

Annex 17

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From: Trial Chamber I Communications
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To: Laucci, Cyril; Trial Chamber I Communications
Cc: Court Management-Court Sessions; D31 Abd-Al-Rahman Defence Team; [REDACTED]
Subject: [REDACTED]; Chamber Decisions Communication; Associate Legal Officer-Court Officer
 RE: Status Conference in Abd-Al-Rahman case 08 March 2022

Dear counsel,

Mr Abd-Al-Rahman is authorised to attend the hearing remotely. You can put this on the record at the start of the hearing on 8 March. However, this is subject to the Registry's availability to put in place the remote link with the detention centre.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]
 (on behalf of Trial Chamber I)

From: Laucci, Cyril [REDACTED]
Sent: 02 March 2022 15:57
To: Trial Chamber I Communications [REDACTED]
Cc: Court Management-Court Sessions [REDACTED] D31 Abd-Al-Rahman Defence Team [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: Status Conference in Abd-Al-Rahman case 08 March 2022

Honourable Chamber,

For the Status Conference of Tuesday 8 March, I hereby seek your authorization for Mr Abd-Al-Rahman to attend it remotely. The reason of that request is that the hearing is scheduled to start at 16.45, which is unusually late, and that I understand that moving Mr Abd-Al-Rahman from the Detention Facility to the Court's premises at this late time may be an issue for the good organization and order of the Detention Unit.

The issue of interpretation that forms the agenda of the Status Conference is of a rather technical nature. The Defence has received full instruction from Mr Abd-Al-Rahman in relation to that topic and it is thus unlikely that he may have to address the Trial Chamber. Should the Honourable Judges wish to ask him questions, he may be able to reply from the Detention Facility.

I would therefore be grateful if the Chamber could authorize Mr Abd-Al-Rahman's remote attendance.

Yours Sincerely,

Cyril Laucci.

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 02 March 2022 13:07
To: Laucci, Cyril [REDACTED]; Court Management-Court Sessions [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]; D31 Abd-Al-Rahman Defence Team [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Status Conference in Abd-Al-Rahman case 08 March 2022

Thank you Counsel,

May I seek your confirmation whether the Trial Chamber approved your client's remote attendance as per email communication dated 11 November 2021 at 17:47?

Thank you and kind regards,

[REDACTED]

From: Laucci, Cyril [REDACTED]
Sent: 02 March 2022 12:10
To: Court Management-Court Sessions [REDACTED] D31 Abd-Al-Rahman Defence Team [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Status Conference in Abd-Al-Rahman case 08 March 2022

Dear [REDACTED]
 On Tuesday 8, the Defence will be represented in the Courtroom by:

- Vanessa Grée,
- Ahmad Issa,
- Camille Divet and
- Myself.

Counsel Iain Edwards will attend remotely, as authorised by TCI.

Mr Abd-Al-Rahman will also attend remotely in order to limit disturbance in the organization of the Detention facility.

Best regards,
 Cyril Laucci.

From: Court Management-Court Sessions [REDACTED]
Sent: 01 March 2022 14:47
To: D31 Abd-Al-Rahman Defence Team [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Status Conference in Abd-Al-Rahman case 08 March 2022

Dear Defence team,

Following Trial Chamber I's scheduling of a Status Conference on Tuesday, 8 March at 16:45, would you kindly provide us with your list of participants that will be present in Courtroom 3?

The Registry Guidelines continue to be applicable pending further guidance on future transitional arrangements. To this end, the maximum of attendees that may participate in any courtroom is limited to 5 persons per team (including your client).

Additionally, in case you intend to display any material, we kindly request that you inform us in advance and encourage you to be present in the courtroom 30 minutes in advance of the proceedings to allow for any technical issues that would potentially arise to be resolved promptly.

For the benefit of accuracy of the transcript and interpretation services, we would also be grateful to receive any speaking notes that you may intend to use (even in draft form) for the interpreters' and court reporters' preparation.

Thank you and kind regards,

Court Management - Court Sessions

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