

# SOUTHERN KADUNA PEOPLE'S UNION

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12th October, 2024.

To: Esteemed Members of SOKAPU,

# ROOTS OF THE BREWING CRISIS IN SOKAPU AND IT'S SPONSORS RE: IMPEACHMENT OF ENGR. S.K. TABARA FOR GROSS MISCONDUCT, CONSTITUTIONAL VIOLATION AND ABUSE OF OFFICE

This article is a reply to the piece of tantrums couched and directed at the President of SOKAPU in the person of Engr. Tabara S. K. This document so referred to and authored by nine (9) renegade Members of the Union's Central Executive Committee (CEC) is a misinformation and a crafted pack of lies directed at the National President with the vanquished hope of impeaching him. Copy of the said document is attached herewith, and marked as No. 1.

Firstly, the mechanisms and procedures of effecting a ceasation of office for any elected Officer of SOKAPU under the Union's Constitution are as follows:

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### Section 17(i): CESSATION OF OFFICE

b. Subject to the provision of this Constitution, an elected official of the Association shall cease to be a member of the Executive Committee if during his / her tenure of office:-He/She is removed from office on ground of ill-health, unsoundness of mind, a breach of the Code of Conduct in the Second Schedule of this Constitution, or for any other reason he / she is incapable of discharging the functions of his / her office.

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The President has never been subjected to any of the above provisions and procedures so stated in the Constitution. Thus, the inflammatory 5-page article is therefore nonsensical, worthless, and only fit for the dust bin. They are of no effect whatsoever on the person and office of Engr. Tabara Samuel Kato as President of SOKAPU. Their motives are laden with mischief and malice against the President. The Southern Kaduna People, Members of SOKAPU and the general public should therefore, disregard the aforesaid piece of nonsensical document and its entire contents, as same is misconceived and targeted to mislead the Southern Kaduna People from working with the National President to sanitize SOKAPU of the ills and canker that has plagued it over time. This group of nine (9) renegades are sponsored by certain forces and they chose to call themselves "concerned sons and daughters of the region" and they have chosen the path of lawlessness and dishonour to continue to give the Union unpleasant publicity and embarrassments. Having on several occasion in this same manner exposited the same mischievousness, they are presently undergoing disciplinary action and procedures over similar mischievous and embarrassing publication, they concocted as "Re: Notice of Emergency meeting" trying to make themselves relevant by demeaning the office of the National President.

Further narratives hereunder shall reveal their motives, modus operandi and their Sponsors.

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- 1. Chairman: Prof. Ishaya Kato Auta (0803 485 6567),
- 2. Secretary: Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew,
- 3. Financial Secretary: Usho Adawa Smith,
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- PRO/Legal Adviser: Barr. Luke Godwin Waziri.

This 5-man Caretaker Committee (CTC) served most abnormally as will be disclosed hereunder. Throughout their unfruitful tenure that replaced the Maisamari led Exco, until the election that brought in the present CEC Exco on 09/12/23, the CTC ensured that there is no valid documents including lists of meeting attendance, assets inventory, financial statements, and executed minutes of meetings are found anywhere within the SOKAPU Secretariat being evidence that they occupied and served SOKAPU, let alone any evidence to hold them to account for any asset or transaction within the seven (7) months of their stay, that they cumulative sums of N2,109,000 were spent without records and outside constitutionally approved period of their mandate. Attached herewith is a report on how they manipulated NEC meeting attendance list of 23/09/2023; marked as No. 7.

Three members of the former CTC members got elected into the present CEC Exco, they are:

- General Secretary: Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew, formerly General Secretary CTC.
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- 3. Assistant Legal Adviser: Luke Gideon Waziri, formerly PRO/Legal Adviser CTC.

The above three coupists and others like Barr. Ishaya Tanko Damina remain unrelenting at continuing with their business of mischievousness and financial sleeze as usual. These are some of their antics concocted and executed against the SOKAPU.

1. With an underlying surreptitious plan and action of undermining SOKAPU in furtherance of the interests and objectives of SOKACDA, these persons and their sponsors went ahead to:

a. Establish a new group known as, Coalition of Indigenous Middle Belt Organizations (CIMBO), a rival group in competition with the well-known over 35-year old Middle Belt Forum. The SOKAPU President was misinformed about it by Hon. Timothy Gandu (0803 310 1752) and he asked the President to nominate 5 members of his Exco to attend the maiden conference of the group holding on 30-31/08/2024, the President nominated his loyal 5 members, only for Hon. Gandu to unilaterally co-opt 3 pro-SOKACDA members of the SOKAPU Exco (rebellious to the President) into the mainstream of the event, this is in addition to co-opting other SOKAPU CDAs as

partners/participants in the event, despite that SOKAPU is the umbrella body of all CDAs. Dr. Zuwaghu Bonat (08037024794) is a central person to this group.

- b. The said Dr. Bonat and his co-merchants of mischievousness formed another NGO by name Conference of Nationalities of Ethnic Community Development Associations (CONAECDA), a pet project of Dr. Zuwaqhu Bonat, which objectives remain shadowy. He positioned himself at State, National and International levels as representative and the ultimate mouthpiece of SOKAPU and its entire people, and all these without the mandate of SOKAPU.
- c. Exploitation of SOKAPU CDAs: With the exploitative tendency and mindset that the said Dr. Bonat operates, he uses events, crisis, disasters and all manners of calamities befalling the Southern Kaduna People to solicit and obtain local and international patronages on behalf of the Southern Kaduna People without accountability to SOKAPU, whose CDAs he is so exploiting or to anybody whatsoever.
- d. Establishment of the annual Southern Kaduna Festival (SKFEST) without collaboration with SOKAPU President but with the exclusive collaboration of pro-SOKACDA members of his Exco (Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew, Barr. Luke Gideon Waziri, Bello Hosea Bissalla, Esther Timothy Cookey and David Jinang). This event is put together by Dr. Zuwaqhu Bonat, Hon. Timothy Gandu and Mr. Bature S. Likoro; and it is piloted by Rear Admiral Fadason Bobai (Rtd. 08070453060). They use SOKAPU CDAs to execute the program and generate revenue without any accountability to the SOKAPU President/CEC.
- e. Undermine the President at every opportunity: Again, from facts obtained over time, it is this same parallel creation called SOKACDA that is presently entrenched and assiduously undermining the progress and development of SOKAPU and its National President's efforts thereto. For example, the General Secretary was directed by the President vide WhatsApp chart to notify Members of Emergency NEC meeting, since 12.35pm of 25/09/2024. He never responded to the President's chart, up-to when it was discovered on 02/10/2024 that he changed without consent/authority, the nomenclature and date of the meeting: to "Notice of NEC meeting and 27/09/2024" respectively, instead of "Notice of Emergency NEC meeting and 05/10/2024", and he circulated the said WRONG nomenclature and date to Members. It took him over 24

hours to circulate the Notice and since then, the aftermaths of that mischievousness, there has been a conspiracy of silence of Members on the platforms, whose overwhelming majority on same were virtually and carefully selected by the Secretary, until same abnormality was detected by the PRO on 02/10/2024 and corrected immediately by the PRO. This deliberate distortion was meant to abort the meeting. He failed. Attached herewith are screen shots of the WhatsApp chart with the General Secretary on the matter and same are marked as Nos. 9(a), (b), (c). Extracts from the SOKAPU Constitution on functions of the Secretary and matters of meetings are attached herewith marked as Nos. 10(a), (b), (c).

