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THE TRIAL CHAMBER II

Before: Judge Silvia Fernández de Gurmendi, Presiding Judge
Judge Christine Van den Wyngaert
Judge Olga Herrera Carbuca

SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

**IN THE CASE OF
*THE PROSECUTOR v. GERMAIN KATANGA***

PUBLIC

**Request for an Extension of Time to Report on Applications for Reparations
Pursuant to Regulation 35 of the Regulations of the Court**

Source: Registry

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

The Office of the Prosecutor
Ms Fatou Bensouda, Prosecutor

Counsel for the Defence
Mr David Hooper

Legal Representatives of the Victims
Mr Fidel Nsita Luvengika

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

Registrar
Mr Herman von Hebel

Counsel Support Section

Deputy Registrar

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Detention Section

Victims Participation and Reparations Section
Ms Fiona McKay

Other
Mr Pieter de Baan

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

NOTING the Order notified on 27 August 2014 issued by Trial Chamber II (the “Chamber”) whereby the Registry was instructed to report on applications for reparations by 1 December 2014 (the “Order of 27 August 2014”);¹

NOTING article 68 (1) and 75 of the Rome Statute, rules 94 and 97 of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, regulation 35 of the Regulations of the Court (the Regulations”) and regulation 110 of the Regulations of the Registry;

CONSIDERING that the mission organized jointly with the legal representative of victims to interview victims and applicants on reparations, in accordance with the Chamber’s Order of 27 August 2014, ended on 17 November 2014;

CONSIDERING that during this mission the Registry managed *inter alia* to individually interview 305 victims and applicants on reparations;

CONSIDERING that in order to accurately extract and analyse the data from the interviews with the victims and applicants, and to produce a report of depth and quality that will be as useful as possible for the Chamber, the Registry will require more time;

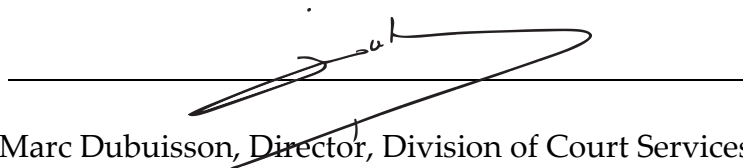
CONSIDERING that the Registry will also need to allow adequate time for the legal representative of victims and applicants to provide his comments on the data collected, review the draft Registry report and provide his input before this report is notified;

¹ ICC-01/04-01/07-3508.

CONSIDERING that on 20 November 2014 the Registry informed the legal representative of its intention to notify the present request and the reasons for the request;

CONSIDERING that, in the Registry's view, the foregoing reasons constitute good cause justifying a variation of time limit set by the Chamber, within the meaning of Regulation 35 of the Regulations;

RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS the Chamber to grant the Registry an extension of two weeks, to 15 December 2014, for the submission of its report on applications for reparations.

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a series of loops and strokes, is positioned above a horizontal line. The signature appears to be 'M. Dubuisson'.

Marc Dubuisson, Director, Division of Court Services

per delegation of Herman von Hebel, Registrar

Dated this 21 November 2014

At The Hague, The Netherlands