

ANNEX XXV

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From: Trial Chamber IX Communications
Sent: 01 March 2019 16:42
To: [REDACTED] Trial
 Chamber IX Communications;
 [REDACTED]
Subject: Trial Chamber IX Communications
 RE: Request to Meet with D-0140

Dear Defence,

The Chamber hereby authorises the amendment from the familiarisation protocol (see, ICC-02/04-01/15-504-Anx1, paras 26 ff.).

The Defence is allowed to contact D-140 for the purposes described in the request below.
 Please be advised that the contact is to be limited to this purpose.

Kind regards,
 Trial Chamber IX

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 01 March 2019 16:11
To: [REDACTED] Trial Chamber IX Communications; [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Request to Meet with D-0140

Dear Trial Chamber IX,

When the Defence met with D-0140 during the summer for the purpose of completing the VWU forms, the witness stated that he would testify in English. Since arriving at the Field Office, the witness has stated that he would prefer to testify Ateso. From what was told to the Defence, he does not feel comfortable in English because of the non-East African accents.

VWU informed the Defence just a few moments ago that there is no possibility for an Ateso interpreter for about one (1) month.

The Defence requests that it be allowed to send one of its members to meet with D-0140 today (with a member of VWU) to discuss this issue in hopes that he will decide that it is okay to testify in English.

Very best,

[REDACTED]