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**Republic v Andebe (Criminal Case E018 of 2023)  
[2025] KEHC 9068 (KLR) (26 June 2025) (Ruling)**

Neutral citation: [2025] KEHC 9068 (KLR)

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA  
IN THE HIGH COURT AT VIHIGA  
CRIMINAL CASE E018 OF 2023**

**JN KAMAU, J**

**JUNE 26, 2025**

**BETWEEN**

**REPUBLIC ..... PROSECUTOR**

**AND**

**SAMSON OBBAYI ANDEBE ..... ACCUSED**

**RULING**

1. On 20<sup>th</sup> May 2025, the Prosecution closed its case after calling a total of five (5) Prosecution witnesses.
2. Both the Accused person and the Prosecution did not file Written Submissions on the question of whether or not the Accused person had a case to answer. They both relied on the evidence on record.
3. Having carefully considered the evidence by the Prosecution witnesses, the court was of the opinion that a *prima facie* case had been established against the Accused person herein to warrant him being put on his defence. He is hereby put on his defence.
4. It is so ordered.

**DATED AND DELIVERED AT VIHIGA THIS 26<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JUNE 2025**

**J. KAMAU**

**JUDGE**

