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# RE: THE STATE VS. ALH. YAHYA A.J.J. JAMMEH HC/168/17/MF/056/F1 (SALES OF LIVESTOCK)

Pursuant to an order of court in the above matter, the office of the sheriff with the assistance of The Attorney Generals' Chambers and State Intelligence Service (SIS) as well as the respective farm managers (military officers) conducted sales of livestock at Kanilai, Farato and Banjulinding farms. Please find attached herewith the report of the sales aforesaid.

The sales were delayed partly due to the fact the cattle are scattered particularly at Kanilai where the cattle were left to graze and often became difficult for the herdsmen to gather to facilitate sale as envisaged. Thus the sales were conducted at various intervals. Another factor for the delay is the fact that the herdsmen in charge of the cattle were not remunerated as they have not received salary or allowances and they remained unpaid for several months preceding the sales.

The team was reliably informed that some cattle went for grazing and were not accounted for as they are not gathered to facilitate sale of same. To date the sale of all the livestock/cattle could not be completed and hence the delay in the submission of this report. This report therefore only covers sale of the livestock that were available for



the sale. The sale/auction commenced on the 9<sup>th</sup> January, 2018 and the last sale/auction was on the 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2018.

### Summary

In summary, a total of 725 cattle were sold at various farms as shown below;

#### 1. KANILAI FARMS

At Kanilai, a total of 625 cattle were sold.

#### 2. FARATO FARMS

At Farato, a total of 67 cattle were sold.

## 3. BANJULINDING FARMS

At Banjulinding a total of 32 cattle as a single herd.

A total sum of D8, 302, 000 (Eight Million, Three Hundred and Two Thousand Dalasis) derived from the sale/auction was deposited at a Trust Bank Interest bearing account as proceeds of The sale/auction as ordered by The court.

The bank statement evidencing the deposits of the sales proceeds is herewith attached.

Sheriff B. Tabally (Sheriff of The Gambia)