2. This NGO, dubiously incorporated by Dr. Bonat and his cohorts, was created to use SOKAPU to simply generate money and share among themselves. At the SOKAPU NEC meeting of 07/09/2024, the President categorically declared as unconstitutional the hitherto idea of CEC members sharing money/gifts received on behalf of the Union and amongst themselves, and asserted that it must not happen in his tenure. Of course, the three former CTC members in the Exco and six others like them in the act of sleeze drew the battle line, hence the commencement of another round of coup plotting against the National President, Engr. Tabara SK, with the signing of a DISCLAIMER by the group of nine (9), alleging that the Emergency NEC meeting for 05/10/2024, by the President was unconstitutional, as according to them, CEC approval to it was not sought! It was a mere propaganda as that is not the correct position of the SOKAPU Constitution, on matters of calling out for meetings and Emergency meeting for that matter. This group of nine (9) coupists are as stated below:

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Finally, the foregoing narrative is aimed at providing sufficient information to prove that the SOKAPU Y-WEC so elected and led by Barr. Jerry Mendous Maikano is a front for Dr. Daniel Manzo Maigari: who is trying to convert the SOKAPU Y-WEC to his personal political structure,

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CC:

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All Local Government Chairmen, in Southern Kaduna.

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# **REGISTRATION NUMBER 7976593**

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have this day been registered as a corporate body.

Given under my hand at Abuja this 3rd day of October, 2024









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REV JERRY I ANDREW

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- PRO/Legal Adviser: Barr. Luke Godwin Waziri.

This 5-man Caretaker Committee (CTC) served most abnormally as will be disclosed hereunder. Throughout their unfruitful tenure that replaced the Maisamari led Exco, until the election that brought in the present CEC Exco on 09/12/23, the CTC ensured that there is no valid documents including lists of meeting attendance, assets inventory, financial statements, and executed minutes of meetings are found anywhere within the SOKAPU Secretariat being evidence that they occupied and served SOKAPU, let alone any evidence to hold them to account for any asset or transaction within the seven (7) months of their stay. Attached herewith is a report on how they manipulated NEC meeting attendance list of 23/09/2023; marked as No. 7.

Three members of the former CTC members got elected into the present CEC Exco, they are:

- 1. General Secretary: Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew, formerly General Secretary CTC.
- 2. Organising Secretary: Esther Timothy Cookey, formerly Treasurer CTC.
- 3. Assistant Legal Adviser: Luke Gideon Waziri, formerly PRO/Legal Adviser CTC.

The above three coupists and others like Barr. Ishaya Tanko Damina remain unrelenting at continuing with their business of mischievousness and financial sleeze as usual. These are some of their antics concocted and executed against the SOKAPU.

- 1. With an underlying surreptitious plan and action of undermining SOKAPU in furtherance of the interests and objectives of SOKACDA, these persons and their sponsors went ahead to:
  - a. Establish a new group known as, Coalition of Indigenous Middle Belt Organizations (CIMBO), a rival group in competition with the well-known over 35-year old Middle Belt Forum. The SOKAPU President was misinformed about it by Hon. Timothy Gandu (0803 310 1752) and he asked the President to nominate 5 members of his Exco to attend the maiden conference of the group holding on 30-31/08/2024, the President nominated his loyal 5 members, only for Hon. Gandu to unilaterally co-opt 3 pro-SOKACDA members of the SOKAPU Exco (rebellious to the President) into the mainstream of the event, this is in addition to co-opting other SOKAPU CDAs as partners/participants in the event, despite that SOKAPU is the umbrella body of all CDAs. Dr. Zuwaqhu Bonat (08037024794) is a central person to this group.

- b. The said Dr. Bonat and his co-merchants of mischievousness formed another NGO by name Conference of Nationalities of Ethnic Community Development Associations (CONAECDA), a pet project of Dr. Zuwaqhu Bonat, which objectives remain shadowy. He positioned himself at State, National and International levels as representative and the ultimate mouthpiece of SOKAPU and its entire people, and all these without the mandate of SOKAPU.
- c. Exploitation of SOKAPU CDAs: With the exploitative tendency and mindset that the said Dr. Bonat operates, he uses events, crisis, disasters and all manners of calamities befalling the Southern Kaduna People to solicit and obtain local and international patronages on behalf of the Southern Kaduna People without accountability to SOKAPU, whose CDAs he is so exploiting or to anybody whatsoever.
- d. Establishment of the annual Southern Kaduna Festival (SKFEST) without collaboration with SOKAPU President but with the exclusive collaboration of pro-SOKACDA members of his Exco (Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew, Barr. Luke Gideon Waziri, Bello Hosea Bissalla, Esther Timothy Cookey and David Jinang). This event is put together by Dr. Zuwaqhu Bonat, Hon. Timothy Gandu and Mr. Bature S. Likoro; and it is piloted by Rear Admiral Fadason Bobai (Rtd. 08070453060). They use SOKAPU CDAs to execute the program and generate revenue without any accountability to the SOKAPU President/CEC.
- Undermine the President at every opportunity: Again, from facts obtained over time, e. it is this same parallel creation called SOKACDA that is presently entrenched and assiduously undermining the progress and development of SOKAPU and its National President's efforts thereto. For example, the General Secretary was directed by the President vide WhatsApp chart to notify Members of Emergency NEC meeting, since 12.35pm of 25/09/2024. He never responded to the President's chart, up-to when it was discovered on 02/10/2024 that he changed without consent/authority, the nomenclature and date of the meeting: to "Notice of NEC meeting and 27/09/2024" respectively, instead of "Notice of Emergency NEC meeting and 05/10/2024", and he circulated the said WRONG nomenclature and date to Members. It took him over 24 hours to circulate the Notice and since then, the aftermaths of that mischievousness, there has been a conspiracy of silence of Members on the platforms, whose overwhelming majority on same were virtually and carefully selected by the Secretary, until same abnormality was detected by the PRO on 02/10/2024 and corrected immediately by the PRO. This deliberate distortion was meant to abort the meeting. He failed. Attached herewith are screen shots of the WhatsApp chart with the General Secretary on the matter and same are marked as Nos. 9(a), (b), (c). Extracts from the SOKAPU Constitution on functions of the Secretary and matters of meetings are attached herewith marked as Nos. 10(a), (b), (c).
- 2. This NGO, dubiously incorporated by Dr. Bonat and his cohorts, was created to use SOKAPU to simply generate money and share among themselves. At the SOKAPU NEC meeting of 07/09/2024, the President categorically declared as unconstitutional the hitherto idea of CEC members sharing money/gifts received on behalf of the Union and amongst themselves, and asserted that it must not happen in his tenure. Of course, the three former CTC members in the Exco and six others like them in the act of sleeze drew the battle line.

hence the commencement of another round of coup plotting against the National President, Engr. Tabara SK, with the signing of a DISCLAIMER by the group of nine (9), alleging that the Emergency NEC meeting for 05/10/2024, by the President was unconstitutional, as according to them, CEC approval to it was not sought! It was a mere propaganda as that is not the correct position of the SOKAPU Constitution, on matters of calling out for meetings and Emergency meeting for that matter. This group of nine (9) coupists are as stated below:

Mr. Bello Bissalla (Vice President II), Rev. Jerry Andrew (General Secretary), Billy Cosmas (Financial Secretary), Mr. Emmanuel Audu Kalla (Asst. Treasurer), Mrs. Jemutu A. Katarma (Asst. Financial Secretary), Dr. Barr. Ishaya T. Damina (Legal Adviser), Comrd Esther Timothy Cookey (Organising Secretary), Barr. L.G. Waziri (Asst. Legal Adviser) and Evang. David Jinang (Asst. Organising Secretary). Attached herewith and marked as Nos. 11(a), (b) is their Disclaimer letter to the General Public.

They went further to allege unfounded financial impropriety against the President, on property acquisition as he was soliciting contributions from the public to acquire for SOKAPU, a befitting National Secretariat. Attached herewith is public notice by the President challenging the public to this allegation. Same is marked as No. 8.

