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Date: 29 May 2026

**PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I**

**Before:** Judge Iulia Antoanella Motoc, Presiding  
Judge Reine Adélaïde Sophie Alapini-Gansou  
Judge María del Socorro Flores Liera

**SITUATION IN LIBYA**

***THE PROSECUTOR V. KHALED MOHAMED ALI EL HISHRI***

**Public  
With Confidential Annex**

**Registry Transmission of “Legal Representatives of Victims Request for Leave to File Observations on the Defence Challenge to Jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court Pursuant to Article 19 of the Rome Statute (ICC-01/11-01/25-108-Corr-Red)”**

**Source: Registry**

Document 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 the Victims

☐ 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

☐ Amicus Curiae

## REGISTRY

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**Registrar**

Mr Osvaldo Zavala Giler

☐ Counsel Support Section

☐ Victims and Witnesses Unit

☐ Detention Section

☐ Victims Participation and  
Reparations Section

☒ Other  
Chantal MELONI  
Jeanne SULZER

## I. INTRODUCTION

1. The Registry hereby transmits to Pre-Trial Chamber I ( “Chamber”), a “Legal Representatives of Victims Request for Leave to File Observations on the Defence Challenge to Jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court Pursuant to Article 19 of the Rome Statute (ICC-01/11-01/25-108-Corr-Red)”, received on 28 May 2026.

## II. PROCEDURAL HISTORY

2. On 25 May 2026, the Registry received by email a request seeking leave to submit written observations on the Defence Jurisdictional Challenge (ICC-01/11-01/25-108-Corr-Red) (“Initial Request”).<sup>1</sup>
3. On 26 May 2026, the submitter informed the Registry of a formatting error contained in the Initial Request.<sup>2</sup>
4. On 27 May 2026, the Registry sought guidance from the Chamber regarding the registration of the Initial Request.<sup>3</sup> The Chamber instructed the Registry to file the Initial Request by way of a Registry transmission filing and to classify the annex as “confidential” pending further decision by the Chamber.<sup>4</sup>
5. Pursuant to the Chamber’s instructions, the Registry requested the submitter to provide a corrected version of the Initial Request and informed the submitter that the document would be filed as “confidential”.<sup>5</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Email sent by the Submitter to the Registry, 25 May 2026 at 19:28.

<sup>2</sup> Email sent by the Submitter to the Registry, 26 May 2026 at 18:21.

<sup>3</sup> Emails sent by the Registry to the Chamber, 27 May 2026 at 10:05 and 10:10.

<sup>4</sup> Email sent by the Chamber to the Registry, 27 May 2026 at 16:00.

<sup>5</sup> Email sent by the Registry to the Submitter, 27 May 2026 at 16:19.

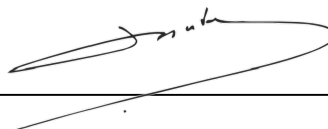
6. On the same day, the Registry received the amended Request (“Request”).<sup>6</sup>

### III. LEVEL OF CLASSIFICATION

7. Pursuant to regulation 23*bis*(3) of the Regulations of the Court, the annex to the present filing, containing the Request, is classified as “confidential”, in accordance with the Chamber’s instructions.

### IV. TRANSMISSION

8. Pursuant to rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, the Registry hereby transmits the Request.



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

Dated this 29 May 2026

At The Hague, The Netherlands

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<sup>6</sup> Email sent by the Submitter to the Registry, 27 May 2026 at 17:43.