IN THE SEYCHELLES COURT OF APPEAL

WILLY CHARLES

APPELLANT

VERSUS

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

RESPONDENT

Civil Appeal No: 11 of 2000

[Before: Ayoola, P., Silungwe & De Silva, JJ.A]

Mr. F. Ally for the Appellant

Mr. R. Govinden for the Respondent

JUDGMENT OF THE COURT

(Delivered by Ayoola, P.)

Appeal is allowed. Award of SR10,000 made by the Supreme Court as damages payable by the State to the petitioner is varied by substituting in its place award of SR20,000 as damages payable by the State to the petitioner. The appellant is entitled to costs of the appeal. Reasons will be given later.

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A. M. SILUNGWE JUSTICE OF APPEAL G. P. S. DE SILVA JUSTICE OF APPEAL

Dated at Victoria, Mahe this 12 day of April 200