Finally, the foregoing narrative is aimed at providing sufficient information to prove that the SOKAPU Y-WEC so elected and led by Barr. Jerry Mendous Maikano is a front for Dr. Daniel Manzo Maigari: who is trying to convert the SOKAPU Y-WEC to his personal political structure, contrary to the objectives of SOKAPU, as a socio-cultural group, non-partisan to politics; while SOKACDA led by Mr. Bature S. Likoro and the coupists in SOKAPU Exco (Barr. Ishaya Tanko Damina, Bello Hosea Bissalla, Esther Timothy Cookey and Barr. Luke Godwin Waziri), led by Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew are fronts for Dr. Zuwaqhu K.A. Bonat, who is exploiting some of the unsuspecting innocent leaders of SOKAPU CDAs as the foundation and source of sustenance for activities of his NGO (the SOKACDA), while Supol Dan Martins Leo supports them at the background of his office. Other actors in this undercover scheme are their foot soldiers in and outside SOKAPU that partake in the share and fall-outs thereof. Their actions are self-centered propelled by greed for power and influence, in manners that are inimical to sociocultural groups' harmony, which have potentials that could lead to breach of security, breakdown of law and order in Southern Kaduna, if allowed to continue unchecked. It is also worrisome and un-unifying on matters of inter socio-cultural groups relationship and collaboration needed for States and National cohesion. These are the main thrusts of the above information, for your considerations and necessary actions.

Most respectfully Sir,

Engr. Tabara Samuel Kato, National President, SOKAPU.

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CMRD SAMUEL TABARA

REV JERRY I ANDREW

Concern SOKAPU CEC Members, 1. Ghana Close, Barnawa, Kaduna. 10<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

The Chairman, Board of Trustees (BOT), Southern Kaduna People's Union (SOKAPU) 1. Ghana Close, Barnawa, Kaduna.

Sir,

# IMPEACHMENT OF ENGR. S.K. TABARA FOR GROSS MISCONDUCT, CONSTITUTIONAL VIOLATION AND ABUSE OF OFFICE

We the undersigned members of SOKAPU Central Executive Committee (CEC) write to notify the Board of Trustees of the Southern Kaduna People's Union, National Executive Committee, all stakeholders and the general public of the impeachment of Engr. SK Tabara as the President of the Southern Kaduna People's Union.

As sons and daughters of Southern Kaduna who were voted into office by the people of Southern Kaduna to serve and protect its interest, having endured ten months of the rascality, unconstitutionality and madness of Engr SK Tabara as President of SOKAPU without any signs of willingness to change or take a recourse do hereby announce to the general public of his impeachment from henceforth as the President of the Southern Kaduna People's Union.

From day upon resumption of office, it dawned on us that Southern Kaduna People had entered a 'one chance' with Engr. SK Tabara as SOKAPU President, even though it reflected clearly in his manifesto, but we didn't know it was going to come so soon and this bad. The first thing he did was to refuse the inauguration and retreat for the newly elected Central Executive Committee which has always been an existing practice with new SOKAPU CEC and was meant to be an avenue for knowledge transfer and strategic planning. That singular act didn't go down well with all CEC members but all efforts to make him accept that failed since he was bent on being dictatorial and despotic.

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SPION SARRENNOMA WOTTON 0703 2131 423 AGAIL PLEVANTA STANT TO 0803 5817444 In the last ten months of our tenure as the Central Executive Committee of SOKAPU, we have tried to tolerate the President's excesses and advised him on several occasions on how to succeed and work with all stakeholders to build the Southern Kaduna of our dreams, but he has rather proven to be recalcitrant in his behaviors.

During this period, the president has adopted a strange style of leadership that is inimical to the progress of the Union and as such as concern members of the Union, we have no other option than to impeach him from office for the following gross violations of office and unconstitutionalities:

- Taking unilateral decisions without consultation and/or obtaining the consent of other CEC members. 95% of the decisions he has taken did not secure the approval of CEC members, rather he sits down in his house and acts things that CEC members will only see in the media or on social medial platforms. This constitute disrespect for other elected SOKAPU officials who were also elected on the same platform like him.
- 2. Utter disrespect and humiliation of CEC Members. Tabara treats every CEC ember like his employee which reflects in the way he talks and treats them. It may interest you to know for the time we have been in the office, we've never had a single CEC meeting without Tabara either issuing threats or shouting at the top his voice while hitting the table while talking to CEC as if he were speaking to his servants.
- 3. Assigning CEC members' responsibilities to different offices for whatever personal reasons and unnecessary interference in the responsibilities of other EXCO members which is capable causing unhealthy rivalry safe for the maturity of the CEC members affected. For example, taking the constitutional role of the General Secretary and assigning such to the Public Relations Officer, hijacking the production of minutes of meetings from the General Secretary, writing and sending out letters which are the constitutional responsibility of the secretary, taking duties of the Organizing Secretary and assigning same to the Vice President III to mention a few.
- 4. Divide and rule style of leadership: The President alone plans and carryout surreptitious visits to the Government House, offices and homes of other Sons and Daughters of Southern Kaduna under the auspices of SOKAPU without the knowledge of CEC; or sometimes goes with few so-called loyalists. In doing this he has sidelined all CEC members who have ventured to speak the truth to him on issues and has created a mini-CEC consisting of his key loyalists and trumpeters. This has led to hostility amongst hitherto close friends in the CEC.
- 5. When CEC members complain on issues, the President simply ignores them without attending to their issues, claiming to be the alpha and omega of SOKAPU. He has clearly boasted on several occasions that CEC, NEC and SOKAPU constitution does not have the final say on SOKPAU issues but himself.

- 6. Use of vulgar language and insulting CEC member during meetings; the president savagely shouts down on any member making submission during meetings and sometimes uses vulgar language on members such as "don ubanku" or "I can give birth to you" at the slightest or no provocation.
- 7. The President has no regards for and is bereft of respect for personalities, elders including BOT members. This is evidenced in his recent controversial document titled: A-Z OF SOKAPU CRISIS AS CAPTURED BY REVIEW OF THESOKAPU NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL (NEC) INVESTIGATIONAND DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE (I&DC) REPORT OF 8TH JULY2023 AND REVIEW OF MINUTE OF MEETINGS OF THE DISSOLVED CARE TAKER COMMITTEE (CTC) FROM 13TH MAY TO 09/12/2023 where he unilaterally dragged SOKAPU in the mud by single-handedly making weighty allegations against all stakeholders including the Southern Kaduna Leadership Council. All efforts made by CEC members to stop from acting on this part fell on deaf ears, and all efforts made by NEC members to make him recall and withdraw the document after he had released it failed. What a leader!!!
- 8. The President has taken to himself the position of the alpha and omega in SOKAPU by declaring that he has the final say in all matters that pertains to the union not giving credence to the place, powers and position of the Constitution of SOKAPU. For instance, just recently, Mr. Tabara unilaterally took the defunct CTC and some members of the CEC to court on trumped up allegations that no panel within the Union has investigated and without consultation with the CEC. The NEC at its last meeting directed him to withdraw the said case and the above-mentioned document as both are not in the overall interest of the Union but Tabara has flagrantly disregarded the directives of the NEC.
- 9. The President right from inception has not hidden his disdain, open disloyalty and hatred for our most revered BOT. For instance, he leveled weighty allegations against the BOT accusing them of conspiring with other stakeholders including one of our political elites Dr. Daniel Manzo in the Youth Wing Election. He vowed that if he gives Dr Manzo one blow, he will faint. It is that bad!
- 10. He has demonstrated his disrespect, deep rooted vendetta and malignity for the BOT right from when they summoned a peace meeting aimed at resolving the Youth Wing Election Matters, at that meeting he declined to talk on the grounds that he was not giving the powers to select who to attend that meeting by the BOT. He further took this disrespect of the BOT to another level when he openly accused them of disrespecting him (Tabara) and in his usual manner of untamed used of vulgar language called the defunct CTC fools for taking orders from the BOT; and made it categorically clear that BOT are his employees so he can hire and fire at his pleasure, after the NEC of 7th September 2024. He specifically vowed to crush **Dr. Ephraim Goje** who he accused of destroying SOKAPU.

