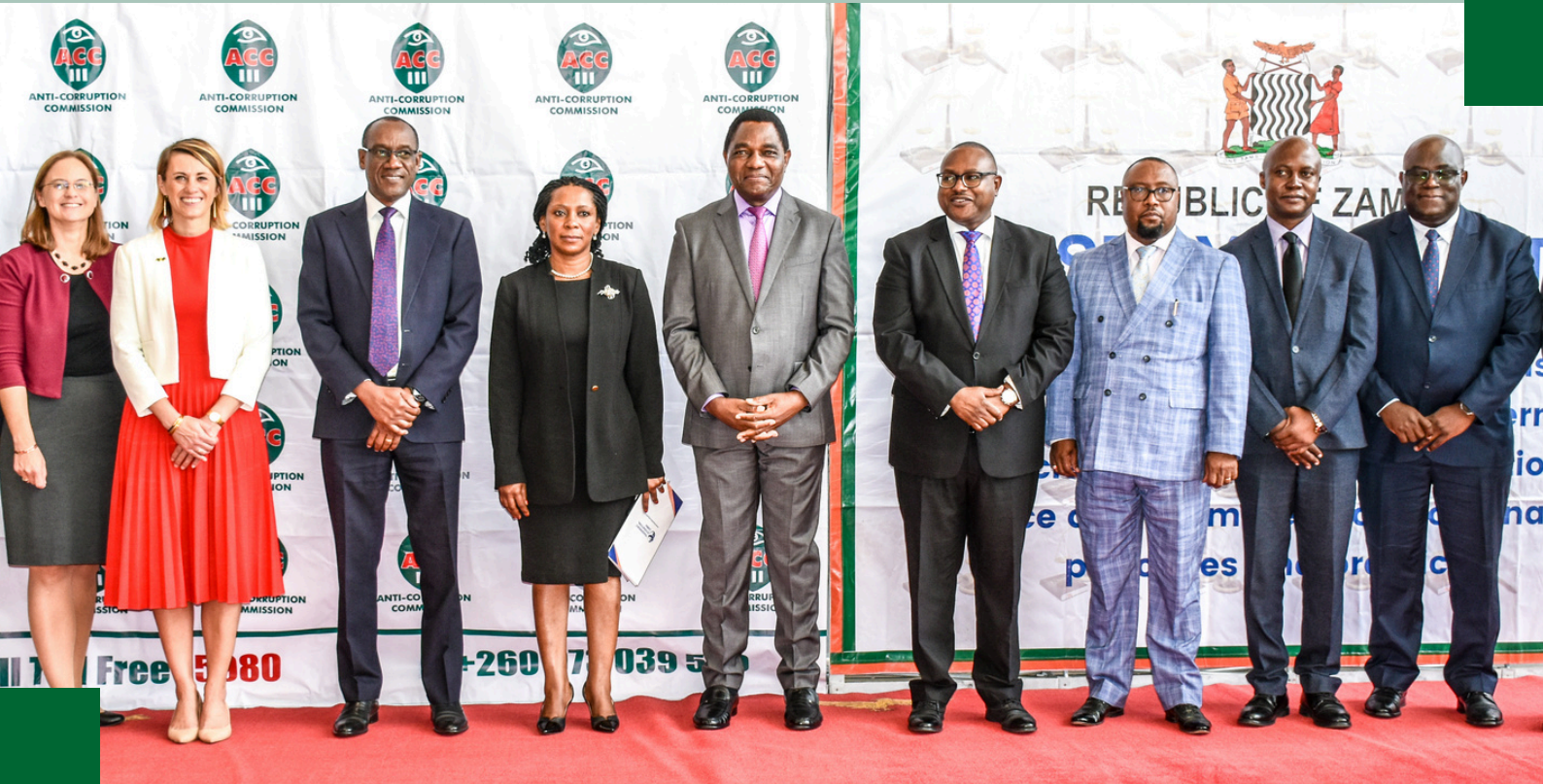




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**PRESIDENT HICHILEMA STRESSES  
THE NEED FOR PROSECUTION  
AND ASSET RECOVERY IN  
ANTI-CORRUPTION FIGHT**

# MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR GENERAL

Dear Readers,

Welcome to the first edition of our Online newsletter for the year 2024. It is always a pleasure for me to share a few words with you during our various editions, and this being the first edition in this year, allow me to share with you a few words on the focus of the Anti-Corruption Commission's work for the year 2024 and beyond.

