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TRIAL CHAMBER VI

Before: Judge Robert Fremr, Presiding Judge
Judge Kuniko Ozaki
Judge Chang-ho Chung

SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

**IN THE CASE OF
*THE PROSECUTOR V. BOSCO NTAGANDA***

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Notice on behalf of Mr Ntaganda informing the Chamber, the Prosecution and the participants of the material the Defence intends to use during its opening statement

Source: Defence Team of Mr Bosco Ntaganda

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

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Further to "*Decision on the conduct of the proceedings*" issued by Trial Chamber VI ("Chamber") of the International Criminal Court ("Court") on 2 June 2015 ("*Decision*"),¹ and the corrected version of "*Urgent motion on behalf of Mr Ntaganda seeking immediate adjournment of the proceedings until the necessary conditions are in place to ensure a fair trial*" submitted on 26 June 2015 ("*Urgent motion for adjournment*"),² Counsel representing Mr Ntaganda ("Defence") hereby submit this:

Notice on behalf of Mr Ntaganda informing the Chamber, the Prosecution and the participants of the material the Defence intends to use during its opening statement

1. In its Decision, the Chamber directed the parties and the participants to indicate to the other party and participants, no later than eight days prior to the commencement of trial, which materials they intend to use during the opening statements.
2. Without prejudice to the Urgent motion for adjournment, the Defence hereby indicates that, at this stage, it does not intend to use any material in the course of its opening statement.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED ON THIS 29TH DAY OF JUNE 2015



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¹ ICC-01/04-02/06-619.

² ICC-01/04-02/06-677-Conf-Exp-Corr.