

**Cour  
Pénale  
Internationale**



**International  
Criminal  
Court**

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Date: 3 May 2016

**TRIAL CHAMBER IX**

**Before:** Judge Bertram Schmitt, Presiding Judge  
Judge Peter Kovacs  
Judge Raul C. Pangalangan

**SITUATION IN UGANDA**

**IN THE CASE OF *THE PROSECUTOR v. DOMINIC ONGWEN***

**Public**

**Decision Notifying the Election of a Presiding Judge and Single Judge**

To be notified, in accordance with Regulation 31 of the *Regulations of the Court*, to:

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**Detention Section**

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**Trial Chamber IX** ('Chamber') of the International Criminal Court ('Court') issues the following 'Decision Notifying the Election of a Presiding Judge and Single Judge', in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Dominic Ongwen* ('Ongwen case'), pursuant to Rule 132 *bis* of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence ('Rules') and Regulation 13(2) of the Regulations of the Court ('Regulations').

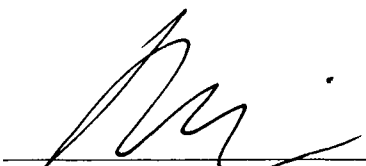
1. On 2 May 2016, the Presidency of the Court constituted Trial Chamber IX, composed of Judges Bertram Schmitt, Peter Kovacs and Raul C. Pangalangan, and referred to it the *Ongwen* case.<sup>1</sup>
2. On the same day, pursuant to Rule 132 *bis* of the Rules and Regulation 13(2) of the Regulations, the judges of the Chamber elected Judge Bertram Schmitt as Presiding Judge and as Single Judge for the preparation of the trial.

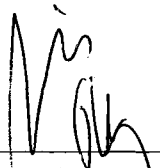
**FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS, THE CHAMBER HEREBY**

**DESIGNATES** Judge Bertram Schmitt as the Presiding Judge; and

**DESIGNATES** Judge Bertram Schmitt as the Single Judge.

Done in both English and French, the English version being authoritative.

  
 Judge Bertram Schmitt, Presiding Judge

  
 Judge Peter Kovacs

  
 Judge Raul C. Pangalangan

Dated 3 May 2016

At The Hague, The Netherlands

<sup>1</sup> Decision constituting Trial Chambers VIII and IX and referring to them the cases of *The Prosecutor v. Ahmad Al Faqi Al Mahdi* and *The Prosecutor v. Dominic Ongwen*, ICC-02/04-01/15-430.