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Subject: RE: P-0306 Redactions Lift Request
Attachments: RE: TC V Decision on VWU's requests regarding implementation of Decision ICC-01/14-01/18-981-Conf-Red

Dear counsel,

The Chamber takes note of the below Prosecution's request 'to lift certain redactions to the transcripts of P-0306's previous interview statements' (the 'Request').

Noting the specific circumstances set out in the Request, notably that the participants 'can reasonably surmise the witness's identity or are already aware of the same' and lifting identity redactions would thus 'not place the witness at any greater risk than presently exists', the Chamber grants the Request.

Further, the Prosecution and the VWU are instructed to file lesser-redacted versions of their filings pertaining to this witness within two weeks of providing the lesser-redacted version of the witness's transcripts.

The Prosecution is instructed to liaise and consult with the VWU for the purposes of lifting the redactions on the witness's identifying information.

Finally, recalling its previous direction for the Prosecution to provide an update on the prospective timing of P-0306's appearance (see attached email from the Chamber in redacted form, 4 June 2021, at 16:33), the Chamber instructs the Prosecution to do so by 21 June 2021.

Kind regards, TC V

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 16 June 2021 17:07
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Subject: P-0306 Redactions Lift Request

Dear Trial Chamber V,

The Prosecution requests the Chamber's authorisation to lift certain redactions to the transcripts of P-0306's previous interview statements. Information already contained in the material and certain unfortunate inadvertent disclosures (including recently), render the continued redaction of identifying information untenable, particularly in view of the [REDACTED]

We are mindful of, and appreciate, the Chamber's caution in dealing with the security issues surrounding the prospective testimony of P-0306. Nevertheless, at this point, the Parties and Participants can reasonably surmise the witness's identity or are already aware of the same. Thus, lifting identity redactions would not place the witness at any greater risk than presently exists.

Thank you for your consideration.

Kind regards,

On behalf of Kweku Vanderpuye