As you may be aware, the Commission recently launched a new Strategic Plan (2022- 2026 Strategic plan) that will define the focus and operations of the Commission up until 2026. The Commission envisions "A credible anti-corruption institution for a corruption free society." The Plan is, therefore, a framework through which the Commission will realize this vision.

The Plan points out the specific results that are to be achieved during the implementation period and also lays out a clear course of action for achieving them. The key strategies under the 2022-2026 Strategic Plan include reviewing and strengthening corruption related legislation; reviewing and strengthening the Commission's institutional capacity; developing and implementing interventions for mainstreaming anti-corruption in the routine business of public and private bodies; developing and implementing programmes in collaboration with both public and private bodies to prevent corruption, among others.

The Commission is also pleased to note that for the very first time in a decade, Zambia has improved its Corruption Perception Index score from 33/100 in 2022 to 37/100 in 2023 and consequently improving the rank by 18 points from the rank of 116/180 countries in 2022 to 98/180 countries in 2023. This is a landmark achievement in our quest to have a corruption free Zambia.

The release of the CPI serves as a reminder of the critical importance of our work and the impact it has on the lives of millions around the world. Let us use this moment as an opportunity to recommit ourselves to the cause of combating corruption and building a more just and equitable society for all.

In our ongoing efforts to combat corruption, it is imperative that we remain vigilant and proactive. We must continue to strengthen our investigative capabilities, enhance collaboration with stakeholders, and implement robust preventive measures to mitigate the risk of corruption. Furthermore, we must strive to foster a culture of integrity and ethical conduct, both within our organization and throughout the broader community.

*Enjoy reading this newsletter and God bless you.*



**Mrs. Monica Chipanta Mwansa**

ACTING DIRECTOR-GENERAL



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# PRESIDENT HICHILEMA STRESSES THE NEED FOR PROSECUTION AND ASSET RECOVERY IN ANTI-CORRUPTION FIGHT

BY MWAPE BWALYA



President Hakainde Hichilema addresses dignitaries and participants at the launch of the National Policy on Anti-Corruption.

President Hakainde Hichilema has emphasized the necessity of combining prosecution with asset recovery in the ongoing fight against corruption in Zambia.

Speaking at the launch of the National Policy on Anti-Corruption (NPAC) at the Mulungushi International Conference Centre in Lusaka, President Hichilema underscored his administration's unwavering commitment to tackling corruption to ensure that the nation's resources benefit all citizens.

During his address, President Hichilema called on the judiciary to impose appropriate and stringent sentences on those found guilty of corruption.

He said a balanced approach is needed and highlighted the importance of legal measures such as fast-track courts, asset recovery, and forfeiture laws are employed to reclaim embezzled resources to deter future misconduct.

"The fight against corruption requires a clear, succinct, and holistic policy to strategically curb this negative vice. We must ensure that those who steal from the public face the full consequences of their actions. Corruption is akin to theft, and we must all be involved in stamping it out. Misunderstandings arise when minor thefts receive harsher sentences than those stealing millions from the government," he said.

The President reassured the public that the government is not relaxing in its anti-corruption efforts, addressing concerns on social and mainstream media about the perceived leniency.



President Hakainde Hichilema Cuts ribbons wrapped on the National Policy on Anti-Corruption do officially launch the policy.

"We are fighting past, present, and future corruption. Those arrested and convicted must understand that they committed these crimes individually and should not cry victim of political persecution," he said.



H.E President Hakainde Hichilema poses for group photo with ACC Director General Mr Shamakamba and Minister of Justice, Hon. Haimbe, S.C together with cooperating partners including British High Commissioner and TIZ Zambia Chapter Chairperson after the launch of the National Policy On Anti-Corruption (NPAC)

He said the policy is expected to bolster the financial, human resource, and technical capacities of anti-corruption authorities, ensuring a robust and coordinated approach to eliminating corruption.

