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NIGERIA

Festus Keyamo (m), lawyer

Lawyer, Festus Keyamo was released on bail by the federal police on 3 February 2003. He had been held at the Nigeria Police Headquarters in Abuja. He was arrested by the Nigerian police on 28 December and held at various locations. He reportedly went on huger strike in protest against his detention without charge and against the harsh conditions in which, allegedly, he was being held.

No further appeals are necessary. Many thanks to you all for taking part.