

Sh75 billion Lake Turkana Wind Power project case adjourned to January 2015

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Meru, Kenya: The High Court sitting in Meru has given parties in the Sh75 billion Lake Turkana Wind Power Project case two weeks to file their submission as the case was postponed to January 19, 2015.

Judge Justice Peter Njoroge adjourned the case allow the nine parties to make all their submissions before the full hearing commences next January 19.

In the meantime, Justice Njoroge directed on Monday that the Lake Turkana Wind Power Limited will carry out its activities of developing the wind farm within an area of 87.5 acres out of the total 150,000 acres pending the hearing and determination of the case.

Lawyers from the parties involved agreed with the court to prepare all their submissions including affidavits within two weeks.

The pastoralists from Loiyangalani and Marsabit South districts, both in Laisamis Constituency filed the case to stop the Lake Turkana Wind Power Limited last October 14 until their grievances are addressed.

Six plaintiffs who included four Members of Marsabit County Assembly---Mohamud Kochale (Laisamis), Issa Gambare (Kargi), Kochale Jale (Logologo) and David Arakhole (Korr) filed the case.

The defendants are listed as Lake Turkana Wind Power Limited, Marsabit County government, the Attorney General, Chief Land Registrar and the National Land Commission.

The petitioners filed the application through Sagana, Biriq and Company advocates of Nairobi while Mohammed Nyaoga represents the first respondent.