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PROSECUTION AND VWU ONLY

NOTE OF MEETING

Date:

31 March 2014

Persons present:

Judge Eboe-Osuji, Judge Herrera, Judge Fremr

Anton Steynberg and Alice Zago, OTP

Cynthia Chamberlain and Thomas Koerner, Legal officers, Chambers (who prepared the present note)

A meeting was held between the Chamber and the OTP in the deliberation room.

The Presiding Judge called this meeting since there was a need for the prosecution to reveal to the defence certain incidents related to Witness 508. This was done in order to avoid an ex parte hearing that would have delayed proceedings.

Judge Eboe-Osuji: indicated there was a lack of synchronicity between the VWU Assessment and what the OTP indicated in its request for protective measures.

OTP: submitted that information related to security of the witnesses is dealt with ex parte, particularly as there may be persons involved who are associated with the accused.

Judge Eboe-Osuji: he wanted to know why the information related to the witness receiving an SMS after a meeting with OTP investigators has been redacted from the Defence.

OTP: Explained that they have redacted this information, as well as information related to a person that approached Witness 469 and mentioned 508 as a prosecution witness. The OTP stated that upon consideration, they could disclose this to the Defence, particularly since they will have to disclose the information received from 469 pursuant to the Chamber's directions.