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THE PRESIDENCY

Before: Judge Sang-Hyun Song, President
Judge Sanji Mmasenono Monageng, First Vice-President
Judge Akua Kuenyehia, Acting Second Vice-President

SITUATION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

**IN THE CASE OF
THE PROSECUTOR
v. Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo**

Public

Defence submissions pursuant to Decision ICC-RoR221-03/14-3-Conf-Exp

Source: Defence for Mr. Jean-Pierre Bemba Gombo

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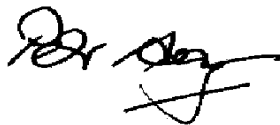
Detention Section

**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Other

1. On 6 March 2014, Mr. Bemba submitted a complaint to the Registrar pursuant to regulation 106 of the Regulations of the Court, in which he argued that the monitoring of his privileged and non-privileged communications, and the disclosure of information concerning the same, was illegal.¹
2. On 19 March 2014, the Registrar rejected Mr. Bemba's complaint.²
3. On 28 March 2014, the Applicant sought judicial review of this decision before the Presidency, pursuant to regulation 221 of the Regulations of the Registry.³
4. This application was filed publicly, with a confidential Annex A, a public redacted Annex A, a confidential ex parte Annex B, a confidential Annex C, a public redacted Annex C, and a public Annex D.
5. Pursuant to the Presidency's order in Decision ICC-RoR221-03/14-3-Conf-Exp, the Defence hereby confirms that the decision can be rendered publicly without redactions.

The whole respectfully submitted.



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04 June 2014

¹ ICC-RoR221-03/14-1, paragraph 10, and ICC-RoR221-03/14-1-Conf.

² ICC-RoR221-03/14-1-Conf-Exp.

³ ICC-RoR221-03/14-1.