“Let us join hands and fight corruption, regardless of who is involved. The corrupt often seek sympathy by portraying themselves as victims, but we must remain firm and deal with these matters decisively.”  
 “Society will develop when we respect rightful ownership and support legal businesses,” President Hichilema concluded.

And Justice Minister Hon. Mulambo Haimbe echoed the President’s sentiments, stating that the NPAC’s launch is a clear demonstration of the government’s dedication to eradicating corruption. He noted that the policy aims to reinforce the capabilities of the authorities involved in the fight against corruption, ensuring coordinated implementation of comprehensive policy reforms.

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Also speaking at the same event, Transparency International Zambia Chapter President Priscilla Chansa applauded Governments efforts in the fight against corruption as shown in the 2023 Corruption Perception Index CPI were the country recorded an improvement of 4 basis points.

“There have been some important steps taken by the Government which we believe will help to enhance the anti-corruption fight. These are the increased budgetary support to the ACC, the establishment of the Economic and Financial Crimes Court, and other legislative reforms. All these efforts have been critical as they send a positive message to law enforcement agencies that they have Government’s support in fighting corruption. In addition to this, the 2023 Corruption Perceptions Index released by Transparency International at the start of this year indicates that Zambia has improved its score by four (4) points, which is a clear indication that we are doing something right as a country when it comes to the fight against corruption, although more needs to be done,” she said.

# ZAMBIA SCORES BIG ON THE CORRUPTION PERCEPTION INDEX (CPI) SCORE



Zambia's Corruption Perception Index (CPI) score has improved for the first time in 10 years by four points, from 33 out of 100 in 2022 to 37 out of 100 in 2023, and improved the global ranking by 18 places, from 116 in 2022 to 98 in 2023, signifying a positive trajectory in combating corruption.

Officiating at the CPI report launch recently, Ministry of Justice Permanent Secretary-Administration Mrs. Thandiwe Daka Oteng welcomed the encouraging findings from the 2023CPI, indicating an improvement in Zambia's score and emphasized the government's unwavering stance against the pervasive threat of corruption. "This milestone reflects the government's relentless pursuit of zero-tolerance to corruption, commitment to enhancing good governance and accountability; the fight against corruption remains a crucial policy agenda since the inception of this administration," she said.

Mrs. Oteng highlighted key measures taken by the government, including the launch of "Project Recovery" to retrieve illicitly obtained assets, establishment of the Economic and Financial Crimes Court for swift dispensation of corruption cases, and the enactment of the Access to Information Act No. 24 of 2023 to enhance transparency.

Speaking at the same event, Anti-Corruption Commission Director-General Mr. Thom Trevor Shamakamba expressed delight at Zambia's latest CPI score. He attributed improvement to a series of factors, including Judicial Reforms that saw the establishment of the Economic and Financial Crimes Court, which played a pivotal role in enhancing justice, ensuring that those engaged in corrupt individuals.

Mr. Shamakamba said the Commission was also working with the Judiciary to ensure smooth operationalization of the Criminal Procedure Code to facilitate the completion of corruption and financial crimes cases within five months. Mr. Shamakamba highlighted that the establishment of Integrity Committees was instrumental in implementing integrity mechanisms in workplaces, such as gift policies, whistleblower mechanisms, and service charters.

Mr. Shamakamba reaffirmed the ACC's dedication to investigating and prosecuting corruption cases and called for continued collaboration among government bodies, civil society organizations, the private sector, and citizens to build upon the successes reflected in the improved CPI score.

# ACC LAUNCHES ONLINE ANONYMOUS WHISTLEBLOWER SYSTEM



The Anti-Corruption Commission Zambia launched an Online Anonymous Whistleblower System (OAWS) in a landmark effort to enhance the fight against corruption and protect the confidentiality of whistleblowers in the public sector.

Officiating at the launch, Minister of Justice Hon. Mulambo Haimbe SC,MP stated that the system will guarantee whistleblowers a high level of data security, confidentiality, and real time communication and feedback. "One of the advantages is that the whistleblower has the luxury of using their own gadget in the comfort of their home or office and make a report to ACC on any corrupt practices. The system will generate a secret tracking number for reference and facilitate interaction and follow-up on any progress made on the report." He stated.

