

NCC CONVICTIONS OF THIS PRESENT ADMINISTRATION SINCE 2011

Sentencing:

1. **Fine only:** 18 cases (with N150, 000 being the highest fine imposition)
2. **Imprisonment or the option of fine:** 21 cases (with 2 years being the highest custodial sentence while N250, 000 was imposed as the highest fine option in lieu of 6 months imprisonment).
3. **Imprisonment only or with fine:** 10 cases (ranging from 14 days jail term to 2 years jail term)

Details of the convictions:

| S/N | CHARGE NO. & PARTIES | NATURE OF PIRACY | CONVICTION & SENTENCING | DATE | FEDERAL HIGH COURT DIVISION |
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| 1 | FHC/OS/5C/11: NCC VS BOLANLE ADEMAKINWA | BOOK PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to a penalty fine of N100,000 | 28 th July 2011 | OSOGBO |
| 2 | FHC/L/367C/11: NCC VS PARAGONE NIG. LTD | SOFTWARE PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to a penalty fine of N2,200 | 16 th December 2011 | LAGOS |
| 3 | FHC/L/369C/11: NCC V CHIBUEZE OBI | BOOK PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to a penalty fine of N69,644 | 16 th November 2011. | LAGOS |
| 4 | FHC/L/268C/2009: NCC VS CVL TECHNOLOGIES LTD | SOUND RECORDING & CINEMATOGRAPHY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to a fine of N114,000 | 23 rd January 2012. | LAGOS |
| 5 | FHC/B/99C/11: NCC VS OKORO DAVID | SOUND RECORDING | Convicted and sentenced to 6 | 9 th February | BENIN |

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| | BERNARD | PIRACY | months imprisonment or N8000 fine | 2012 | |
| 6 | FHC/B/101C/11: NCC VS ABEL OGBONNAYA | SOUND RECORDING PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or N6000 fine | 9th February 2012 | BENIN |
| 7 | FHC/B/102C/11: NCC VS ISAAC OBUMS | SOUND RECORDING PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or N7000 fine | 9th February 2012 | BENIN |
| 8 | FHC/ABJ/CR/14/12: NCC VS STANLEY NWANKWO | SALE AND POSSESSION OF PIRATED DVDS/VCDS/CD | Convicted and sentenced to a fine of N50,400 | 27th Feb 2012 | ABUJA |
| 9 | FHC/MKD/CR/50/11: NCC VS MR. NWOYE CHRISTOPHER EKENE | POSSESSION OF PIRATED DVDS/VCDS/CD | Convicted and sentenced to a fine of N50,000 | 27th Feb 2012 | MAKURDI |
| 10 | FHC/MKD/CR/38/11: NCC VS JOSEPH DAOMI | BROADCAST PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 14days imprisonment with N20,000 fine | 27th Feb 2012 | MAKURDI |
| 11 | FHC/KD/8C/12: NCC VS SUNDAY AYODELE | SOUND RECORDING & CINEMATOGRAPH PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or option of fine of N250,000 | 23rd Feb 2012 | KADUNA. |
| 12 | FHC/L/368C/11: NCC VS TEEOMY SYSTEMS NIG LTD | SOFTWARE INFRINGEMENT | Convicted and fined N3200 | 1st March 2012 | LAGOS |
| 13 | FHC/LF/CR/3/12: NCC VS JONAH UGWU | SALE AND POSSESSION OF PIRATED FILMS & SOUND RECORDING | Convicted and sentenced to 2 years imprisonment or N12,000 fine | 6th March 2012 | LAFIA |
| 14 | FHC/LF/CR/4/12: NCC | SALE OF PIRATED | Convicted and | 6th March | LAFIA |

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| | VS NWANOZIE VALENTINE | FILMS & SOUND RECORDING | sentenced to 2 years imprisonment or N20,000 fine | 2012 | |
| 15 | FHC/LF/CR/6/12: NCC VS RAPHEAL M. OLISA | SALE AND POSSESSION OF PIRATED FILMS & SOUND RECORDING | Convicted and sentenced to six months imprisonment or N20,000 fine | 6th March 2012 | LAFIA |
| 16 | FHC/LF/CR/5/12: NCC VS FAMOUS HENRY | SALE AND POSSESSION OF PIRATED FILMS & SOUND RECORDING | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or N15,000 fine | 6th March 2012 | LAFIA |
| 17 | FHC/AB/CR/10/12: NCC VS NWORIE ANAYO | SALE AND POSSESSION OF PIRATED FILMS & SOUND RECORDING | Convicted. Sentenced to 6 months imprisonment and N63,310 fine. | 5th March 2012. | ABUJA |
| 18 | FHC/L/459C/11: NCC VS EBENEZER OGUNDELE | SOFTWARE PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 2 years imprisonment and N200 fine | 8th March 2012 | LAGOS |
| 19 | FHC/ABJ/CR/12/12: NCC V DOMINION KALU | POSSESSION OF INFRINGING MUSICAL AND CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or N20,000 fine | 28th March 2012 | ABUJA |
| 20 | FHC/ABJ/CR/16/12: NCC V OBASI GODWIN | SALE AND POSSESSION OF PIRATED OPTICAL DISCS | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or N20000 fine | 30th May 2012 | ABUJA |
| 21 | FHC/L/460C/11: NCC V GENUSS INVESTMENT LTD | SOFTWARE PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to fine of N11,100 | | LAGOS |
| 22 | FHC/B/26C/12: NCC V STEPHEN IGWE | SALE OF PIRATED SOUND RECORDINGS AND | Convicted and sentenced to 3 months | 20th June 2012 | BENIN |

