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**International
Criminal
Court**

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TRIAL CHAMBER III

Before: Judge Silvia Steiner, Presiding Judge
Judge Joyce Aluoch
Judge Kuniko Ozaki

SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

**IN THE CASE OF
*THE PROSECUTOR v. JEAN-PIERRE BEMBA GOMBO***

**Urgent
Public**

**With confidential annexes available to the Defence, the Office of the Prosecutor
and the Legal Representatives of the applicants**

**Third transmission to the parties and legal representatives of redacted versions of
applications for participation in the proceedings**

Source: Registry

Document to be notified in accordance with regulation 31 of the *Regulations of the Court* to:

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**Unrepresented Applicants
(Participation/Reparation)**

**The Office of Public Counsel for
Victims**

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

States' Representatives

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Ms Silvana Arbia

Deputy Registrar

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**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Ms Fiona McKay

The Registrar of the International Criminal Court (The “Court”);

NOTING the Decision defining the status of 54 victims who participated at the pre-trial stage, and inviting the parties’ observations on applications for participation by 86 applicants, dated 22 February 2010 (“22 February 2010 Decision”);¹

NOTING the Decision on the participation of victims in the trial and on 86 applications by victims to participate in the proceedings;²

NOTING the order of the Chamber, conveyed by email on 16 September 2010, that applications for participation in the proceedings received by the Registry be transmitted to the parties in redacted form on an ongoing basis as and when they are prepared, and in accordance with the guidelines on redactions provided in the 22 February 2010 Decision;³

NOTING the order of the Chamber, conveyed by email on 26 August 2010 that in relation to all future applications the Registry should systematically notify the respective legal representatives of victims of the redacted versions of applications as notified to the parties;⁴

NOTING article 68(3) of the Statute, Rule 89(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence and Regulation 86(5) of the Regulations of the Court;

CONSIDERING that approximately 1000 applications are being processed by the Registry 10% of which will have to be completed at a later stage;

¹ ICC-01/05-01/08-699

² ICC-01/05-01/08-807

³ Email of 16 September 2010 from the Legal Advisor, Trial Division, to the Director, Division of Court Services and the Chief, VPRS.

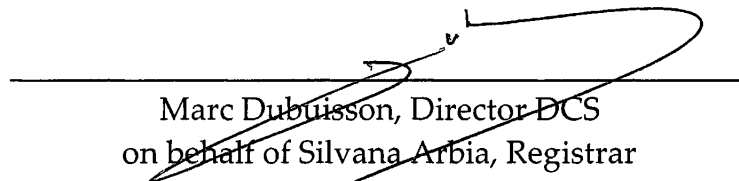
⁴ Email of 26 August from the Legal Officer, Trial Chamber III to the Assistant Legal Officer, Division of Court Services.

CONSIDERING therefore that an approximate number of 850 to 900 applications will be submitted in the coming weeks for participation in the proceedings;

CONSIDERING that 218 of those applications have now been redacted in accordance with the guidelines established by the Chamber in its 22 February 2010 Decision;

CONSIDERING that the Registry has transmitted these 218 applications to the Chamber;⁵

TRANSMITS the 218 applications to participate in the proceedings to the parties and the legal representatives of the applicants in redacted version.



Marc Dubuisson, Director DCS
on behalf of Silvana Arbia, Registrar

Dated this 24 September 2010

At The Hague, The Netherlands

⁵ ICC-01/05-01/08-900