ACC Vice Chairperson Mrs. Ireen Lamba emphasized that whistleblowers have often been discouraged from reporting suspected corrupt practices due to fear of victimization. "The system is secure to such an extent that not even an officer from the ACC will be able to know who has reported a matter through the system."

European Union representative Mr. Bodgan Stefanescu highlighted that fighting corruption is a collective responsibility that extends beyond government. "The government plays a crucial role in implementing policies, regulations, and enforcement mechanisms, but the entire society must actively participate in combating corruption." He said.

Meanwhile, Smart Zambia Institute's Ms. Kasili Musenge noted that the digitalization of whistleblowing facilitates the collection and analysis of data, enabling authorities to identify patterns of misconduct and systemic issues more effectively and efficiently compared to existing manual processes.

Copy attached link to report corruption anonymously. <http://whistleblower.acc.gov.zm>



# GOVT LAUNCHES THE INTEGRITY COMMITTEE EVALUATION REPORT

Government, through Cabinet Office and the Anti-Corruption Commission has launched the Report on the Evaluation of the Integrity Committee Programme with a call from the Secretary to Cabinet to institutions to use the findings to strengthen the anti-corruption measures within their institutions.

The Integrity Committee Programme which began in 2006, is one of the key initiatives in the fight against corruption through institutionalizing the fight against graft by streamlining of corruption prevention best practice policies and guidelines such as gift policies, conflict of interest policies, service charters.

Since, 2006 about 200 institutions have institutionalized the fight against corruption by establishing Integrity Committees in their respective organisations, with the majority being public institutions.

Interestingly, the findings in the Evaluation Report of Integrity Committees has shown that the IC programme implementation has been satisfactory against the evaluation criteria of Relevance', 'Coherence', 'Efficiency', 'Sustainability' and 'Impact.

Further, the findings have revealed that individual experiences of corruption when seeking public services in various public institutions was low at about 10.3%.

And speaking earlier, Anti-Corruption Commission Deputy Director General Mrs. Monica Chipanta Mwansa assured the Institutions with Integrity Committees of the Commissions commitment to providing technical support in their quest to both establish and operationalize the Committees.



The launch of the Evaluation Report on the performance of Integrity Committees was graced by Secretary to Cabinet Mr. Patrick Kangwa, at Government Complex recently. The event was witnessed by Permanent Secretaries, IC Chairpersons and members and other senior government officials.



# JOINT COMMITTEE AGAINST UNDEREVALUATION OF MINERAL EXPORTS COMMENCES WORK

The Joint Committee against Corruption Smuggling and Undervaluation of Mineral Exports which was constituted last year has commenced its operations.

The Joint Committee which constitutes of Zambia Revenue Authority, Anti-Corruption Commission and Ministry of Mines began by visiting the Ministry of Mines and Mineral Development in February this year to understand the operations of the Ministry.

The following month the Joint Committee visited Nakonde and Chirundu Border posts to familiarize with the operations of the two borders.

The objective of the Joint Committee is to come up with strategies to safeguard the development and management of mineral resources in Zambia.

This was after it was realized that in the management of mineral resources some unnamed officials and clearing agents were allegedly conniving with mineral exporters to smuggle minerals in some neighboring countries.

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ACC Director-General Mr Thom Shamakamba lead the team in Nakonde and Ag. Assistant Director Corruption Prevention Mr Martin Ngulube lead the Chirundu team.

In Nakonde, the team was taken through the process that facilitates the exportation of minerals and the challenges were also highlighted. Meanwhile, the visit in Chirundu started with a courtesy call on the District Commissioner Mr. Patrick Kasambila who urged the committee to find out areas where there are loopholes in minerals exiting the illegally.





## LEADERS OF LAW ENFORCEMENT AND ANTI-CORRUPTION AUTHORITIES WORLD WIDE DISCUSS CHALLENGES AND SOLUTIONS OF COMBATTING HIGH-LEVEL CORRUPTION

### STORY BY: IACC

On June 20th, a high-level meeting of law enforcement and anti-corruption authorities took place in the margins of the 21st International Anti-Corruption Conference (18-21 June 2024, Vilnius, Lithuania), focusing on topic of combatting high-level corruption.



