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**No. ICC-01/26 OA
Date: 8 October 2026**

THE APPEALS CHAMBER

Before:

**Judge Tomoko Akane, Presiding
Judge Luz del Carmen Ibáñez Carranza
Judge Solomy Balungi Bossa
Judge Gocha Lordkipanidze
Judge Erdenebalsuren Damdin**

SITUATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF COLOMBIA

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Order on reclassification of documents

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

☒ **The Office of the Prosecutor**

☐ **Counsel for the Defence**

☐ **Legal Representatives of the Victims**

☐ **Legal Representatives of the Applicants**

☐ **Unrepresented Victims**

☐ **Unrepresented Applicants
(Participation/Reparation)**

☐ **The Office of Public Counsel for
Victims**

☐ **The Office of Public Counsel for the
Defence**

☒ **States' Representatives**

☐ **Amicus Curiae**

REGISTRY

Registrar
Mr Osvaldo Zavala Giler

☐ **Counsel Support Section**

☐ **Victims and Witnesses Unit**

☐ **Detention Section**

☐ **Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

☐ **Other**

The Appeals Chamber of the International Criminal Court,

In the appeal of the Prosecutor against Pre-Trial Chamber II's "Decision closing the situation record" of 3 September 2026 (ICC-01/26-3),

Having before it the "Prosecution notice of appeal of 'Decision closing the situation record'" of 9 September 2026 (ICC-01/26-4-SECRET-Exp),

Having before it the "Prosecution Appeal Brief against 'Decision closing the situation record'" of 25 September 2026 (ICC-01/26-7-SECRET-Exp),

Pursuant to regulation 23*bis*(3) of the Regulations of the Court,

Issues the following

ORDER

The Registrar is directed to reclassify as public filings ICC-01/26-4-SECRET-Exp, ICC-01/26-6-SECRET-Exp and ICC-01/26-7-SECRET-Exp.

REASONS

1. Regulation 23*bis*(3) of the Regulations of the Court provides that a chamber may reclassify a document when the basis for the classification no longer exists.
2. Noting that Pre-Trial Chamber II's "Decision closing the situation record" (ICC-01/26-3) was reclassified as public on 7 October 2026, the Appeals Chamber finds that no reason exists for the "Prosecution notice of appeal of 'Decision closing the situation record'" (ICC-01/26-4-SECRET-Exp), the "Decision on the Presiding Judge of the Appeals Chamber in the appeal against the 'Decision closing the situation record'" (ICC-01/26-6-SECRET-Exp) and the "Prosecution Appeal Brief against 'Decision closing the situation record'" (ICC-01/26-7-SECRET-Exp) to remain secret and directs that these documents be reclassified as public.

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


Judge Tomoko Aakane
Presiding

Dated this 8th day of October 2026

At The Hague, The Netherlands