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NOTICE

(Pursuant to Rule 25 of the National Assembly Elections (Election Petition) Rules)

NOTICE is given that the above petitioner did on the 12th day of February, 2009 lodge at the office of the Registrar of the High Court an application for leave to withdraw the petition, of which application the following is a copy:

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(Cap. 66)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KENYA AT NAIROBI

ELECTION PETITION NO. 14 OF 2008

IN THE MATTER OF ELECTION FOR KAJIADO NORTH CONSTITUENCY

MOSES SOMOINE OLE SAKUDA—(Petitioner)

VERSUS

GEORGE SAITOTI—(First Respondent)
ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF KENYA—(Second Respondent)
GEORGE MORARA OKENYE—(Third Respondent)

THE PETITION OF MOSES SOMOINE OLE SAKUDA PRESENTED ON THE 21ST JANUARY, 2008.

NOTICE OF MOTION

(Pursuant to Rules 23, 24, 25 and 27 of the National Assembly Elections (Election Petition) Rules)

TAKE NOTICE that the Petitioner shall move the Election Court on such date and time as may be appointed by the Election Court for issuance of Orders—

- 1. That the Petitioner be granted leave to withdraw his Petition.
- That the Election Court do issue any other or further orders as it may deem just and expedient.

Upon the following grounds:

- (a) Upon detailed reflection the petitioner does not wish to proceed with the petition.
- (b) The hearing of the petition may revive partisan politics in the constituency which shall be detrimental to the development of the constituency.
- (c) The subsistence of this petition is causing conflicts and disagreements among the constituents which are affecting the making and or implementation of various policy decisions in the constituency such as the creation of a new district, the Nairobi Metropolitan demarcation and other crucial matters of common interest and or benefit to the community to the detriment of the voters.
- (d) The petitioner intends to revert to his missionary and evangelical works which involve travelling to and staying out of the country, particularly the U.S.A. which works he cannot effectively undertake alongside the preparation for and the hearing of this petition.
- (e) The withdrawal of the petition shall bring reconciliation, harmony and peaceful co-existence among the voters in the entire constituency.
- (f) Further and or other grounds to be canvassed at the hearing of this application.

Dated the 12th February, 2009.

MOSES SOMOINE OLE SAKUDA,

Petitioner.

This Notice of Motion was taken out

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And take notice that under the National Assembly Elections (Election Petition) rules any person who might have been a petitioner in respect of the said election may, within seven days after the date of publication of this notice, give notice in writing to the Registrar of the High Court of his intention on the hearing of the application to be substituted as a petitioner.

Dated the 12th February, 2009.

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{MOSES SOMOINE OLE SAKUDA,} \\ \text{\textit{Petitioner.}} \end{array}$