



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THE JUDICIARY

IN THE CHIEF MAGISTRATE'S COURT AT NAKURU

CRIMINAL CASE NUMBER E303 OF 2026

[A. P. NDEGE; SPM]

REPUBLIC-----DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC
PROSECUTIONS

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FRANCIS NJOROGE-----ACCUSED

RULING ON SENTENCE

1. The accused person herein, **FRANCIS NJOROGE**, has been convicted upon own plea of the offence of Threatening to Kill contrary to Section 223(1) of the Penal Code. He has admitted that on 06/02/2026 at Tabuga village of Githioro area in Nakuru North sub-County within Nakuru County, while armed with a knife, without lawful excuses, he threatened to kill **MARY NJERI** by uttering words '*mtu lazima akufe leo*',

2. The pre-sentence report presented herein and dated 25/02/2026 indicates that the accused has a previous conviction. It concludes that the accused may not be suitable for non-custodial rehabilitation services offered by the Probation officers. The same was brought to the attention of the accused, who had no comment. I have taken note of the report findings and recommendation, and further, the fact that the accused has a previous conviction, and do hereby sentence hm to serve **3-year imprisonment**.

14 days Right of Appeal, explained

DATED, SIGNED AND DELIVERED AT NAKURU IN OPEN COURT THIS ___03RD

_____ DAY OF _MARCH_, 2026

ALOYCE-PETER-NDEGE

SENIOR PRINCIPAL MAGISTRATE

In the presence of;

Court interpreter: Wanyoike

Prosecution counsel: Macharia

Accused: Present

Victim: Absent