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TRIAL CHAMBER III

Before:

Judge Sylvia Steiner, Presiding Judge Judge Joyce Aluoch Judge Kuniko Ozaki

SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

IN THE CASE OF THE PROSECUTOR v. JEAN-PIERRE BEMBA GOMBO

Public

With confidential annexes available to the Defence, the Office of the Prosecutor and the Legal Representatives of the Applicants

Ninth transmission to the parties and legal representatives of the applicants of redacted versions of applications for participation in the proceedings

Source: Registry

Document to be notified in accordance with regulation 31 of the Regulations of the Court to:

The Office of the Prosecutor Ms Fatou Bensouda, Deputy Prosecutor Ms Petra Kneuer, Senior Trial Lawyer **Counsel for the Defence** Mr Nkwebe Liriss Mr Aimé Kilolo-Musamba

Legal Representatives of the Victims Ms Marie Edith Douzima Lawson Mr Assingambi Zarambaud **Legal Representatives of the Applicants** Ms Marie Edith Douzima Lawson Mr Célestin Nzala Ms Paolina Massidda

Unrepresented Victims

Unrepresented Applicants (Participation/Reparation)

The Office of Public Counsel for Victims Ms Paolina Massidda The Office of Public Counsel for the Defence Mr Xavier-Jean Keita

States' Representatives

Amicus Curiae

Registrar Ms Silvana Arbia **Counsel Support Section**

Deputy Registrar Mr Didier Preira

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Detention Section

Other

Victims Participation and Reparations Section Ms Fiona McKay

The Registrar of the International Criminal Court (the "Court");

NOTING the "Decision defining the status of 54 victims who participated at the pre-trial stage, and inviting the parties' observations on applications for participation by 86 applicants" issued by Trial Chamber III (the "Chamber"), dated 22 February 2010 ("22 February 2010 Decision");¹

NOTING the "Decision on the participation of victims in the trial and on 86 applications by victims to participate in the proceedings" dated 12 July 2010;²

NOTING the "Decision on 772 applications by victims to participate in the proceedings" dated 18 November 2010;³

NOTING the "Decision on 653 applications by victims to participate in the proceedings" dated 23 December 2010;⁴

NOTING the order of the Chamber, conveyed by email on 16 September 2010, that applications for participation in the proceedings received by the Registry be transmitted to the parties in redacted form on an ongoing basis as and when they are prepared, and in accordance with the guidelines on redactions provided in the 22 February 2010 Decision;⁵

NOTING the order of the Chamber, conveyed by email on 26 August 2010 that in relation to all future applications the Registry should systematically notify

¹ ICC-01/05-01/08-699.

² ICC-01/05-01/08-807-Corr.

³ ICC-01/05-01/08-1017.

⁴ ICC-01/05-01/08-1091.

⁵ Email of 16 September 2010 from the Legal Advisor, Trial Division, to the Director, Division of Court Services and the Chief, VPRS.

the respective legal representatives of the applicants of the redacted versions of applications as notified to the parties;⁶

NOTING paragraph 8 of the "Decision setting a time-limit for the submission of new victims' applications for participation" dated 7 September 2010;⁷

NOTING that on 8 April 2011, the Trial Chamber III (the "Chamber") instructed the Registry to transmit applications received before 1 February 2011, together with as many applications as the Registry is able to process in the time available by 21 April 2011;⁸

NOTING article 68(3) of the Rome Statute, Rule 89(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence and regulation 86(5) of the Regulations of the Court;

CONSIDERING that the Registry has transmitted 401 applications to the Chamber;⁹

TRANSMITS the 401 applications to participate in the proceedings to the parties and the legal representatives of the applicants in redacted version.

Marc Dubuisson, Director DCS

per delegation of Silvana Arbia, Registrar

Dated this 21 April 2011

At The Hague, The Netherlands

⁸ Email from the Assistant Legal Officer, Trial Division, to the Assistant Legal Officer, Division of Court Services.

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⁶ Email of 26 August from the Legal Officer, Trial Chamber III to the Assistant Legal Officer, Division of Court Services.

⁷ ICC-01/05-01/08-875.