



**Directorate of Criminal Investigations (Dagoretti) v Simiyu (Miscellaneous Criminal Application E217 of 2024) [2025] KEHC 162 (KLR) (20 January 2025) (Ruling)**

Neutral citation: [2025] KEHC 162 (KLR)

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA  
IN THE HIGH COURT AT KIBERA  
MISCELLANEOUS CRIMINAL APPLICATION E217 OF 2024**

**DR KAVEDZA, J  
JANUARY 20, 2025**

**BETWEEN**

**DIRECTORATE OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS  
(DAGORETTI) ..... APPLICANT**

**AND**

**HELLEN SIMIYU ..... RESPONDENT**

**RULING**

1. The applicant filed an undated notice of motion on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2024 seeking orders to detain the respondent for 21 days pending the conclusion of investigations. Directions were issued and the matter was set down for hearing on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
2. On 20<sup>th</sup> January 2025, neither their applicant nor the prosecution counsel was present to prosecute their application.
3. The application is consequently dismissed for want of prosecution.

Order accordingly.

**RULING DATED AND DELIVERED VIRTUALLY THIS 20<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JANUARY 2025**

**D. KAVEDZA**

**JUDGE**

