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TRIAL CHAMBER V

Before: Judge Beti Hohler, Presiding Judge
Judge Joanna Korner
Judge Keebong Paek

SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC II

IN THE CASE OF

***THE PROSECUTOR v. ALFRED YEKATOM AND
PATRICE-EDOUARD NGAÏSSONA***

Public

With Confidential Annexes 1-6

**Registry Transmission of a “Demande d’autorisation de présenter des
observations”**

Source : Registry

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

☒ **The Office of the Prosecutor**

☒ **Counsel for the Defence**

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☒ **Legal Representatives of the Victims**

Common Legal Representatives of
Victims of Other Crimes (V44)

☐ **Legal Representatives of the
Applicants**

☐ **Unrepresented Victims**

☐ **Unrepresented Applicants
(Participation/Reparation)**

☒ **The Office of Public Counsel for
Victims**

☐ **The Office of Public Counsel for the
Defence**

☐ **States' Representatives**

☒ **Trust Fund for Victims**

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Registrar

M. Zavala Giler, Osvaldo

☐ **Counsel Support Section**

☐ **Victims and Witnesses Unit**

☐ **Detention Section**

☒ **Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

☒ **Other**

Common Legal Representative of the
Former Child Soldiers (V45)

Mr BENGO-GATE

I. Introduction

1. The Registry hereby transmits to Trial Chamber V (“Chamber”) the “Demande d’autorisation de présenter des observations” (“Request”), received on 14 November 2025, from Mr BENGOGATE Saint Vincent de Paul, *Président exécutif*, ARC-EN-CIEL (“Mr Bengo-Gate”).

II. Procedural History

2. On 8 October 2025, the Chamber issued its “Order for Submissions on Reparations”, inviting interested persons or organisations, particularly with local expertise, to request leave to make submissions in accordance with paragraph 6(iv) thereof, by 14 November 2025.¹
3. On 14 November 2025, the Registry received an e-mail from Mr Bengo-Gate, with six documents attached consisting of the Request and five annexes.²
4. On 17 November 2025, the Registry consulted with the Chamber to seek guidance on whether and how to place the Request on the case record.³
5. The Chamber subsequently instructed the Registry to submit the Request as a public document *via* a Registry’s transmission filing (“Instruction”).⁴

¹ Trial Chamber V, Order for Submissions on Reparations, ICC-01/14-01/18-2821, 8 October 2025.

² Email received by the Registry Court-Management Section (“CMS”) from Mr Bengo-Gate on 14 November 2025, at 17.08.

³ E-mail sent by CMS to the Chamber on 17 November 2025, at 10.38.

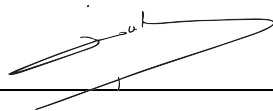
⁴ E-mail sent by the Chamber to CMS on 17 November 2025, at 11.39.

III. Level of confidentiality

6. The annexes to the present transmission are classified as confidential as they refer to confidential information that should be accessible only to the Parties and Participants in the proceedings.

IV. Transmission

7. Pursuant to rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, the Registry hereby transmits the Request, together with its five annexes, in accordance with the Chamber's Instruction.



Marc Dubuisson, Director, Division of Judicial Services
on behalf of Osvaldo Zavala Giler, Registrar

Dated this 17 November 2025

At The Hague, The Netherlands