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Dear Counsel,

Whilst bearing in mind the rights of the accused under Article 67(1)(c) of the Rome Statute, the Chamber acknowledges the parties and participants submissions this morning (T-008), seeking the general suspension of deadlines during all judicial recesses, and particularly during the upcoming winter judicial recess.

In accordance Article 64(2) of the Rome Statute and Regulation 19(2) bis of the Regulations of the Court, the Chamber decides that time limits are suspended during the Winter judicial recess (from 13 December 2019 until 6 January 2020). In case any urgent matter arises during the judicial recess, the Chamber will assess whether earlier submissions are indispensable.

The Chamber will decide on a case-by-case basis whether such a suspension is warranted for any future judicial recess.

Best regards,

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On behalf of Trial Chamber X