



**Ochieng v Republic (Criminal Application E118 of 2024)
[2024] KEHC 10197 (KLR) (15 August 2024) (Ruling)**

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**REPUBLIC OF KENYA
IN THE HIGH COURT AT KISUMU
CRIMINAL APPLICATION E118 OF 2024
RE ABURILI, J
AUGUST 15, 2024**

BETWEEN

KENNEDY OTIENO OCHIENG APPLICANT

AND

REPUBLIC RESPONDENT

RULING

1. The applicant is a convict of the offence of defilement under section 8(4) of the [Sexual Offences Act](#). He was sentenced to serve fifteen years in prison.
2. He appealed *vide* HCRA 62 of 2019 which appeal was dismissed.
3. He now seeks that the sentence be reduced to probation because he has served sufficient term.
4. I find no merit in the application dated 13/6/2024 and the same is hereby dismissed.
5. Signal to issue.
6. This file is closed.

DATED, SIGNED AND DELIVERED AT KISUMU THIS 15TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2024

**R.E. ABURILI
JUDGE**

