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**International
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Court**

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TRIAL CHAMBER X

Before: Judge Antoine Kesia-Mbe Mindua, Presiding Judge
Judge Tomoko Akane, Judge
Judge Kimberly Prost, Judge

SITUATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF MALI

**IN THE CASE OF
THE PROSECUTOR *v.* AL HASSAN AG ABDOUL AZIZ AG MOHAMED AG
MAHMOUD**

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Request for Withdrawal

Source: Defence for Mr. Al Hassan Ag Abdoul Aziz Ag Mohamed Ag
Mahmoud

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

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1. In accordance with Regulation 78(1) of the Regulations of the Court, I hereby respectfully request leave to withdraw as Associate Counsel for Mr. Al Hassan in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Al Hassan Ag Abdoul Aziz Ag Mohamed Ag Mahmoud*, (ICC-01/12-01/18) as of 21 September 2020.
2. The Request is not submitted with the consent of either Mr. Al Hassan or Lead Counsel.
3. In the event that leave is granted, I affirm that I will adhere to all relevant provisions of the Code of Professional Conduct concerning confidentiality and record-keeping provided for in Articles 8, 15, and 17.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED ON THIS 18TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2020

Nicoletta Montefusco

Nicoletta Montefusco, Associate Counsel
on behalf of
Mr. Al Hassan

At The Hague, the Netherlands