- 11. Soliciting funds on and behalf of SOKAPU without the knowledge of CEC in the name of securing an office complex for SOKAPU and expending such funds without consultation with CEC and BOT and no accountability to CEC on such expenses.
- 12. After accusing CEC members on the issue of honorarium in the NEC meeting of 7<sup>th</sup> September 2024, it is on record that he has visited countless sons and daughters of the region which were meant to be visited by the whole CEC without accounting to CEC on honorariums received and donations collected for SOKAPU.
- 13. Paying and employing other persons to do the constitutional responsibility of CEC members without the approval of CEC and NEC. For example, he gave one Gayus Umar N24,000 (Twenty-Four Thousand Naira) for a so-called assignment of authenticating the genuine CDAs which is the constitutional responsibility of the General Secretary. Also using SOKAPU funds to engage private lawyers without the knowledge and approval of CEC when the Union has two elected Legal advisers.
- 14. Having a terrible unforgiving spirit, always plotting for the downfall of his fellow CEC members by setting up traps against them, playing double standard game, especially on the Youth Wing crises and election. For example, at the between the CEC members and the Youth factions, Tabara gave judgment in favour of the John Isaac faction where he mandated them to go and conduct their elections having followed constitutional procedures. A resolution was signed by all parties present at the meeting, but surprisingly in the night Tabara called the Secretary and asked him to change the minutes of that meeting as result of pressure mounted on him from the other faction. The Secretary refused, and he went ahead to collect minutes from the Secretary, changed the resolution and posted it on CEC and other SOKAPU platforms.
- 15. He is autocratic in his leadership, with zero tolerance for democracy. During our meetings, Tabara has consistently insisted on implementing certain actions even when 99% of CEC members speak and voice out their concerns against such actions.
- 16. Approving expenses for himself without discussing with CEC members. It may shock you to hear that most of the expenses that have been incurred by this present CEC, including the expenses for the NEC meeting have been done singlehandedly by Tabara without bringing such to the CEC for approval
- 17. The President has shown willful disregards for traditional institutions by refusal to pay a thank-you/courtesy visit to any of them since inauguration despite pressure by CEC members and other stakeholder, yet he had the energy to carry his trumped-up accusations against CEC members to their respective paramount rulers.
- 18. Mr Tabara is selfish and egocentric. He has demonstrated that in different ways. For example, on assumption of office he confiscated the laptop used by the General Secretary for the production of minutes of meeting and other secretariat duties.

- 19. This singular has made it difficult for the General Secretary to operate efficiently in the delivery of his duties. He also insisted that all SOKAPU buses be moved to his house, but for the unanimous objection of all CEC members.
- 20. To further prove his lordship over the Union, he has single-handedly formed a new BOT and registered Southern Kaduna People's United Association (SOKAPUA) without the approval of the CEC. We only saw this on the social media last week.
- 21. And to crown it all, the President has unconstitutionally caused a notice of Annual General Congress (AGC) to be circulated without first discussing same with the CEC or the approval of NEC. This procedure of calling AGC is alien to the SOKAPU Constitution.

These and many more constitute gross violation and/or breach of Schedules 1 (a), 3 (a), (b), (c) and 5 and can be sanctioned under Schedule 6 of the Code of Conduct in the Second Schedule of the Constitution of SOKAPU 2009 in line with Section 17 of the Constitution.

As concerned sons and daughters of the region, we are left with no option at this point in time than to impeach this despot from the office and restore peace and sanity to the Union, to enable the Union members concentrate on pursuing developmental strides that will bring about progress and development in the region.

### Signed:

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1.	Mr. Bello Hosea Bissalla	-	Vice President II	B
2.	Rev. Jerry Andrew	-	General Secretary	a
3.	Billy Cosmas	<b>=</b> 0	Financial Secretary	THE
4.	Cmrd. Esther Timothy Cookey	-	<b>Organizing Secretary</b>	中
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CC:

- a) HE Senator Uba Sani, Executive Governor of Kaduna State
- b) HE Hadiza Sabuwa Balarebe, Deptuty Governor of Kaduna State
- c) Speaker of the Kaduna State House of Assembly
- d) State Director, Department of State Security Services, Kaduna State
- e) Commissioner of Police, Kaduna State
- f) Senator Sunday Marshall Katung
- g) Chairman Southern Kaduna Leadership Council
- h) Esteemed Royal Fathers of Southern Kaduna
- i) All Local Government Chairmen in Southern Kaduna
- j) Branch Manager, Polaris Bank, Central Market Branch, Kaduna



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REV JERRY I ANDREW

Thursday 3rd October 2024

### RE: NOTICE OF EMERGENCY NEC MEETING

The SOKAPU Central Executive Committee (CEC) members are appalled to see a notice currently in circulation on social media calling for an Emergency NEC Meeting scheduled to hold on Saturday, 5th October, 2024 at a yet to be disclosed venue and with no agenda attached.

Our surprise stems from the fact that neither the said purported proposed Emergency Meeting nor its import has ever been discussed at the CEC level let alone approved by the said CEC in line the clear and sacred provisions of the SOKAPU Constitution.

The shocked members of the CEC have made all efforts to make the SOKAPU President Engr. Tabara S. K. to disclose the proposed agenda for discussion, but such efforts have rather resulted in a still birth.

The CEC has been left with no option than to conclude that the President has dangerous ulterior motives behind the calling of the said meeting which may be inimical to the progress of the Union.

Moreover, the President alone is not clothed with the requisite constitutional powers whatsoever to unilaterally summon a NEC meeting for whatever reasons without due consultations and/or approval of the CEC. This new style of running SOKAPU affairs by the President alone is rather strange and alien to the Union's constitution and long-established custom and practice of the union and must be curbed as a matter of urgency.

The President for probable security reasons may decide to keep the venue and agenda of any meeting secret to the public but this must have been discussed and agreed by the CEC to that effect.

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SPHON SARKIFINOMA AUDITOR 6763 2111 423 AGAIL P. KVALITA ASSTRAFFERS D Therefore, the said proposed NEC Meeting has no constitutional backing hence, unlawful and therefore any resolution passed at the said unlawful Emergency Meeting would be null and void ab initio.

Based on the foregoing, we the undersigned CEC members distant ourselves from the said notice as it is at the behest and personal interest of Tabara as a person and not emanating from the CEC.

We are constrained to pass this notice in order to save the ever-faithful NEC members from wasting their time and resources to attend such an unconstitutional meeting at this critical time when cost of transportation has skyrocketed above ordinary levels.

We also use this medium to inform the general public to stop honoring any request for financial assistance from the SOKAPU President in the name of acquisition of property for SOKAPU Secretariat or any other SOKAPU project for now, as there is a committee in place that has been constituted by the CEC for that purpose but for obscure reasons, the President has deliberately refused to allow the said committee to function, rather, he has constituted himself as a parallel fundraising committee and has been going round alone collecting funds from people and organizations without accounting same to the CEC. Therefore, anybody who donates money to the President for SOKAPU does so at his own peril.

# Signed:

1.	Mr. Bello Bissalla	-	Vice President II	B
2.	Rev. Jerry Andrew	-	General Secretary	
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Greetings Dr.

Ever since the night of 8th February 2024 that you called me with a directive to ensure that the Youths Wing election takes place at all costs because the Governor was interested in it, I have remained in the dark confused.

Remember, shortly before then at the Governor's conference hall on 5th February, 2024 during our courtesy visit, you approached me to speak well of the relationship between me and all the southern Kaduna political appointees of the government and I did. Ever since then I am yet to experience this cordial relationship particularly from you. These very youths that you claimed the Governor is interested in, they remain a major destabilization factor in SOKAPU. Is it that they are doing the bidding of the Governor? How are they of positive value to you as political adviser to the Gorvenor or the Gorvenor himself?

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# Dr Manzo Daniel...

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SOUTHERN KADUNA PEOPLE'S UNION (NATIONAL YOUTH WING ELECTORAL COMMITTEE)

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COMR. KINGSLEY NDAKS 08067867776 COMR. BISAN YABUWAT Secretory 07026556551

10<sup>th</sup> February, 2024.

The President,
Southern Kaduna Peoples Union (SOKAPU),
No. 1, Ghana Close off Egypt Road, Barnawa GRA.

Sir,

INTRODUCTION OF NEWLY ELECTED SOKAPU NATIONAL YOUTH WING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

I am writing to officially introduce the newly elected executive committee of the SOKAPU National Youth Wing, following the successful completion of our recent elections. Enclosed with this letter is the election results sheet, detailing the outcome of the election process.

