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ACC ARRESTS LOCAL COURT MESSENGER

The Anti-corruption Commission in Mansa has arrested and charged a Court Messenger for corrupt practices involving K1,000.00.

Albert Kashimbaya, a Court Messenger, aged 58 of Sumbu Village in Mansa District has been charged with one count of corrupt practices contrary to section 19 sub section (1) of the Anti-Corruption Act number 3 of 2012 of the laws of Zambia.

Details are that on unknown dates but between 15th November 2021 and 29th November 2021, Albert Kashimbaya as a Court Messenger at Mansa Local Court jointly and whilst acting together with others unknown did corruptly solicit for K1,500.00 and actually received K1,000.00 cash gratification from Lawrence Chilindi a retiree of the Judiciary of Zambia as an inducement or reward for purporting to facilitate for the quick processing of his retirement benefits, a matter or transaction involving the Judiciary of Zambia, a public body.

The arrest follows a surveillance operation that was conducted.

The suspect has been released on Bond and will appear in court soon.

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