

**Cour
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**International
Criminal
Court**

Original: **English**

No.: **ICC-01/04-02/06**
Date: **29 September 2021**

THE PRESIDENCY

Before: Judge Piotr Hofmański, President
Judge Luz del Carmen Ibáñez Carranza, First Vice-President
Judge Antoine Kesia-Mbe Mindua, Second Vice-President

SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

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

**Public
with public Annex**

Notification of the Decision of the Plenary of Judges on the ‘Request seeking Judge Lordkipanidze to recuse himself or be disqualified to adjudicate the appeals against the Reparations Order issued by Trial Chamber VI on 8 March 2021’ dated 2 July 2021 (ICC-01/04-02/06-2690)

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

Office of the Prosecutor

Counsel for Defence

Mr Stéphane Bourgon
Ms Kate Gibson

Legal Representatives of the Victims

Ms Sarah Pellet
Ms Anna Bonini

Legal Representatives of the Applicants

Mr Dmytro Suprun
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Unrepresented Victims

Unrepresented Applicants

The Office of Public Counsel for Victims

**The Office of Public Counsel for the
Defence**

States' Representatives

Amicus Curiae

REGISTRY

Registrar

Mr Peter Lewis

Counsel Support Section

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Detention Section

**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

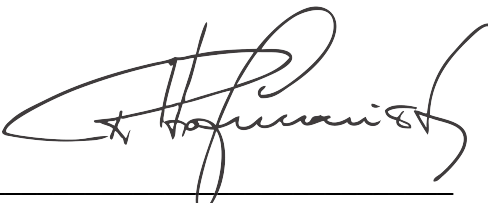
Other
All Judges

The Presidency of the International Criminal Court notes that on 2 July 2021, Mr Ntaganda filed a request, seeking the disqualification of Judge Lordkipanidze from the Appeals Chamber adjudicating the reparations appeals in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Bosco Ntaganda* (the ‘Application’).¹

A plenary of judges was convened on 8 September 2021 to consider the Application.

The Presidency hereby notifies the decision of the plenary of judges (Annex), which denies the Application, acting by absolute majority.

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



Judge Piotr Hofmański
President

Dated this 29 September 2021

At The Hague, The Netherlands

¹ Defence for Mr Ntaganda, *The Prosecutor v. Bosco Ntaganda*, Request seeking Judge Lordkipanidze to recuse himself or be disqualified to adjudicate the appeals against the Reparations Order issued by Trial Chamber VI on 8 March 2021, 2 July 2021, ICC-01/04-02/06-2690.