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This is André Mariano Baridi, 31, a native of the district of Mueda, in the province of Cabo Delgado, who was accused of crimes against wildlife in the Niassa Special Reserve (REN).

According to a press release issued by REN, André Mariano Baridi was captured carrying hunting tools and mechanical traps for large animals when leaving a poachers' camp. REN stresses that, at the time of his arrest, the individual was in the company of a friend, also a poacher, who ran away after realizing the presence of the Reserve inspectors.

Sentenced this Monday in Pemba, the provincial capital of Cabo Delgado, the sentence indicates that Adriano Baridi will serve 16 years in prison at the Provincial Penitentiary Establishment in Cabo Delgado, in Miéze.

For the direction of the Special Reserve of Niassa, the “good preparation” of the process, from the capture of the individual to the oral support of the case, during the trial, is what dictated the success of this case. **(Letter)**

Sir Motors