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**International
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THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before: Judge Marc Perrin de Brichambaut, Presiding Judge
Judge Piotr Hofmański
Judge Luz del Carmen Ibáñez Carranza
Judge Solomy Balungi Bossa
Judge Gocha Lordkipanidze

SITUATION IN THE BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA I

Public

With Confidential *ex parte* Annex only to the Registry

Registry Transmission of an “Application to present victims’ views and concerns at the hearing on the appeal of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela against Pre-Trial Chamber I’s “Decision authorising the resumption of the investigation pursuant to article 18(2) of the Statute””

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I. Introduction

1. Pursuant to the Appeals Chamber's ("Chamber") email communication of 24 October 2023,¹ the Registry hereby transmits an "Application to present victims' views and concerns at the hearing on the appeal of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela against Pre-Trial Chamber I's "Decision authorising the resumption of the investigation pursuant to article 18(2) of the Statute"" ("Request"), received by the Court Management Section ("CMS") on 23 October 2023.²

II. Applicable law

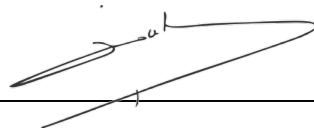
2. For the purpose of the present submission, the Registry has considered rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence.

III. Classification

3. In accordance with regulation 23*bis* of the Regulations of the Court, the present transmission's annex is classified as confidential and *ex parte*, as per the classification assigned by the submitter.

IV. Submissions

4. The Registry hereby transmits the Submitter's Request (Annex) to the Chamber.



Marc Dubuisson
Director Division of Judicial Services
On behalf of Osvaldo Zavala Giler, Registrar

Dated this 26 October 2023

At The Hague, The Netherlands

¹ E-mail sent by the Legal Officer of the Chamber to the CMS on 24 October 2023, at 16:36.

² Email from International Federation for Human Rights (FIDH) on 23 October 2023, at 18:15.