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PRESS RELEASE

SOLWEZI WATER AND SEWERAGE MD, DIRECTOR ENGINEERING ARRESTED

The Anti-Corruption Commission has arrested the North Wester Water Supply and Sanitation Managing Director Happy Musumali and Director of Engineering Chanda Mulenga for corrupt practices.

Musumali, 47, of House No. 6, Water Village in Solwezi has been arrested and charged with twelve counts of abuse of authority office contrary to section 21(1)(a) of the Anti-Corruption Act No. 3 of 2012. Musumali has also been charged with four counts of Willful failure to follow guidelines contrary to section 34 of the Anti-Corruption Act No. 3 of 2012.

Mr. Chanda Mulenga, 51, of T5, Kariba Road in Kansenshi, Ndola has been arrested and charged with one count of Willful failure to comply with procedure in management of a contract contrary to Section 34(2)(b) of the Anti-Corruption Commission Act No. 3 of 2012 and two counts of Obtaining Money by False Pretenses contrary to Section 309 (a) of the Penal Code Chapter 87 of the Laws of Zambia.

The suspects have been remanded in custody and are expected to appear in court soon.

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