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THE PRESIDENCY

Before: Judge Sang-Hyun Song, President
Judge Sanji Mmasenono Monageng, First Vice-President
Judge Cuno Tarfusser, Second Vice-President

SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

IN THE CASE OF
*THE PROSECUTOR v. JEAN-PIERRE BEMBA GOMBO, AIMÉ KILOLO
MUSAMBA, JEAN-JACQUES MANGENDA KABONGO, FIDÈLE BABALA
WANDU AND NARCISSE ARIDO*

**URGENT
Public
With Public Annex 1**

Notification of communication of Mr. Narcisse Arido to the Presidency

Source: Counsel for Mr. Narcisse Arido

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

The Office of the Prosecutor

Ms. Fatou Bensouda

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Counsel for Fidèle Babala Wandu

Mr. Jean-Pierre Kilenda Kakengi Basila

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**

Mr. Xavier-Jean Keïta

States' Representatives

Amicus Curiae

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Mr. Herman von Hebel, Registrar

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Mr. Esteban Peralta Losilla

Deputy Registrar

Victims and Witnesses Unit

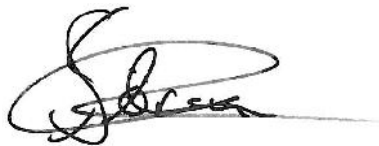
Detention Section

**Victims Participation and
Reparations Section**

Other

Ms. Abbe Jolles

1. The Defence of Mr. Narcisse Arido wishes to confirm to the Presidency that Mr. Narcisse Arido has received the filing of the Registrar, noticed on 31 March 2014, which attaches a public document as submitted by Attorney Abbe Jolles "On Behalf of Narcisse Arido" (*"Narcisse Arido's Emergency Motion for an Order Requiring Registrar von Hebel to Officially recognize Ms. Abbe Jolles of Washington, DC – USA as his Lawyer and for Sanctions and Damages for Acting in Bad Faith Disregarding his Counsel Choice, Barring Counsel from Seeing him, Disregarding and interfering with, the Attorney Client Relationship, Attempting to Induce a Breach Through Deception, Undue Influence, Manipulation and Isolation filed Pursuant to Rule 21 (3) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence"*).¹
2. Mr. Arido has expressed his wish to communicate a response to the Presidency regarding the matters raised by Ms. Jolles. This response is contained in Annex 1, signed in French original with English translation.



Göran Sluiter, Counsel for Mr. Arido

Dated this, 03rd Day of April 2014

At Williamsburg VA, USA

¹ *Prosecutor v. Bemba et al.*, ICC-01/05-01/13-303, Registry transmission of a submission made by Attorney Abbe Jolles for the attention of the Presidency, 31 March 2014.