Without further ado, please allow me to present to you the members of the newly elected executive committee:

- 1. Coordinator: Jerry Mendous Maikano
- 2. Deputy Coordinator: Jeremiah Ishaya
- 3. Secretary: Nathaniel Auta Awok
- 4. Assistant Secretary: Tachio Boman
- 5. Financial Secretary: Bargo Danjuma
- 6. Treasurer: Nano Solomon
- 7. Public Relations Officer: Baa Yusuf

Thank you for your attention to this matter

Warm regards,

Yabuwat Bisan

Secretary, SOKAPU National Youth Wing Election 2024

COMR. JOSEPH BEGE GAIYA Screening Officer

COMR. CALEB SANKARA BULUS Financial Secretary COMR. MURPHY IBRAHIM MA'AJI

Organizing Secretary

COMR. FELICIA DOMINIC

COMR. COMFORT KARIKO USMAN Member COMR. VICTOR DUNIYA

COMR. SOLOMON HOSEA Assistant Secretary

Date: 10 FEBRUARY, 9024

# COORDINATOR

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3	Daniels Kariq Abraham	l/	07	23	
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Name and Signature of **Returning Officer** 

DUHIMA VICTOR

Name and Signature Chairman ELCOM

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Date: 10 FEBRUARY, 2024

# **DEPUTY COORDINATOR**

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1	Jeremiah Ishaya	345	29	333 316 W	JINNE

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Date: 10 FEBRUARY, 2024

# SECRETARY

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2	Alhassan Aruwa	11	10	32	
3	Shuaibu Ibrahim Mori	1/	10	<b>0</b> 5	

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Name and Signature of Returning Officer DUNINA VICTOR

Name and Signature Chairman ELCOM

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Date: 10 FEBRUARY, 2024

# ASSISTANT SECRETARY

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Advise Pls.

REQUEST FOR EXECUTION OF WARRANT OF ARREST ON JOHN
ISAAC SIRJAY

The above subject matter refers:

Attached herewith is copy of warrant of arrest of persons obtained at-Chief Magistrate Court 15 Barnawa in respect of John Isaac (SirJay).

John Isaac Sirjay was convicted for disobedience of court orders in April, 2024.

He has remained relentless in disturbing the peace in the affairs of SOKAPU.

The SOKAPU is set to conduct its NEC meeting on 08/06/24 and we are reliably informed that himself in collaboration with his Associates are planning to disrupt the meeting.

In view of the above we are praying it pleases your good self to approve that the warrant of arrest be executed on him expeditiously.

Thank you for your tireless responses to our matters. May you also enjoy divine favours in your carrier.

Yours respectfully,

Engr. Tabara SK

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IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
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The Commissioner of Police, The Department of Administration, The Nigeria Police Force, State Headquarters, Kaduna.

Sir,

SUBJECT FOR ADVICE:

LEGALIPROSECUTION SECTION,
THE NIGERIA POLICE FORCE,
STATE CID,
STATE CID,
CONTACT HEADQUARTERS,
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RE-REQUEST FOR EXECUTION OF WARRANT OF

ARREST ON JOHN ISAAC SIRJAY.

May I humbly refer the Commissioner of Police to the above subject matter on which you directed for legal advice from the Legal Section as indicted by your footnote dated 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2024, a copy of which is attached for ease of reference.

- 2. The Warrant of Arrest being sought to be executed emanated from a Magistrate Court No. 18 sitting at Barnawa Magisterial District and same is verified as being authentic. It is therefore advised that the said warrant should be executed either within or outside the State wherever the Defendant is found for contempt of court.
- 3. The officers to be assigned for execution of the warrant should ensure that the said warrant is first re-endorsed by Chief Magistrate where the Defendant may be found outside the State unless he is found within the State and to be taken to the Court that issued the warrant after arrest.

4. Above is my legal advice subject to your further directives, please.

SP MARTINS D. LEO, ESQ O/C LEGAL/PROSECUTIONS,

THE NIGERIA POLICE,

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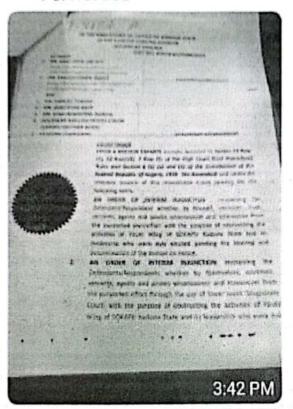


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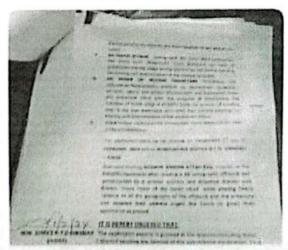
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE OF RADUNA STATE
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- 2. MR. AUGUSTINE BAYE
- 3. MR LUKA AUGUSTINE DUNIVA
- SOUTHERN KADUNA PEOPLE UNION (SOKAPU MOTHER BODY)
- 5. PERSONS UNKNOWN)...

.....DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT

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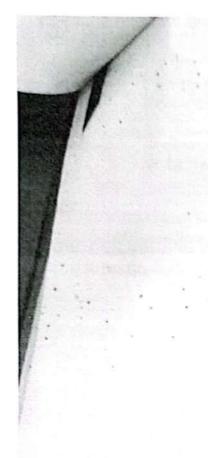
#### COURT ORDER

UPON A MOTION EXPARTE brought pursuant to Orders 15 Rule (1), 13 Rule(13), 7 Rule (5) of the High Court (Civil Procedure) Rules and Section 6 (6) (a) and (b) of the Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (As Amended) and under the inherent powers of this Honourable Court praying for the following reiefs:

AN ORDER OF INTERIM INJUNCTION restraining the Defendant/Respondent whether by himself, workmen, men, servants, agents and privies whomsoever and howsoever from the purported plan/effort with the purpose of obstructing the activities of Youth Wing of SOKAPU Kaduna State and its leadership who were duly elected pending the hearing and determination of the motion on notice.

2. AN ORDER OF INTERIM INJUNCTION restraining the Defendants/Respondents whether by themselves, workmen, servants, agents and privies whomsoever and howsoever from the purported effort through the use of lower court (Magistrate Court) with the purpose of obstructing the activities of Youth Wing of SOKAPU Kaduna State and its leadership who were duly





elected pending the hearing and determination of the motion on notice

- AN ORDER INTERIM setting aside the court order granted by the lower court (Magistrate Court Barnawa) for lack of jurisdiction and the judge having interest on the matter pending the hearing and determination of the motion on notice.
- AN ORDER OF INTERIM INJUNCTION restraining the Defendants/Respondents whether by themselves, workmen, servants, agents and privies whomsoever and howsoever from the purported effort with the purpose of obstructing the activities of Youth Wing of SOKAPU from the process of handing over to the new leadership who were duly elected pending the hearing and determination of the motion on notice.
- SUCH further order(s) as the Honourable Court deems fit to make in the circumstances.

The application came up for hearing on THURSDAY 1<sup>37</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2024 before HONOURABLE JUSTICE H.T.D. GWADAH – JUDGE

And upon hearing GODWIN SIMEON ATTAH ESQ. counsel to the Plaintiffs/Applicants after reading a 10 paragraphs affidavit and accompanied by a written address and attached thereto one Exhibit, 'Court Order of the lower court' while placing heavy reliance on all the paragraphs of the affidavit and the annexure and adopted their address urged the Court to grant their application as prayed.

JUSTICE H.T.D GWADAH

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

The application exparte is granted in the interim excluding order 3 thereof pending the hearing of the substantive application. That Is orders 1, 2, 4 and 5 thereof.

Accordingly the matter is hereby adjourned to the 13/2/24 for hearing of the substantive application which is the Motion on Notice.

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From:

Southern Kaduna Concerned Members of SOKAPU CDAs,

No. 5. Bishop Peter Jatau Street, Sabon Tasha Kaduna.

To:

The Chairman,

Southern Kaduna Autochthones, Community Development Associations

(SOKACDA), No. 47, Keffi Road, Barnawa GRA, Kaduna.

Attention:

Chairman, SOKACDA,

Mr. Bature .S. Likoro

Sir.