The event, co-chaired by Mr Linas Parnavas, Director of the Special Investigation Service of the Republic of Lithuania and the President of EPAC/EACN network, and Mrs Catherine De Bolle, Executive Director of Europol, drew leaders and senior officials from national and international law enforcement and anti-corruption authorities.

Heads and senior representatives from law enforcement and anti-corruption authorities Argentina, Canada, Estonia, France, Georgia, Hungary, Indonesia, Italy, Kosovo, Jordan, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Poland, Seychelles, South Africa, Ukraine, the United Kingdom, the United States of America,

Zambia, as well as from Interpol, Europol, Eurojust, European Public Prosecutor's Office and EU Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF) focused on these main questions:

- High-level corruption and its impact on current global and regional developments



MRS. MONICA CHIPANTA MWANSA  
ACC DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL

*“Mrs. Mwansa leading a plenary discussion on End Impunity: From Prevention to Enforcement.” The meeting resulted in the adoption of a joint statement, symbolizing the united commitment to combatting high-level corruption and upholding the rule of law, as well as calling all national and international law enforcement and anti-corruption authorities to work together to hold accountable those who engage in corrupt practices at the highest levels of power.*

- Skills, resources and strategies needed to detect well-hidden, sophisticated schemes of high-level corruption and related financial flows
- Challenges in bringing to justice corrupt top-level officials/business and how to address them
- Combining efforts of law enforcement, preventive, administrative authorities, as well as civil society and private sector.

Europol’s Executive Director Catherine De Bolle highlighted that “money laundering, criminal finances and corruption are as pervasive and disruptive for society as they are essential for criminals. The ability to launder illicit proceeds on an industrial scale, to move them through a web of criminal financial brokers, and to corrupt the relevant actors, has become indispensable for modern organised crime. This is not something one police force or country can change by itself; we must

strengthen existing cooperation and partnerships, and develop new approaches.” STT’s Director Linas Parnavas said that “we had an excellent opportunity to touch some of the most pressing issues and share ideas on a global level on the challenges that law enforcement and anti-corruption authorities face when combatting high-level corruption. Among other, we recognised the critical importance of ensuring sufficient independence of investigative, prosecuting and judicial authorities, enhancing skills, allocating resources, and implementing effective strategies to detect well-hidden, sophisticated schemes of high-level corruption and associated financial flows. The insights and ideas, as well as new connections, will assist each of us in our everyday work and bring extra impetus to combat corruption”.





# ACC AND ZANIS TO ENHANCE COLLABORATION



The Anti-Corruption Commission Zambia (ACC) Director General Mr. Thom Trevor Shamakamba, received a courtesy call from Zambia News and Information Services (ZANIS), recently led by the Director Mrs. Loyce Saili aimed at fostering collaboration between the two government institutions in the fight against corruption, through enhanced public sanitization and publicity.

During the meeting, Mrs. Saili called on the Commission to take advantage of ZANIS's newly

established studios and other platforms to amplify and disseminate the ACC's past, present and future achievements in combating corruption. Mrs. Saili pointed out ZANIS's extensive structures at provincial and district levels, as a strength which the Commission should utilize to create content for documentaries and in-depth news.

And the Commission Deputy Director General Mrs. Monica Chipanta Mwansa, expressed enthusiasm about collaborating with ZANIS to enhance the publicity of the Commission's work. She acknowledged that while ACC is primarily known for arrests and prosecutions, there is a significant contribution from its Public Education and Corruption Prevention programmes. Mrs. Mwansa highlighted the Commission's successful advocacy for the inclusion of Anti-corruption content in the school curricular for primary and tertiary education levels, including TEVETA Colleges and currently working with tertiary institutions.

ACC Director General Mr. Shamakamba, assured ZANIS of the Anti-Corruption Commission's full support in the collaborative efforts to combat corruption through increased publicity and awareness.

# ACC SHARPENS CORRUPTION RISK ASSESSMENT SKILLS



In a significant stride towards enhancing anti-corruption measures, the Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC) Deputy Director General, Mrs. Monica Chipanta Mwansa, addressed participants at the Corruption Risk Assessments (CRAs) training held this morning at Mika Convention Centre.

In her opening remarks, Mrs. Mwansa expressed gratitude to the European Union (Twinning Project) and the Open Society Initiative for Southern Africa (OSISA) for their technical and financial support, respectively, in facilitating the workshop.

