



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**  
**IN THE HIGH OF KENYA AT KERICHO**  
**CRIMINAL CASE NO.27 OF 2014**

**REPUBLIC.....PROSECUTION**

**VERSUS**

**PHILEMON BORE.....ACCUSED**

**RULING ON SENTENCE**

- The accused was convicted of the offence of manslaughter after plea bargaining.
- The deceased was the accused's wife. They have four children, who are living with their grandparents.
- What happened between the accused and his wife (the deceased) is so unfortunate.
- The social inquiry report is not favourable to the accused who appears to have tendencies of violence towards his family members. He needs to manage these uncalled for outbursts.
- I have carefully considered the period he has been in custody (1 year plus six months) together with the contents of the social inquiry report. I have come to the conclusion that the most suitable sentence would be six (6) years to be served as follows:

**The first three (3) years to be served in prison.**

**The next three (3) years on probation.**

- Conditions explained.

Delivered, Signed and Dated at Kericho this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016.

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**H. I. ONG'UDI**

**JUDGE**

In the presence of: M/s Keli for State, accused person and Cheruyoit/Hillary as court assistants.

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**H. I. ONG'UDI**

**JUDGE**