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Hello Dr Adamu:

I am a British reporter specialising in writing and making TV documentaries about sports politics and money. These stories are distributed via the Internet.

I am preparing to publish a story that will make mention of yourself, your time as Director General of Nigeria's National Sports Commission and the controversial budget for the FIFA Under-17 championships.

I wish to put the following questions to you about issues that may be raised in the story. It is only fair and proper that I do so and I hope that you, or your legal representatives, will find it possible to respond this week. My deadline is 13.00 (UK time) on Friday 16 January.

1. Please can you tell me what your salary has been as a Nigerian civil servant - with examples going back to your appointment in 1991.

2. What is your response to the published statement that you are 'the richest civil servant in Nigeria?'

3. You are reported to own a luxurious house in the Lagos area. Please will you explain how you acquired that property on the salary of a civil servant. I am told that the land alone may have cost as much as £500,000. Please will you provide a correct figure.

4. It has been alleged that large amounts were stolen by sports officials from the budgets for the 1999 FIFA Youth tournament

and the 2003 All-Africa Games. Can you make any comment on this allegation?

5. Please can you tell me what you know about bribes paid by Nigerian officials to the members of the FIFA delegation that visited Nigeria in August 1998. Did you play any part in the payment of these bribes?

6. Have you been involved in making any unorthodox payments to FIFA officials?

7. On July 2, 2008, the BBC quoted you saying that 'Fifa, world football's governing body, does not condone corruption.' Will you please provide examples to justify this statement?

8. Do you declare your annual fees and per diems and other expenses from FIFA and the taxation arrangements FIFA has made with the Canton of Zurich tax office to the taxation authorities in Nigeria?

Thank you for taking the time to respond to these important questions. President Blatter frequently makes the point that FIFA is transparent and I hope you will be able to meet his high standards.

Thank you,

Andrew Jennings