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| | | VCDS | imprisonment or N18000 option of fine | | |
| 23 | FHC/B/23C/12: NCC V CHUKWU ARISI & ANOR | SALE OF PIRATED SOUND RECORDINGS AND VCDS | Convicted to 3 months imprisonment or N15,000 fine | 22 nd June 2012 | BENIN |
| 24 | FHC/B/60C/12: NCC V OGO ABEL | SOUND RECORDING AND CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS PIRACY | Convicted to 3 months imprisonment or fine N17,000 | 22 nd June 2012 | BENIN |
| 25 | FHC/B/58C/12:NCC V OKEREKE UCHENNA | SOUND RECORDING AND CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS PIRACY | Convicted to 6 months imprisonment without option of fine | 26 th June 2012 | BENIN |
| 26 | FHC/B/61C/12: NCC V NDIDI AGWU | SOUND RECORDING AND CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS PIRACY | Convicted to 10 months imprisonment without option of fine | 26 th June 2012 | BENIN |
| 27 | FHC/B/59C/12: NCC V ANOKE CELESTINE | SOUND RECORDING AND CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS PIRACY | Convicted to 10 months imprisonment without option of fine | 4 th July 2012 | BENIN |
| 28 | FHC/ABJ/CR/56/12: NCC V MR. OBA OKECHUKWU | SALE OF CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS AND SOUND RECORDING WORKS | Convicted to 3 months imprisonment and N12,600 fine | 23 rd October 2012 | ABUJA |
| 29 | FHC/B/43C/2010: NCC V GODWIN KADIRI | INFRINGEMENT OF BROADCAST RIGHTS | Convicted to 6 ½ years imprisonment without option of fine (To serve 2 years jail term) | 17 th December 2012 | BENIN |
| 30 | FHC/IB/70C/10: NCC V TAIWO ADENIJI | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment | 16 th January 2013 | IBADAN |

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| | | | or fine of N25,000 | | |
| 31 | FHC/ABJ/CR/93/12: NCC V EZE IGWE | SALE AND POSSESSION OF PIRATED OPTICAL DISCS | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or a fine of N5000 | 30 th January 2013 | ABUJA |
| 32 | FHC/IB/71C/11: NCC V AMINAT ONIFADE | LITERACY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 1 day imprisonment term with N35, 900 fine. | 4 th February 2013 | IBADAN |
| 33 | FHC/L/159C/13: NCC V NWOKE ISREAL | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 1 year imprisonment without option of fine | 6 th May 2013 | LAGOS |
| 34 | FHC/L/158C/13: NCC V IFEANYICHUKWU NWEKE | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 6 months imprisonment or N1000 on each counts | 10 th May 2013 | LAGOS |
| 35 | FHC/L/149C/13: NCC V CHIBUEZE AKAMU | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced on a 2 counts charge to 3months imprisonment each to run concurrently | 20 th MAY 2013 | LAGOS |
| 36 | FHC/L/151C/13: NCC V AWURU CHUKWUMA ABEL | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 3 months imprisonment without option of fine | 11 th June 2013 | LAGOS |
| 37 | FHC/L/152C/13: NCC V JONAS OZO | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 3 months | 11 th June 2013 | LAGOS |

