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# BBC EDITOR IS PAID TO HELP 15 SOMALIAN CRIMINALS TO STAY IN UK

A BBC editor was hired as an expert witness to help at least 15 Somali criminals fight deportation – including a vile offender who sexually attacked a deaf teenage girl.

Last year, The Mail on Sunday exposed how Mary Harper, Africa Editor for the World Service, was paid to give expert witness evidence for Somali gang rapist

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By Mark Hookham and Sam Merriman

Yaquub Ahmed during his five-year legal battle to stay in the UK.

Now an investigation by this newspaper can reveal Ms Harper has given expert wit-

ness evidence in a string of other controversial deportation appeals by Somali offenders – including for another three sex attackers, three drug dealers and a career criminal who spent a decade in British jails.

Following a series of questions from the MoS, the BBC last night announced that Ms Harper was leaving the Corporation, but

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