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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

CHAMBERS

JUDGE NYAMBE

Ad Litem Judge Prisca Matimba NYAMBE

(Member of the Tribunal since 1 December 2009)

Zambia

Born: 31 December, 1951

Education and Professional Qualifications:

1982 Admitted as an Advocate of the High Court of Zimbabwe
1978 Admitted as an Advocate of the High Court of Zambia
1975 LL.B. Degree with honours, University of Zambia

Professional Experience:

2009 to date Judge *ad litem* of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia (ICTY) assigned to the case of the Prosecutor of the Tribunal against Zdravko Tolimir
2006 to date Judge of the High Court of Zambia
2005 Elected Judge *ad litem* of the ICTY
2002-2006 General Counsel to International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR)
2000-2002 Chief of Section, General Legal Services Section, ICTR
1996-2000 Senior Legal Officer, Chief Court Management Section, ICTR
1992-1996 Private Law Practice
1984-1992 Deputy Legal Counsel rising to Legal Counsel to the Central Bank of Zambia
1980-1984 Senior Magistrate, Harare/Gwelo, Zimbabwe
1978-1980 Resident Magistrate, Kabwe, Zambia

Special assignments and other work experience:

2009 to date Project Leader: Initiative by the Zambia Judiciary to extend jurisdiction on serious economic crimes and corruption cases to the High Court
2008 Collaborator in a Direct Contact Mission to Ethiopia with the International Labour Organisation in Geneva
2007 Undertook a mission for the United Nations High Commission for Human Rights to the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC): "Justice for Victims of Sexual Violence in Congo" - special focus on Bunia Ituri District as a pilot project
1995 Human Rights Expert/International Observer, International Commission of Jurists, Trial of Dr Hastings Kamuzu Banda

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- 1994 Human Rights Expert/International Observer, International Commission of Jurists, Presidential and Parliamentary Elections, Malawi
- 1993 Human Rights Expert/International Observer, International Commission of Jurists, Coordinator of Observer Mission to Malawi during National Referendum on the future political system for Malawi

Appointments

- 1995 Consultant to the Zambia Privatisation Agency
- 1994 Board of Directors of Cavemont Merchant Bank
- 1994-1996 Vice-Chairman of Law Association of Zambia
- 1994 Zambia Revenue Authority, Board Member
- 1993 Member of a study group appointed by Minister of Finance to research and reform the Financial System in Zambia
- Vice-Chairman of the Zambia Revenue Authority
- 1992 Patron of the University of Zambia Law Association
- Commissioner of Election Commission of Zambia - appointed by the President of the Republic of Zambia
- 1991 Zambia Independent Monitoring Team
- 1989 Member of Parliamentary Fact-Finding Committee - appointed by the Prime Minister of the Republic of Zambia
- 1982-1994 Council Member, Law Association of Zambia

Awards:

- 2005 Honoured with the Dignity and Rank of State Counsel by the President of the Republic of Zambia
- 1999 Letters of Recognition by two Judges of the ICTR
- 1993-1994 Elected Vice-Chairman, Law Association of Zambia
- 1992 Elected Patron, University of Zambia Law Association
- Nominated International Woman of the Year 1991/2, International Biographical Centre, Cambridge, England
- 1984-1992 Elected Council Member, Law Association of Zambia
- Governor of House Committee, Law Association of Zambia
- 1989 Awarded Certificate of Merit for Distinguished Services, International Biographical Centre, Cambridge, England
- 1985 Letter of Recognition as an outstanding participant to a Foreign Negotiation Seminar, International Law Institute, Washington D.C., U.S.A

Professional Memberships:

Law Association of Zambia

Commonwealth Lawyers Association

East African Law Society