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| 38 | FHC/L/181C/13: NCC V EMMANUEL OGUDU | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to 3 months imprisonment or N10,000 fine | 18 th June 2013 | LAGOS |
| 39 | FHC/L/153C/13: NCC V NWALI SUNDAY | BOOK PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to pay N300 fine in lieu of imprisonment | 18 th June 2013 (sentenced on 20 th June) | LAGOS |
| 40 | FHCC/ABJ/CR/90/13: NCC V EMORDI HENRY CHUKWUMA | BROADCAST PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to pay N10,000 fine in lieu of imprisonment | 19 th June 2013 | ABUJA |
| 41 | FHC/LF/CR/2/2013: NCC VS MICHAEL PAUL | BROADCAST PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to pay N5, 100 in lieu of imprisonment | 3 rd October, 2013 | LAFIA |
| 42 | FHC/LF/CR/11/2013 NCC VS ALI A. BABA | BROADCAST PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to pay N15, 600 in lieu of imprisonment | 8 th October, 2013 | LAFIA |
| 43 | FHC/ABJ/CR/127/13 | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced. To pay N200.00 in lieu of 3 months imprisonment. | 26 th November, 2013 | ABUJA |
| 44 | FHC/ABJ/CR/125/2013 NCC VS HASSAN ABDULLAHI | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced. To pay the sum of N200.00 in lieu of imprisonment | 26 th November, 2013 | ABUJA |
| 45 | FHC/KD/45C/2009: NCC V IBRAHIM DAN ALMAJIRI | SALE, DISTRIBUTION, POSSESSION OF | Convicted and sentenced to a cumulative fine | 8 th January, 2014 | KADUNA |

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| | | PIRATED OPTICAL DISCS | of N150,000 on 3 counts | | |
| 46 | FHC/B/65C/2011:NCC V AKHAGUAYIN E. FAMOUS | BROADCAST PIRACY | Convicted and sentenced to N20,000 each on 3 counts making a total of N60,000 | 28 th January, 2014 | BENIN |
| 47 | FHC/ABJ/CR/74/2014: NCC VAKUMA FRIDAY O. | DVD PIRACY | Convicted on 1 count charge under Section 20(2)a Copyright Act and sentenced to 2 months imprisonment or fine of N5500 | 20 th May 2014 | ABUJA |
| 48 | FHC/ABJ/CR/59/14: NCC V CHRISTIAN CHUKWUNEKE | Possession of Pirated DVD's | Convicted on 1- count charge under Section 20(2)c Copyright Act and sentenced to 2 weeks imprisonment or fine of N1000 | 21 st May 2014 | ABUJA |
| 49 | FHC/ABJ/CR/61/14: NCC V EDENYI IFEANYI | DVD PIRACY | Convicted on a 1- count charge under Section 20(2)a of the Copyright Act | 21 st May 2014 | ABUJA |
| 50 | FHC/ABJ/CR/73/2014: NCC V JOSEPH AJAH | DVD PIRACY | Convicted on a 1- count charge under Section 20(2)a of the Copyright Act and sentenced to a fine of N5800. | 21 st May 2014 | ABUJA |

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| 51 | FHC/ABJ/CR/63/14: NCC V NWONU AUSTIN OSONDU | DVD PIRACY | Convicted on a 1- count charge under Section 20(2)a of the Copyright Act and sentenced to 2 months imprisonment or a fine of N6200. | 26 th May 2014 | ABUJA |
| 52 | FHC/IL/1C/13: NCC VS CHUBBY ONONUJU | Making of infringing copies of various local& foreign musical works through INTERNET DOWNLOAD; possession of machines ... for the purposes of business and the sale of protected works without authorization | Convicted on a 4 counts charge under Section 20(1)a&c, (2)a&c of the Copyright Act and sentenced to 18 months imprisonment | 10 th JULY 2014 | ILORIN |
| 53 | FHC/ABJ/CR/122/14: NCC VS INNOCENT CHUKWU | DVD PIRACY | Convicted on a 1 count charge under Section 20(2)a of the Copyright Act and sentenced to an option of fine of N5000 | 22 ND SEPT 2014 | ABUJA |
| 54 | FHC/AWK/69C/13: NCC V FRED ILOKA SUNDAY | OPTICAL PIRACY | Convicted on a 2 count charge under Section 20(2) a & c of the Copyright Act. He was sentenced to a fine of N100 on each of 928 pirated copies @N92,800 or a | 10 th DEC 2015 | AWKA |

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| | | | term of imprisonment of one year on each count to run concurrently by Justice Gafai. | | |
| 55 | FHC/L/46C/15: NCC VS CHIMEZE CHIKE | LITERARY PIRACY | Convicted on a 2 count charge under Section 20(2)a & c and sentenced to fine of N800 by Justice I. N Buba. | 29 th November 2016 | LAGOS |
| 56 | FHC/L/40C/15: NCC Vs Donatus Daniel Madu | OPTICAL DISC PIRACY | Convicted on a 2 count charge under Section 20(2)a & c and sentenced to one year imprisonment by Justice O.O. Oguntoyibo | 14 th February 2017 | LAGOS |