RE: OUR MEETING WITH YOUR FORUM ON THE ISSUE OF N15,000,000.00 DISBURSED TO YOUR FORUM: OUR RESOLUTIONS THERETO

We are concerned members of the Southern Kaduna Peoples' Union (SOKAPU) Community Development Associations (CDAs) numbering over fourty (40) persons and hereunder signed to authenticate our underlisted resolutions for the records, we must state that by our mutual agreement to meet with SOKACDA on the 6th day of September, 2024 at Zeecool Hotel, it was for the discussion on the singular issue of the N15,000,000.00 disbursed to your Association to wit, for onward delivery to Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) of Southern Kaduna Communities. It is also trite that the SOKACDA represented at that meeting by Mr. Likoro and Mr. Majimre clearly informed all present at the said meeting that the aforesaid N15,000,000.00 was earmarked to be used to acquire a piece of land for SOKAPU contrary to the original purpose of using it to alleviate the sufferings of the Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) who have been victimised over the years by Terrorists/Bandits attacks in Southern Kaduna. It is also on records that Mr. Awemi Dio Maisamari specifically stated in his letter to your SOKACDA dated the 10th of May 2023 thus:

- 1. "The N15,000,000.00 transfered into your account is in respect of the earlier understanding reached with crisis affected communities in Zonkwa way back in September 2022.
- When your forum eventually accepted the offer of the said amount in March 2023 the SOKAPU account had already been depleted. To avoid further depletion the CEC approved the immediate transfer of the N15,000,000.00 to your custody to be kept on behalf of affected communities.
- We also observed that almost all members of your forum are part of the affected communities for whom these funds are meant for. Therefore your forum is directed to ensure the constitution of a committee comprising of representatives of the affected CDAs to carry out the interventions. Note that whatsoever will be done by the committee should be based on the ascertained needs or wishes of the affected communities. Finally, the CEC expects a full report of the interventions carried out with the said funds."

deliberate attempt at diverting the said N15,000,000.00 to yourselves purporting to buy a land for the Umbrella Union to wit, SOKAPU is untenable, unacceptable and a complete attempt to steal the said funds. This is the concern of the undersigned SOKAPU CDAs' Members who in conjunction with the SOKAPU's Concerned CDAs Members Adhoc Committee of Inquiry, to meet with your SOKACDA at Zeecool Hotel, Barnawa as earlier stated herein.

Our resolution was and is still that the idea muted by your SOKACDA of acquiring a parcel of land for SOKAPU is unacceptable and totally rejected by the concerned SOKAPU's CDAs Members undersigned. It is completely preposterous to embezzle funds meant for IDPs' resettlement and welfare purporting that you are purchasing a land for SOKAPU.

Be informed that the SOKAPU National President at the NEC meeting of 7th September 2024 at Thamis Event Centre, Barnawa told and affirmed to all NEC Members that the Central Executive Committee (CEC) had found a befitting office building for the Union and payment for the said building had commenced with some advance payment.

Conclusively then, the undersigned CDAs Members of SOKAPU do hereby demand that the Leaders and Managers of the Southern Kaduna Autochthones Community Development Associations (SOKACDA) under the Chairmanship of Mr, Bature S. Likoro, the Treasurer Mr. Sabastine Barde and the Secretary Mr. Simon J. Majimre, as a matter of urgency to refund and transfer the said Fifteen Million Naira (N15,000,000.00) only back to SOKAPU's account understated and await for their directives. Your refund payment to:

Account Name:

Southern Kaduna Peoples Union

Bank Name:

Polaris Bank

Account No.:

1770198284

TAKE NOTICE, that this Demand must be effected within Seven (7) Days upon your receipt of this letter to avert unpalatable reactions from the rest of the concerned SOKAPU CDAs' Members below signed.

Comr. Manasseh M. Tukson (NIDA CDA)

Chairman

Samuel Wuya (Ninzo CDA)
Secretary

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GENERAL SECRETARY

## SPECIAL ADDRESS TO ALL MEMBERS OF SOKAPU BY THE PRESIDENT, ENGR. TABARA SK

RE: OBSERVATIONS ON LIST OF ATTENDEES OF SOKAPU NEC MEETING OF 23 SEPTEMBER, 2023.

With regards to the above subject matter, as administered by the former Caretaker Committee (CTC) General Secretary Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew, it is pertinent to hereby make the understated observations for the good of the Union and it's members. This is geared towards ensuring that we shall always conduct the Union's affairs in Peaceful and Orderly manner devoid of any form of malfeasance.

Going by Section 11.2 of the SOKAPU Constitution 2009 (as amended) which states that, "The National Executive Council (NEC) shall compose of the following members, who shall have the power to vote at it's meetings. They are:-

- The National President, who shall be the chairman.
- 2. The General Secretary, who shall be the secretary.
- Members of the Central Executive Committee.
- National Presidents/ Chairmen and Secretaries of Community Development Associations.
- Chairmen and Secretaries of Branches/ Chapters/.
- Chairmen of Committees of the Union.
- National Coordinators and Secretaries of Women, Youths and Student's Wings.
- Chairman of Development Commission.
- 9 Past Presidents of SOKAPU.

It should be recalled that there were no constituted committees and commission as at 23rd of September, 2023, hence their complete absence at the meeting. However CDAs, Chapters, Branches and Wings were represented. Each of them were, according to items 4, 5 and 7, to be represented by their Presidents/ Chairmen/ Coordinators and their respective Secretaries. In other words, no Chapter, Branch, CDA or Wing of the Union should be represented by persons outside its President and Secretary; Chairman and Secretary; or Coordinator and Secretary of any CDA, Chapter, Branch or Wing of the Union. Therefore the representation is limited to two (2) persons per arm of the Union. It has been a conventional practice in the Union that, where any of the two (2) principal members of the NEC is not able to attend any meeting, he/she may appoint a Representative from among its members. A close observation on the list of attendees of that NEC meeting of the 23<sup>rd</sup> of September, 2023 shows the following irregularities:-

- i. HAM CDA was represented by Musa Albert as it's Secretary (see serial no. 104), Jonathan Luka (Vice President 1, serial no. 70) and Rev. Jerry Andrew (President, though he did not sign the attendance list to mark his own presence). Jonathan Luka was not a member of the NEC.
- ii. Kaninkon CDA was represented by Bawa Bakau (President, serial no. 8), Enkipa Maida (Secretary, serial no. 9) and Baton Galadima (not a member of NEC, serial no. 91).
- iii. Gwong CDA was represented by Prof. Ishaya Kato Auta (President of Gwong CDA/Chairman CTC though he did not sign the attendance list to mark his presence) and Barr. Jama'a Tene (serial no.12, not a NEC member but representing the Gwong CDA President who himself was also present at the same meeting).
- iv. Chawai CDA was represented by Abel Adamu (President, serial no. 28), Joshua Magaji (serial no. 42) and Geofrey Luka (serial no. 72, both not being members of NEC). Therefore the two (2) non NEC members attended the meeting on the platform of Chawai CDA.
- v. Kuzamani CDA was represented by Umaru Gayus (serial no. 59, President), Yakubu Yahaya (serial no. 45, Secretary) and Ado Galaxy (serial no. 98, a Non-NEC member) attended the meeting.
- vi. Atyap CDA was represented by Dr. Samuel T. Achie (serial no. 2, President), Haruna Musa (serial no.103, Secretary) and Sylvester Nuhu (serial no. 69, a Non-NEC member) attended the meeting.

NB: From items (i-vi) above seven (7) non-NEC members found their ways into the NEC meeting of 23rd of September, 2023. It is curious that Prof. Ishaya Kato Auta and Rev. Jerry Irimiya Andrew (both being Chairman and Secretary of the then CTC respectively), by intent or default did not sign the attendance register of the very meeting they both superintended. THIS IS EVASIVE OF RESPONSIBILITY! Interestingly, both of them never signed any Minutes of Meeting throughout their seven (7) months tenure of the dissolved Caretaker Committee (CTC) they superintended over! Neither is there any written Handover Notes from them: that the General Secretary of the dissolved CTC succeeded himself notwithstanding!

