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TRIAL CHAMBER VII

Before: Judge Bertram Schmitt, Presiding Judge
Judge Marc Perrin de Brichambaut
Judge Raul Pangalangan

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**

Public with Confidential Annexes A and B

**Narcisse Arido's Notification of Disclosure and Provisional List of Witnesses pursuant
to Trial Chamber VII Directions as Contained in ICC-01/05-01/13-1450**

Source: Counsel for Narcisse Arido

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1. On 3 November 2015, the Single Judge issued directions on the Defence presentation of evidence.¹ He directed that by 3 December 2015, the Defence must (i) disclose all material in its possession which falls under its disclosure obligations, (ii) provide estimates on the number of witnesses intended to be called and the number of hours intended for the examination of each witnesses, and (iii) provide a provisional list of witnesses.

2. Following the said instructions, on 3 December 2015, the Arido Defence disclosed 13 items of evidence to the Prosecution and the other Defence teams. In light of the confidential nature of the large-majority of the evidence disclosed, the list of disclosed material appended in Annex A is classified as confidential.

3. The present notification also includes a provisional list of eight witnesses appended in confidential Annex B. It indicates the estimated court time required by the Arido Defence, which is 31 hours, as well as any self-incrimination issue, the anticipated language of testimony, and finally, any anticipated need for video-links to facilitate testimony.

4. The Arido Defence reserves its right to disclose any other evidence after the 3rd of December in view of the on-going investigations, disclosure by other parties, and the interests of Mr. Arido.

5. In light of the above, the Arido Defence respectfully submits:

- a) Annex A, which contains the list of evidence disclosed to the Prosecution and the other Defence teams on 3 December 2015; and,
- b) Annex B, which contains a provisional list of witnesses and other practical information.



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Dated this 3rd Day of December 2015

The Hague, The Netherlands

¹ ICC-01/05-01/13-1450