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PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER II

Before: Judge Rosario Salvatore Aitala, Presiding Judge
Judge Antoine Kesia-Mbe Mindua
Judge Tomoko Akane

SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC II

THE PROSECUTOR V. MAXIME JEOFFROY ELI MOKOM GAWAKA

PUBLIC

Request for Reclassification of 'Mr. Mokom's Response to the 'Corrected version of "Prosecution's Request for a Status Conference, 21 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf"'''

Source: Gregory Townsend, Duty Counsel for Mr. Mokom

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Introduction

1. On 22 December 2022, the Prosecution filed its 'Corrected version of "Prosecution's Request for a Status Conference, 21 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf"''.¹
2. On 23 December 2022, I filed 'Mr. Mokom's Response to the 'Corrected version of "Prosecution's Request for a Status Conference, 21 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf"''.²
3. On 30 December 2022, the Single Judge issued its 'Decision further to ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf-Corr', directing the parties to submit public redacted versions of their filings.³
4. On 4 January 2023, the Prosecution filed its 'Public redacted version of "Corrected version of 'Prosecution's Request for a Status Conference, 21 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf"''.⁴

Submissions

5. On behalf of Mr. Mokom and pursuant to Regulation 23 *bis* (3) of the Regulations of the Court, I file this request for the reclassification to public of the Defence's Response.

¹ Office of the Prosecutor, 'Corrected version of "Prosecution's Request for a Status Conference, 21 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf"', 22 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf-Corr.

² Mr. Mokom's Response to the 'Corrected version of "Prosecution's Request for a Status Conference, 21 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf"', 23 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-128-Conf (the 'Defence's Response).

³ Pre-Trial Chamber II communications email to Parties and Registry, 30 December 2022 at 11:34.

⁴ Office of the Prosecutor, 'Public redacted version of "Corrected version of 'Prosecution's Request for a Status Conference, 21 December 2022, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Conf"', 4 January 2023, ICC-01/14-01/22-126-Corr-Red (The 'public redacted version of the Prosecution's Request').

6. Following the filing of the public redacted version of the Prosecution's Request, which contains very limited redactions, I submit that the Defence's Response does not contain confidential information which must be redacted. Reclassification of the Defence's Response from confidential to public is therefore warranted.

Conclusion

7. In conclusion, on behalf of Mr. Mokom, I request that the Pre-Trial Chamber **ORDER** the reclassification to public of the Defence's Response.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Gregory Townsend", is centered on the page. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Gregory Townsend,
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Tuesday, January 10, 2023