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TRIAL CHAMBER II

Before: Judge María del Socorro Flores Liera, Single Judge

SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

**IN THE CASE OF
*THE PROSECUTOR v. GERMAIN KATANGA***

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**Decision on the Trust Fund for Victims' Submission pursuant to the Order on the
mandate of the Legal Representative of Victims**

**Decision to be notified, in accordance with Regulation 31 of the *Regulations of the Court*,
to:**

The Office of the Prosecutor

Counsel for the Defence

Legal Representatives of Victims

The Office of Public Counsel for Victims

Trust Fund for Victims

Ms Deborah Ruiz Verduzco

REGISTRY

Registrar

Mr Osvaldo Zavala Giler

Counsel Support Section

**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Mr Philipp Ambach

Trial Chamber II of the International Criminal Court (the ‘Chamber’), in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Germain Katanga*, issues this ‘Decision on the Trust Fund for Victims’ Submission pursuant to the Order on the mandate of the Legal Representative of Victims’.

I. PROCEDURAL HISTORY

1. On 23 May 2024, the Chamber issued the Order on the mandate of the Legal Representative of Victims (the ‘Order’),¹ in which the Chamber instructed the TFV to inform the Chamber as to the date the TFV will submit its two outstanding reports.²
2. On 29 May 2024, the TFV filed the submission pursuant to the Order.³ In this Submission, the TFV requested that the Chamber take note of its intention to file the final report pursuant to Regulation 58 of the Regulations of the Trust Fund for Victims together with the evaluation report of the researchers within six months from this submission, *i.e.* by 2 December 2024. The TFV further requested that the Chamber allow the TFV to file the last quarterly update report by 19 July 2024, to which the report on the implementation of psychological support prepared by the TFV expert psychologist will be annexed.⁴
3. The Chamber hereby takes note of the TFV’s intention to submit the final report by 2 December 2024. Further, the Single Judge considers the TFV’s requests to submit the last quarterly update report and the expert psychologist’s evaluation report by 19 July 2024 reasonable and therefore grants the request.

FOR THESE REASONS, THE CHAMBER HEREBY

TAKES NOTE of the TFV’s intention to submit the final report by 2 December 2024; and

GRANTS the TFV’s request to file its last quarterly report, annexing the expert psychologist’s evaluation report, by 19 July 2024.

¹ Order, [ICC-01/04-01/07-3925](#).

² Order, [ICC-01/04-01/07-3925](#), p. 4.

³ Trust Fund for Victims’ Submission pursuant to the Order on the mandate of the Legal Representative of Victims (the ‘Submission’), 29 May 2024, [ICC-01/04-01/07-3929](#).

⁴ Submission, [ICC-01/04-01/07-3929](#), p. 6.

Done in both English and French, the English version being authoritative.



**Judge María del Socorro Flores Liera,
Single Judge**

Dated 11 June 2024

At The Hague, The Netherlands