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No.: **ICC-02/05-03/09**  
Date: **29 October 2026**

**TRIAL CHAMBER IV**

**Before:** Judge Kimberly Prost, Presiding Judge  
Judge Keebong Paek  
Judge Nicolas Guillou

**SITUATION IN DARFUR, SUDAN**

***IN THE CASE OF THE PROSECUTOR  
v. ABDALLAH BANDA ABAKAER NOURAIN***

**Public**

**Public redacted version of “Prosecution’s report to the Pre-Trial Chamber on the unexecuted warrant of arrest for Abdallah Banda Abakaer Nourain”, ICC-02/05-03/09-716-US-Exp, dated 30 March 2022**

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## **I. INTRODUCTION**

1. [REDACTED].<sup>1</sup>

2. In the Situation in Darfur, Sudan ("Situation"), an arrest warrant remains unexecuted against Abdallah Banda Abakaer Nourain.<sup>2</sup> The Prosecution confirms that there are no factors that compel it to request the withdrawal of the arrest warrant at this time, and will seise the Chamber with an application for withdrawal of the arrest warrant should the circumstances change.

## **II. CONFIDENTIALITY**

3. This filing is classified as under seal ex parte, available only to the Prosecution, in accordance with the Chamber's instruction.<sup>3</sup>

## **III. SUBMISSIONS**

4. The Prosecution regularly reviews the circumstances underlying the arrest warrants that have been issued at its request. This follows from its duty to act independently as a separate organ of the Court to, inter alia, conduct investigations and prosecutions, and seek the issuance of warrants of arrest under article 58 of the Statute, and in doing so, respect the rights of suspected and accused persons before this Court. [REDACTED]. The Prosecution will continue to keep them under review, in line with the Court's legal framework, and will seise the Chamber with an application for withdrawal of any arrest warrants should the circumstances require it.

5. Following its review, the Prosecution has not identified any factors that compel it to request the withdrawal of the arrest warrant for Abdallah Banda Abakaer Nourain at this time.

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<sup>1</sup> [REDACTED].

<sup>2</sup> ICC-02/05-03/09-606. The Prosecutor has recused himself from this case, accordingly this report is filed in the record of the case under the signature of Deputy Prosecutor Nazhat Shameem Khan.

<sup>3</sup> Order, para. 12.

#### IV. CONCLUSION

6. The Prosecution respectfully submits this information for the Chamber's consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mandiaye Niang', with a large, stylized flourish on the left side.

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**Mame Mandiaye Niang, Acting Prosecutor**

Dated this 29<sup>th</sup> day of October 2026

At The Hague, The Netherlands