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7th April, 2006

Mr. Bruno Cathala
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International Criminal Court
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The Hague, The Netherlands

Sir

**REQUESTS FOR ARREST AND SURRENDER OF THE
LEADERS OF THE LORD'S RESISTANCE ARMY (LRA)**

I have the honour to refer to the meeting of 30th September 2005 between your Excellency and Hon. Edward Khiddu Makubuya, Attorney General/Minister of Justice and Constitutional Affairs of the Republic of Uganda.

In the aforementioned meeting of 30th September 2005 your Excellency effected service on the Attorney General/Minister of Justice and Constitutional Affairs Requests for Arrest and Surrender, Warrants of Arrest and related documents in five separate dockets in respect of :

- (1) Joseph Kony
- (2) Vincent Otti
- (3) Raska Lukwiya
- (4) Okot Odhiambo
- (5) Dominic Ongwen

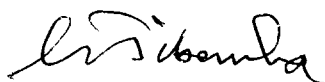
On 11th day of October 2005 the said documents were transmitted to the Director of Public Prosecutions (DPP) who acknowledged receipt of the same on 12th October 2005

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The warrants of arrest have not been filed in Court mainly because of two reasons. First of all, Parliament has not yet passed the International Criminal Court Bill (ICC Bill). Following the successful conduct of the general elections, the new Parliament will be inaugurated in Mid-May 2006. The new Parliament is expected to pass the ICC Bill before the end of July 2006. Pending the enactment of the Bill into law, Government is prepared to work with the ICC on any other legally acceptable option on the part of the ICC. Secondly Joseph Kony and the other commanders of the LRA are reportedly in the Democratic Republic of the Congo. In the circumstances it would not be possible to effect the arrests and surrender to the ICC in Uganda.

We will keep you posted on the progress regarding the enactment of the ICC Bill and on the efforts of Government to locate and apprehend the said leaders of LRA.

Please accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.



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SOLICITOR GENERAL