Mrs. Mwansa acknowledged the positive participation from ACC regional managers and officers from various regions. "Your role in supervising the officers who conduct CRAs in your regional offices is crucial. This workshop will provide you with the knowledge to identify areas vulnerable to corruption within public and private institutions and develop strategies to mitigate these risks," she said.

The Deputy Director General affirmed Zambia's adherence to Article 9 of the United Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC), which mandates the establishment of effective and efficient risk management and internal control systems to promote transparency and accountability in public finance management.

Furthermore, Mrs. Mwansa highlighted the legal foundation for conducting CRAs in Zambia, referencing the Anti-Corruption Act No. 3 of 2012, specifically section 6(1)(a)(i), which mandates these assessments. "This training workshop, therefore, will equip officers with the requisite skills in conducting CRAs in order to prevent corruption," she said.

The workshop is aimed at enhancing the skills of ACC officers in conducting Corruption Risk Assessments, reinforcing the Commission's mandate to uphold integrity and accountability within public and private institutions.

# ACC COMMENDS PENSIONS AND INSURANCE AUTHORITY ON ANTI-CORRUPTION MEASURES

The Anti- Corruption Commission Zambia Deputy Director, Mrs. Monica Chipanta Mwansa, addressed members of staff at the Pensions and Insurance Authority (PIA), commending their commitment to fostering integrity and transparency by developing best practice documents, including the Conflict of Interest Policy, Whistle-blowers Policy, Gifts and Benefits Policy, and the Asset Declaration Form.

Mrs. Mwansa emphasized the importance of mainstreaming corruption prevention and cited the Integrity Committee Programme, which is embedded in the National Policy on Anti-Corruption, as a crucial measure. Mrs. Mwansa revealed that the ACC has been facilitating the establishment of Integrity Committees in both public and private institutions since 2006, with 195 committees in government entities and two in private sector organizations by the end of 2023.

Functioning Integrity Committees, Mrs. Mwansa noted, have proven to be effective mechanisms for preventing corruption and related malpractices. These committees play a pivotal role in fostering accountability, promoting ethical conduct, educating on ethical issues, ensuring compliance with the law, and enhancing good corporate governance.

In her closing remarks, PIA Registrar and Chief Executive Officer, Mrs. Namakau Mundia Mtine, encouraged members of staff to familiarize themselves with the developed policies and actively participate in creating a culture of accountability. She emphasized the collective responsibility to strengthen the fight against corruption, uphold public trust, and build a more transparent and accountable public service.



# ARRESTS & CONVICTIONS

## Chipata Town Clerk Head Procurement Arrested for Corruption



Chipata City Council Town Clerk Aaron Kamalondo and the Head of Procurement Harriet Kamuchung Mwape have been arrested by the Anti-Corruption Commission and charged for corruption involving over K3.5 million.

Mr. Aaron Kamalondo, 56, of house number 470, Luangwa Drive has been charged with one count of Willful Failure to Comply with Applicable Procedures or Guidelines relating to procurement, contrary to Section 34 (2) (b) as read together with Section 41 of the Anti-Corruption Act No. 3 of 2012 of the Laws of Zambia.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Harriet Kamuchungu Mwape, 54, of plot number 1186, Moth in Chipata, has been charged with two (2) counts of the same offences.

It is alleged that Aaron Kamalondo, being a public officer, namely Town Clerk at Chipata City Council, between 12th May 2022 and 11th August 2022, in Chipata District, willfully failed to follow applicable procedure and guidelines in the manner he cancelled the procurement process relating to the supply of a Grader and a Roller Compactor without following cancellation procedures as provided for under the Public Procurement Act No. 8 of 2020 and the Public Procurement Regulations of 2022.

It is alleged in count one that Harriet Kamuchunga Mwape, being a public officer, namely Head of Procurement at Chipata City Council, between 5th May 2022 and 20th May 2022, in Chipata, willfully failed to follow applicable procedure and guidelines in the manner she issued invitation for bids dated 5th May 2022 without the appropriate bidding documents and before receiving approved purchase requisitions for the Grader and Roller Compactor as provided for under the Public Procurement Act No. 8 of 2020 and the Public Procurement Regulations of 2022.

