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**PRESS RELEASE**

**ACC INDICTS ALIMAMY KAMARA, FORMER MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS,  
ON CORRUPTION OFFENCES**

The Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC) has, on 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2021, filed an indictment against **ALIMAMY KAMARA**, on **Nine (9) Counts** of Failure to Declare Assets, Income and Liabilities contrary to Section 122 (a) of the Anti-Corruption Act, No. 12 of 2008 as amended by the Anti-Corruption (Amendment) Act No. 9 of 2019, while he was **Member of Parliament, Minister of Youth Affairs and Sierra Leone's Ambassador to the Islamic Republic of Iran respectively between 2008 and 2018.**

This matter against **ALIMAMY KAMARA**, who is also a resident of No. 7 Rahim Drive, Magbema, Makeni, is one of the referral cases made to the ACC by the Commissions of Inquiry set up to investigate the Administration in governance between 2007 and 2018.

According to the particulars of offence, **ALIMAMY KAMARA**, whilst serving as **Member of Parliament, Minister of Youth Affairs and Sierra Leone's Ambassador to the Islamic Republic of Iran respectively, failed to declare** his assets, income and liabilities with the ACC as required of every public officer. When asked by the ACC as to the reasons for this failure, he refused to explain claiming that he has been advised by his lawyers not to make any statements.

**ALIMAMY KAMARA** is expected to make his first appearance in the High Court of Sierra Leone Holden at Freetown on 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2021.

The Commission wishes to reassure the general public of its firm resolve to curbing corruption at all levels in Sierra Leone.

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