



13<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

The Director  
Criminal and Investigations Department Headquarters  
Accra

Dear Sir/Madam,

**DEMAND NOTICE AND INTENTION TO SUE**

We act for and on behalf of our client Harris Owusu Ansu Gyeabour with respect to this matter.

It is our instruction that a publication by the Police Service was made against our client citing him as a wanted person for allegedly committing the offence of Defrauding by false pretence and encouraging the public to report his whereabouts to the nearest police station.

We are insisting that the Police Service acted quite unprofessionally in the handling of the matter since the Service failed to adhere to certain rules of engagement that demand that the Service makes reasonable efforts as ascertaining certain things before making their publication public.

We are bringing to bear that the Service ought to have ascertained whether or not he had actually committed the said offence viz. defrauded any person (complainant). The Service also ought to have first of all ascertained whether or not our client was available within the jurisdiction of the country. Finally, the Service could easily have inquired about his house number or office number to convince themselves thoroughly that he was indeed present within the jurisdiction in order to invite him for questioning.

It is our further instruction that this gross negligence on the part of the Service has brought cascading damages to our client who is an astute businessman. His business contracts have been negatively affected and hereby abrogated by his prospective clients who would want nothing to do with a person who has been levelled with such grave charges.

Our client has also had image and credibility of our client affected beyond any stretch of imagination.