- vii. The following ten (10) Branches: Zaria, Soba, Makarfi, Kubau, Barde, Ikara, Kudan, Giwa, Igabi and Ibadan were represented by people without clear identity. For example, one Bala Baba (serial no. 86) attended the meeting as former Chairman Ibadan. He may have come as a Representative of the incumbent Chairman but it was not stated, so he may as well have been at the meeting as a non-NEC member! Obscure identities like this, being members attending the NEC meeting are unacceptable and must be avoided. This is to ensure that only those members qualified to be in the NEC meeting, gain access to it.
- viii. The Youths and the Women Wings were represented by their SOKAPU recognized representatives as: John Isaac (serial no. 78) and Augustine Baye (serial no. 38), being the Coordinator and Secretary respectively, while Jemutu Katarma (serial no.15) and Monica Daniel (serial no.102) were Interim Coordinator and Secretary respectively, and without proper mandate. Luka Duniya (serial no. 55) attended the meeting as a non-NEC member, and Olando Bitrus (serial no. 87) of Surubu Youths also attended the meeting as non-NEC member. Another youth, Earnest Maidawa of SKYFOM (serial no. 95) also attended the meeting as a non-NEC member.

NB: Luka Duniya, Olando Bitrus and Earnest Maidawa did not meet the criteria of NEC membership as spelt out in Section 11.2 of the SOKAPU Constitution cited above. So in total ten (10) noticeable non-NEC members attended the meeting of 23rd of September, 2023. Also, there were un-noticeable non-NEC members; for example Anna Avong (serial no.11) as a member of BOT is not a member of NEC and she was not reflected as an observer (though it is a concessional status). Yakubu Baba (serial no. 22) was registered as Secretary of un-identifiable CDA/Chapter/Branch or Wing. David Makaddas (serial no. 34) was registered as belonging to KDA. This KDA could mean any of the following CDA's: Kaibi, Kahugu, Kanufu, Kigono, Kinugu, Kitimi, Kwafa, kiwollo, kono, kuvri, or Kuturmi. There is no CDA called KDA: complete identity of anything must be clearly stated before it is abbreviated or acronymised. Nehemiah Madugu (serial no. 37) was registered as belonging to GDA, this could also mean anything that starts with the letter 'G' on the list of the CDAs under reference. Identity of the attendees so registered are obscure due to absence of their designation(s) and complete names of their CDAs. For example they were simply registered as Solomon Y.S. (Kubau, serial no. 39), Simon Ishaku (RDA, serial no.40), Pastor Zakka Maikano (RDA, serial no.41), Samson Maikano (GDU, serial no. 46), Durba Peter Esq (ADA, serial no. 47), etc. This lack of details actually gave room to non-NEC members to find their way into the meeting undetected. These observed irregularities are the avenues that deliver RANCOUR in NEC meetings; threaten peace, and ensue irregularities in the affairs of NEC meetings as witnessed in the previous NEC meeting of 23rd September, 2023. This must not be allowed to continue.

NB: Considering the above catalogue of evidence of non-NEC members gaining access into its meeting, means that the previous handling of administration of the aforesaid NEC admittance list was by intent or default counter-productive, hence the need to checkmate it.

#### GOING FORWARD:

As we continue to host the National Executive Council (NEC) and Annual General Congress (AGC) Meetings in future, clear measures must be taken to prevent a repeat of the past malfeasance.

Before now, it was through the help of Rev. J. I. Andrew (SOKAPU General Secretary) and Umaru Gayus, the National President of Kuzamani CDA, that I was able to produce the list of verified NEC members. You may remember that, prior to this and in the cause of producing this list, all members were earlier called upon, on various platforms to submit updates of their respective CDA/Chapter/Branch and Wing's President/Chairman/Coordinator and their respective Secretary. They were also informed that those inputs will make-up for the list of verified NEC members, which usage immensely helped in the success of the NEC meeting of 7<sup>th</sup> September 2024. This method shall also apply to AGC meetings, hence the present call for List of Nominees to the forthcoming and future AGC meetings, in compliance with section 11.1(i) (a-j) of the SOKAPU Constitution, as currently made by the President through the PRO, to all CDAs, Chapters, Branches, Wings, Committees and Development Commission. We already have names of Verified substantive Presidents, Chairmen and Secretaries: Coordinators and Secretaries.

To this end, all we need now are names of three (3) Nominees from each Arm/Organ of the Union, the names should bear along full names of their CDAs and local government areas (no use of abbreviations or acronyms) to satisfy the requirements of Section 11.1(i) (a-j) of the SOKAPU Constitution.

It is these lists that we shall respectively use to admit all NEC or AGC members henceforth in subsequent NEC or AGC meetings, under \*very strict supervision\*: it is from that list that members would have to identify themselves with proof of their respective Identity Cards (which we earlier listed). Also, those coming as Representatives, must present letters from whoever NEC or AGC members they are representing.

We shall therefore continue to constitute a Team of the NEC and AGC Secretariat as follows:

- The CEC General Secretary (Supervisor) and one CEC Member (list handler).
- One CDA President (Co-Supervisor).
- Two Security Personnel (Monitors).

Above stated information is for implementation and guidance of all Members and Officiating Personnel.

Engr. Tabara Samuel Kato,

President,

3rd October, 2024.

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### SOUTHERN KADUNA PEOPLE'S UNION (SOKAPU)

**ACTIVITY: SOKAPU NEC MEETING 2023** 

VENUE: EPITOM HOTEL BARNAWA

DATE: 23th SEPTEMBER 2023

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## SOUTHERN KADUNA PEOPLE'S UNION

REV JERRY-I ANDREW

9th October, 2024.

#### NOTICE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC

I, Engr. Tabara Samuel Kato, National President, Southern Kartuna Peoples Union (SOKAPU); do hereby refer to the letter dated 3rd October 2024, titled "RE: NOTICE OF EMERGENCY NEC MEETING" jointly signed by Mr. Bello Bissalla (Vice President II), Rev. Jerry Andrew (General Secretary), Billy Cosmas (Financial Secretary), Mr. Emmanuel Audu Kalla (Asst. Treasurer), Mrs. Jemutu A. Katarma (Asst. Financial Secretary), Dr. Barr. Ishaya T. Damina (Legal Adviser), Comrd Esther Timothy Cookey (Organising Secretary), Barr. L.G. Waziri (Asst. Legal Adviser) and Evang. David Jinang (Asst. Organising Secretary); and wish to state as follows:

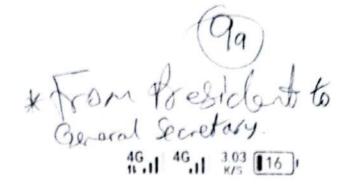
- 1. That I refer to the last paragraph of the letter under reference which states that, "We also use this medium to inform the general public to step henoring any request for financial assistance from the SOKAPU President in the name of acquisition of property for SOKAPU Secretariat or any SOKAPU Project for now, as there is a committee in place that has been constituted by the CEC for that purpose but for obscure reasons, the President has deliberately refused to allow the said committee to function, rather, he has constituted himself as a parallel fundraising committee and has been going round alone collecting funds from people and organizations without accounting same to the CEC. Therefore, anybody who donates money to the President for SOKAPU does so at his own peril."
- That I hereby declare that no member of the public or organization has donated even one kobo in my own private account or cash given to me as a person. All donations so far made had been to SOKAPU's Bankers, the Polaris Bank account. Since our inception as the current CEC, we operate a system of checks and balance, which the Financial Secretary, Assistant Financial Secretary, Treasurer and SOKAPU's Auditor can attest to. In the NEC meeting of 07/09/24 we gave our financial report that was not faulted by anybody. I hereby challenge anybody on that report.
- 3. That I hereby declare unequivocally that if there is any person or organization that has given me money in the name of property acquisition for SOKAPU Secretariat, the person or organization should please declare the amount publicly, and I am ready to refund such money back to the Donor.

Finally, if after seven (7) days (i.e. 9th to 16th October 2024) nobody comes forward as demanded in item no.3 above, I shall react appropriately against the group of nine (9) persons mentioned above.

