing Director
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# PETITION AGAINST PWAN GROUP (BEACH HAVEN ESTATE, IBEJU LEKKI, LAGOS STATE) FOR FRAUD, CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST, UNLAWFUL RETENTION OF FUNDS, AND CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD – \$1,500,000

We act for the Petitioner and lodge this formal complaint against **PWAN Group** and its officers for obtaining money by false pretence, fraudulent misrepresentation, criminal breach of trust, and unlawful conversion of the sum of \*\*1,500,000 (One Million Five Hundred Thousand Naira) paid towards the purchase of a plot of land at **Beach Haven Estate**, Ibeju Lekki, Lagos State.

#### **FACTUAL BACKGROUND**

1. In or around [state the year, if you wish — please confirm], our client entered into a contract with PWAN Group for the purchase of a plot of land at Beach Haven Estate, Ibeju Lekki, Lagos State for the agreed sum of ₹2,850,000.

- 2. Relying on representations by PWAN Group's agents that the land was genuine, available for immediate allocation, and free from encumbrances, our client made an advance payment of **N1,500,000** towards the purchase price.
- 3. Despite repeated follow-ups, PWAN Group has failed, neglected, and/or refused to allocate any physical plot or provide valid title documentation.
- 4. All efforts by our client to recover the amount paid or secure proper allocation have been frustrated by deliberate delays and false assurances by PWAN Group's representatives.
- 5. The conduct of PWAN Group and its agents amounts to **fraudulent misrepresentation**, **obtaining by false pretence**, **criminal breach of trust**, and **unlawful conversion**.

#### **CRIMINAL OFFENCES DISCLOSED**

This conduct constitutes offences contrary to Nigerian law, including but not limited to:

- **Advance Fee Fraud** contrary to the Advance Fee Fraud and Other Fraud Related Offences Act, 2006:
- Obtaining by False Pretence and Fraudulent Conversion contrary to the Criminal Code Act;
- **Criminal Breach of Trust** contrary to the Criminal Code Act;
- Unlawful Concealment and Misrepresentation contrary to the Federal Competition and Consumer Protection Act.

#### **PRAYERS**

Accordingly, we respectfully request that your office:

- 1. Investigate and prosecute PWAN Group and its relevant officers for fraud, breach of trust, and conspiracy;
- 2. Recover and refund the sum of \$1,500,000 paid by our client;
- 3. Ensure restitution for our client and protect other members of the public from similar fraudulent conduct:
- 4. Take further regulatory action as may be necessary.

Yours faithfully,

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Principal Partner/Investor Partner

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3rd September, 2020



Dear Ma,

### LETTER OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your payment of \$\mathbb{A}\$1,500,000.00 (One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Naira) Only, being part-payment for One (1) Residential Plot measuring 450sqm of land, in BEACH HAVEN ESTATE situated at Lepia Community, Lekki Free Trade Zone, Ibeju-Lekki L.G.A, Lagos State.

Please find below the description of the Land you are purchasing:

LOCATION: Lepia Community, Lekki Free Trade Zone, Ibeju-Lekki L.G.A, Lagos State.

TYPE/SIZE: One (1) Residential Plot of undeveloped parcel of land measuring 450sqm.

TITLE: Excision NO (LS/D/BK102), Registered Survey, Deed of Assignment.

The expected balance is **♣1**, **350,000.00** (One Million, Three Hundred & Fifty Thousand Naira)
Only.

(Note that any default in your payment shall attract extra charges).

Thank you very much for subscribing to **BEACH HAVEN ESTATE** through **PWAN Haven**Investments & Realtors Ltd.

Yours sincerely,

FREDERICK E. OKPAJE (DR.)

Managing Director.

