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**International
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Court**

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TRIAL CHAMBER I

Before: Judge Geoffrey Henderson, Single Judge

**SITUATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF CÔTE D'IVOIRE
IN THE CASE OF
*THE PROSECUTOR v. LAURENT GBAGBO and CHARLES BLÉ GOUDÉ***

Public

Order scheduling a status conference and a hearing on detention

Order to be notified, in accordance with Regulation 31 of the *Regulations of the Court*, to:

The Office of the Prosecutor

Ms Fatou Bensouda

Mr James Stewart

Mr Eric MacDonald

Counsel for Mr Laurent Gbagbo

Mr Emmanuel Altit

Ms Agathe Bahi Baroan

Counsel for Mr Charles Blé Goudé

Mr Geert-Jan Alexander Knoops

Mr Claver N'dry

Legal Representatives of Victims

Ms Paolina Massidda

Legal Representatives of Applicants

Unrepresented Victims

**Unrepresented Applicants for
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

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Detention Section

Marc Dubuisson

Patrick Craig

**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Others

Judge Geoffrey Henderson, acting as Single Judge ('Single Judge') on behalf of Trial Chamber I of the International Criminal Court, in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Laurent Gbagbo and Charles Blé Goudé*, having regard to Articles 60(3), 61(11), 64(3)(a) of the Rome Statute and Rules 118(3) and 132(2) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, issues the following 'Order scheduling a status conference and a hearing on detention'.

1. On 21 April 2015, the Chamber held its first status conference in the joint case.¹
2. On 7 May 2015, the Chamber set the commencement date for the trial for 10 November 2015, directing, *inter alia*, the Prosecution to provide full disclosure of all material to the Defence, pursuant to Article 67(2) of the Statute and Rules 76 and 77 of the Rules, no later than 30 June 2015. By the same date, the Prosecution was directed to provide to the Defence its list of witnesses and list of evidence to be relied on at trial and to disclose the reports of any expert witnesses to be called by the Prosecution.²
3. On 1 May 2012, the Defence for Mr Laurent Gbagbo ('Mr Gbagbo') submitted the 'Defence application for the interim release of President Gbagbo'.³
4. Hearings on detention were thereafter held in 2012, 2013 and 2014 pursuant to Rule 118(3) of the Rules.⁴

¹ Transcript of hearing on 21 April 2015, ICC-02/11-01/15-T-1-CONF-ENG ET.

² Order setting the commencement date for trial, 7 May 2015, ICC-02/11-01/15-58, paras 21-28.

³ Defence application for the interim release of President Gbagbo, 27 April 2012, ICC-02/11-01/11-105-Conf-tENG.

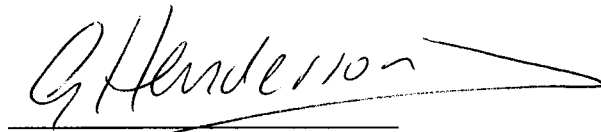
⁴ Transcripts of hearing on 30 October 2012, ICC-02/11-01/11-T-9-ENG ET; and ICC-02/11-01/11-T-10-CONF-EXP-ENG ET; Transcripts of hearing on 9 October 2013, ICC-02/11-01/11-T-22-CONF-ENG ET; and ICC-02/11-01/11-T-23-CONF-EXP-ENG ET; and Transcript of hearing on the 4 November 2014, ICC-02/11-01/11-T-25-Red-ENG CT, page 69, line 23.

5. The Chamber hereby informs the Registry, parties and participants that it will hold a status conference and a hearing on detention on 25 September 2015 with the following provisional agenda:
 - a) Updates on any matters relating to the commencement of trial, including:
 - i. Disclosure, and
 - ii. Languages to be used during the proceedings;
 - b) Updates on consultations to jointly agree on expert witnesses;
 - c) Updates on the progress made to reach agreements about non-contentious issues; and,
 - d) Any matters relating to the detention of the accused persons.
6. Should the parties or participants wish to add other items to the agenda, the Chamber requests that they email such proposals by 21 September 2015 to 'Trial Chamber I Communications'.

FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS, THE SINGLE JUDGE HEREBY

SCHEDULES a status conference and hearing on detention on 25 September 2015 at 10h00.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G Henderson', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Judge Geoffrey Henderson, Single Judge

Dated 10 September 2015

At The Hague, The Netherlands