## ACC Seizes Lusambo's Vehicle

The Anti-Corruption Commission has seized a motor vehicle belonging to former Lusaka Province Minister Bowman Lusambo.

The seizure comes in the wake of investigations that the Commission is conducting against Lusambo, on allegations of possession of property suspected to be proceeds of crime. The motor vehicle seized is an unregistered Range Rover.

Investigations in this matter are ongoing. Lusambo is also currently facing a number of cases in the Courts of Law relating to possession of property suspected to be proceeds of crime.

## Former ZAMPOST Postmaster General McPherson Chanda and two others Convicted

The Economic and Financial Crimes Court has upheld the two-year jail imprisonment imposed on former ZAMPOST Postmaster General McPherson Chanda and two others, sentencing them to two years' imprisonment on 13 counts of theft by a public servant involving over K300,000,000.00 social cash transfer funds

# ARRESTS & CONVICTIONS



## Amos Chanda, wife and sister-in-law jailed for seven months.

Former Presidential Press Aide Amos Chanda has been sentenced to seven months of simple imprisonment for using insulting language and obstructing Anti-Corruption Commission (ACC) officers. Mr. Chanda has been jailed together with his wife, Mable Chanda, and his sister-in-law, Ruth Mulenga, who are his co-accused.

## FORMER CHILANGA TOWN COUNCIL SECRETARY CONVICTED FOR CORRUPTION

The Lusaka Subordinate Court has convicted former Chilanga Town Council Secretary Mumbi Mubanga Chocho for corrupt acquisition of property and sentenced her to 12 months simple imprisonment.

In presiding over the matter, Hon. Sakwanda found that the Prosecution had proved their case beyond all reasonable doubt and convicted the accused person as charged and sentenced her to 12 months simple imprisonment. The sentence is with effect from 27th June 2024. In addition, Magistrate Sakwanda has also entered Statutory Judgement against the convict in the sum of K3,300.00.

Mumbi Mubanga Chocho was in February 2023, arrested by the Anti-Corruption Commission and charged with one (1) count of Corrupt Acquisition of Property contrary to Sections 34(1)(b) and 41 of the Anti-Corruption Act No. 3 of 2012.

It was alleged that Mumbi Mubanga Chocho, on 27th January 2020 in Chilanga, being a Public Officer, namely Council Secretary for Chilanga Town Council, did fraudulently divert to her property in Chalala area for her personal use, 20,060 kilograms of crushed stones valued at K3,300.00, the property of Chilanga Town Council. The stones were intended for maintenance of Chilanga Civic Centre, an act which was prejudicial to the interest of the government of the Republic of Zambia.

The suspect has since been remanded to prison to commence serving the sentence.

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AT BROTHERS IN CHRIST CHURCH PROJECT ARRESTED FOR CORRUPTION

The Anti-Corruption Commission has arrested and charged an Executive Director at Brethren in Christ Church Choma Children Development Project (BICC-CCDP) for corrupt practices involving K35,000.00.

Mwaka Machila Chibinga, 43, of House No. 1 Kachacha in Choma, has been charged with two (2) counts of Corrupt Transactions by Private Persons contrary to Section 20 (1) of the Anti-Corruption Act No. 3 of 2012 of the Laws of Zambia.

It is alleged in count one that Chibinga, on dates between 1st September, 2021 and 30th September, 2021 in Choma, did corruptly receive cash gratification of K24,000.00 as a reward for helping STS Drilling and Exploration Limited win a contract to drill three boreholes on behalf of BICC-CCDP at a contract sum of K180,044.00.

In count two, it is alleged that between the same period and place, Chibinga did corruptly receive an additional K11,000.00 cash as gratification or reward for helping the same STS Drilling and Exploration Limited to win a contract for drilling three boreholes on behalf of BICC-CCDP, matters or transactions involving a private body.

Mr. Mwaka Chibinga has been released on bond and will appear in Court soon.





### VISION

**A proactive, impartial and professional anti-corruption agency that promotes the attainment of a corruption free Zambia**

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**To effectively and impartially prevent and combat corruption in order to promote integrity, transparency and accountability for the attainment of a corruption-free Zambia.**

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