

**Cour
Pénale
Internationale**



**International
Criminal
Court**

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No.: ICC-02/04-
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PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER II

Before: Judge Mauro Politi, Presiding Judge
Judge Hans-Peter Kaul
Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova

SITUATION IN UGANDA

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Election of the Presiding Judge of Pre-Trial Chamber II

Decision/Order/Judgment to be notified in accordance with regulation 31 of the *Regulations of the Court* to:

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Ms Silvana Arbia

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Victims and Witnesses Unit

Detention Section

**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Other

The Judges of Pre-Trial Chamber II of the International Criminal Court (the “Court”), being seised of the matter of the election of a Presiding Judge;

NOTING the “Decision assigning the situation in Uganda” to Pre-Trial Chamber II issued by the Presidency on 5 July 2004¹;

NOTING the “Decision constituting Pre-Trial Chambers” issued by the Presidency in the situation in Uganda² and in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Joseph Kony, Vincent Otti, Okot Odhiambo and Dominic Ongwen*³ on 24 October 2008, whereby it was decided that Judge Fatoumata Dembele Diarra would be replaced by Judge Hans-Peter Kaul in Pre-Trial Chamber II and that, accordingly, Pre-Trial Chamber II would be composed of Judge Hans-Peter Kaul, Judge Mauro Politi and Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova;

NOTING regulation 13(2) of the Regulations of the Court, pursuant to which the judges of each Pre-Trial Chamber shall elect from amongst their members a Presiding Judge;

NOTING the meeting of judges of Pre-Trial Chamber II held on 28 October 2008, during which it was decided that Judge Mauro Politi would continue to act as Presiding Judge of Pre-Trial Chamber II;

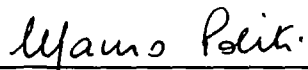
¹ ICC-02/04-1.

² ICC-Pres-02/08 (ICC-02/04-163).

³ ICC-Pres-02/08 (ICC-02/04-01/05-323).

THE CHAMBER HEREBY DECIDES that Judge Mauro Politi is the Presiding Judge of Pre-Trial Chamber II.

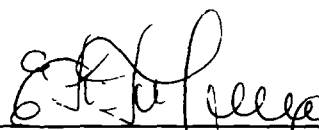
Done in English and French, the English version being authoritative.



Judge Mauro Politi
Presiding Judge



Judge Hans-Peter Kaul



Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova

Dated this Tuesday, 28 October 2008

At The Hague, The Netherlands.