



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**IN THE ENVIRONMENT AND LAND COURT**

**AT ISIOLO**

**PETITION. E003 OF 2021**

TACHE BONSA GOLLO.....1<sup>ST</sup> PETITIONER  
PATRICK HALAKE JALDESA.....2<sup>ND</sup> PETITIONER  
ABDULRAZAQ HAJI ADAN.....3<sup>RD</sup> PETITIONER  
ADAN HAPPI FALANA.....4<sup>TH</sup> PETITIONER

**VERSUS**

THE CABINET SEC. MIN. OF DEFENCE.....1<sup>ST</sup> RESPONDENT  
CHIEF OF DEFENCE FORCES.....2<sup>ND</sup> RESPONDENT  
COMMANDER OF ARMY.....3<sup>RD</sup> RESPONDENT  
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.....4<sup>TH</sup> RESPONDENT  
CABINET SEC. FOR LANDS &  
PHYSICAL PLANNING.....5<sup>TH</sup> RESPONDENT  
NATIONAL LAND COMMISSION.....6<sup>TH</sup> DEFENDANT  
MERU COUNTY GOVERNMENT.....7<sup>TH</sup> RESPONDENT

**RULING**

1. This is one more unfortunate incident when some of the parties did not come to court despite knowledge that this matter had been listed for directions today. As the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> respondents are key players in this suit, I find it necessary to direct that they properly be served with the orders issued by the court today.

2. The following orders are issued:

1. The petitioners are granted 30 days to file and exchange written submissions concerning the petition.
2. Filing of submissions to be both in hard and soft copies and to be in word format font 12.

3. The petitioners' advocate is directed to serve upon the absent respondents or their advocates with the orders issued by the court today within 14 days of today.

4. With concurrence of all advocates present, DIRECTIONS on 28/2/2022.

Written and delivered in open court at Isiolo this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021 in the presence of:

Court Assistant: Denge

Odhiambo for the petitioners

Ken Muriuki for the 7<sup>th</sup> respondent

Turorey for the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> respondents.

**HON. JUSTICE P. M. NJORGE**

**ELC, JUDGE, ISIOLO**