

Zambia's Former Foreign Minister Sentenced for Corruption

Date of Action

04 Sep 2025

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SUMMARY



Joseph Malanji, 60

Former Minister of Foreign Affairs (2018 – 2021)

Former Parliament Member (2016 – 2022)

JURISDICTION

Republic of Zambia

LEGAL ACTION

Sentenced to 4 years

REASON

Corruption, Abuse of Office

PEP CHECK



ADVERSE MEDIA CHECK



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MODUS OPERANDI

Malanji diverted public funds, disguising them as business transactions to acquire helicopters and real estate without any lawful source of income.

SYNOPSIS

Joseph Malanji was sentenced to four years in prison with hard labour for corruption and abuse of office.