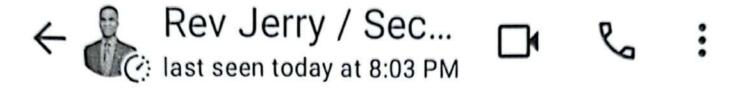
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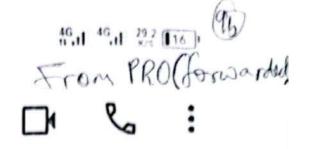


September 25, 2024

General Secretary
Please notify all NEC Members
immediately of an Emergency
ÑEC meeting to discuss Urgent
Matter of Exclusive Knowledge
and Attention at Kaduna.
Date: 5th October, 2024.
Venue to be known in due
cause.
Thanks.







Forwarded

\*Altered version of the Notice

### NOTICE OF NEC MEETING

Agape love to all esteemed members of this great house, trust we all are doing pretty good.

I've been directed to notify and invite you to a National Executive Committee meeting scheduled as follows:

Date: 07/09/2024

Venue: To be announced soon

Time: 10:00 am

Looking forward to that great assembly.

Long Live SOKAPU!

**General Secretary** 

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Agape love to all esteemed members of this great house, trust we all are doing pretty good.

I've been directed to notify and invite you to an Emergency Meeting of the National Executive Committee meeting scheduled as follows:

Date: 05/10/2024 NOT 07/09/2024

Venue: To be announced soon

Time: 10:00 am

Looking forward to that great assembly.

Long Live SOKAPU!

**General Secretary** 

The previous error is seriously regretted.
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#### Constitution of the Southern Kaduna Peoples' Union 2009

#### 12.3. THE GENERAL SECRETARY

The General Secretary shall:-

- [I] Summon all AGC, NEC and CEC meetings of the Union on the directive of the President.
- [ii] Be responsible for recording the minutes of all AGC, NEC and CEC meetings.
- [iii] Be a signatory to all banking documents and other financial records of the Union.
- [iv] Prepare and circulate circulars, letters and other correspondence of the Union.
- [v] Keep a register of members of the Union and an up-to-date list of all Member Associations of the Union.
- [vi] Be responsible for the safekeeping of all documents of the Union relating to his/her office.
- [viii] Perform all other lawful duties as may be assigned to that Office by this Constitution, and as may be assigned by the AGC, NEC, CEC, or the President.

#### 12.4 THE ASSISTANT GENERAL SECRETARY

#### 27. MEETINGS

- The President of the Union shall preside over meetings of the AGC, NEC and CEC and in his absence any of the Vice-Presidents in their order of ranking. In the absence of any of the said presiding officers, the meeting shall nominate any member to preside.
- [ii] The General Secretary shall invite Member Associations to forward items for consideration for inclusion in the Agenda of the AGC. Any Member of the Union may submit items for inclusion on the Agenda of the AGC. Such items shall be forwarded to the General Secretary of the Union at least 2 weeks before the AGC.
- Any matter that is not included in the Agenda of the AGC shall not be raised at the meeting except with the express approval of 2/3 majority of delegates present.
- [iv] To enhance the business of the AGC, Congress shall have the power to set up Committees for detailed examination or investigation of any issue raised. Such Committee shall report back to the AGC in Session, or to the NEC as may be directed by the AGC.
- [v] Subject to the provisions of this Constitution, the General Secretary shall summon the AGC, NEC, CEC and other meetings of the Union as may be directed by the NEC or the President, unless the date and place of such a meeting shall have been fixed at a previous meeting of the Union.
- [vi] The General Secretary shall give not less than one month's notice in the case of the AGC and not less than 7 days' notice of all other meetings except where in the event of urgency such notice may be dispensed with.

- Minutes of all the meetings of the Union and its Committees shall be kept in a Minute Book/File and shall be signed by the President and the General Secretary of the Union or the Chairman and Secretary of the Branch, Chapters or Committee, or Coordinators of Wings or Wards as the case may be, after they must have been read and adopted at a subsequent meeting. Where, however, a Committee sits only once the minutes shall be prepared and signed accordingly.
- [viii] In the case of the AGC, the quorum shall include one-third of Member Associations. Except otherwise specified, one third of the members of the NEC, CEC, Branch, Chapter Wing or Ward of the Union or of a Committee shall form a quorum for its meetings.
- Notwithstanding the provisions of this Constitution, members present may fix another meeting of the NEC, CEC, BEC, WEC, WDEC or Committee where no good cause is shown for the absence of the said presiding officers. At the next such scheduled meeting, where the Presiding Officers are still absent, the Members attending shall notify the BOT; in the case of Branches/Chapter/Wing notify the General Secretary of the failure of the Presiding Officers concerned, and the General Secretary shall proceed to address the situation in accordance with the provisions of this Constitution.
- [x] Where BEC, CHEC or WEC of the Union fails to convene General Meetings for no just cause, the NEC shall within six months of the time such a meeting should have been held, dissolve the Executive Committee and organize elections.
- [xi] Where a WDEC or WEC at the Branch/chapter level fails to convene its General Meetings for no just cause, the BEC or CHEC as the case may be, shall inform the NEC, which shall within six months of the time such a meeting should have held, mandate the BEC or CHEC as the case may be, to dissolve the WDEC/WEC and organize elections.
- [xii] At meetings of the AGC, delegates and participants shall be accredited in accordance with membership conditions, rights and obligations prescribed in this constitution.
- 28. FUNDS AND FINANCES



# SOUTHERN KADUNA PEOPLE'S UNION

CHED SAMULI TABARA

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Thursday 3rd October 2024

#### RE: NOTICE OF EMERGENCY NEC MEETING

The SOKAPU Central Executive Committee (CEC) members are appalled to see a notice currently in circulation on social media calling for an Emergency NEC Meeting scheduled to hold on Saturday, 5th October, 2024 at a yet to be disclosed venue and with no agenda attached.

Our surprise stems from the fact that neither the said purported proposed Emergency Meeting nor its import has ever been discussed at the CEC level let alone approved by the said CEC in line the clear and sacred provisions of the SOKAPU Constitution.

The shocked members of the CEC have made all efforts to make the SOKAPU President Engr. Tabara S. K. to disclose the proposed agenda for discussion, but such efforts have rather resulted in a still birth.

The CEC has been left with no option than to conclude that the President has dangerous ulterior motives behind the calling of the said meeting which may be inimical to the progress of the Union.

Moreover, the President alone is not clothed with the requisite constitutional powers whatsoever to unilaterally summon a NEC meeting for whatever reasons without due consultations and/or approval of the CEC. This new style of running SOKAPU affairs by the President alone is rather strange and alien to the Union's constitution and long-established custom and practice of the union and must be curbed as a matter of urgency.

The President for probable security reasons may decide to keep the venue and agenda of any meeting secret to the public but this must have been discussed and agreed by the CEC to that effect.

Therefore, the said proposed NEC Meeting has no constitutional backing hence, unlawful and therefore any resolution passed at the said unlawful Emergency Meeting would be null and void ab initio.

Based on the foregoing, we the undersigned CEC members distant ourselves from the said notice as it is at the behest and personal interest of Tabara as a person and not emanating from the CEC.

We are constrained to pass this notice in order to save the ever-faithful NEC members from wasting their time and resources to attend such an unconstitutional meeting at this critical time when cost of transportation has skyrocketed above ordinary levels.

We also use this medium to inform the general public to stop honoring any request for financial assistance from the SOKAPU President in the name of acquisition of property for SOKAPU Secretariat or any other SOKAPU project for now, as there is a committee in place that has been constituted by the CEC for that purpose but for obscure reasons, the President has deliberately refused to allow the said committee to function, rather, he has constituted himself as a parallel fundraising committee and has been going round alone collecting funds from people and organizations without accounting same to the CEC. Therefore, anybody who donates money to the President for SOKAPU does so at his own peril.

#### Signed:

1. Mr. Bello Bissalla	<b>=</b> 33	Vice President II	(B)
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