S.I. 3 of 1980

TRIBUNALS OF INQUIRY DECREE 1966 (1966 No. 41)

Instrument Constituting the Tribunal of Inquiry into the Nationality of Alhaji Shugaba Abdurrahman Darman.

Under the powers conferred upon me by section 1 of the Tribunals of Inquiry Decree 1966, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I, Shehu Usman Aliyu Shagari, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces of the Federation, hereby constitute and appoint a Tribunal of Inquiry to be called "The Tribunal of Inquiry into the Nationality of Alhaji Shugaba Abdurrahman Darman" upon the terms of reference hereinafter appearing:

AND for the purpose I appoint-

MR JUSTICE Patrick Chukwuma Akpamgbo

to be the sole member of the Tribunal with full powers and authority to hold public hearing, but without prejudice to the exercise of the powers conferred under the proviso to section 1(2)(d) of the said Decree:

AND I appoint Mr J. O. Uwasomba to be Secretary to the Tribunal:

AND I direct that the Tribunal shall hold its first meeting as soon as the sole member may deem expedient, and the Tribunal shall thereafter hold the said Inquiry at Maiduguri or at such place or places and upon such dates as the Tribunal may determine.

Terms of Reference

The Tribunal shall with all convenient speed determine the issue of the Nationality of Alhaji Shugaba Abdurrahman Darman who was recently deported from Nigeria.

AND I hereby require the Tribunal to present its Report to me not later than three weeks from the date of its first sitting.

GIVEN AND ISSUED under my hand at Lagos this 8th day of February 1980.

Alhaji Shehu Shagari, President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria