Cour Pénale Internationale



International Criminal Court

Original: English No.: ICC-02/05-01/09

Date: 14 January 2015

PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER II

Before: Judge Ekaterina Trendafilova, Presiding Judge

Judge Cuno Tarfusser

Judge Christine Van den Wyngaert

SITUATION IN DARFUR, SUDAN

IN THE CASE OF THE PROSECUTOR v.OMAR HASSAN AHMAD AL BASHIR

Public Document With one public annex and one confidential annex

Report of the Registry on the "Decision on the "Prosecution's Notification of Travel in the Case of The Prosecutor v. Omar Al Bashir" pursuant to Decision ICC-02/05-01/09-218

Source: The Registry

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

The Office of the Prosecutor

Fatou Bensouda, Prosecutor

James Stewart, Deputy Prosecutor

Counsel for the Defence

Legal Representatives of the Victims

Legal Representatives of the Applicants

Unrepresented Victims

Unrepresented Applicants (Participation/Reparation)

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Victims

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Herman von Hebel

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Victims Participation and Reparations

Section

Other

THE REGISTRY of the International Criminal Court (the "Court"):

NOTING the "Prosecution's Notification of Travel in the Case of *The Prosecutor v*

Omar Al Bashir" issued by Pre-Trial Chamber II dated 8 December 2014;

NOTING the "Decision on the 'Prosecution's Notification of Travel in the Case of

The Prosecutor v Omar Al Bashir"² (the "Decision") dated 8 December 2014;

NOTING articles 87(1)(5) (a) and 89(1) of the Rome Statute, rule 176(2) of the Rules of

Procedure and Evidence and regulation 23bis of the Regulations of the Court;

CONSIDERING that the Chamber "a) invite[d] the competent authorities of the

Federal Republic of Ethiopia to arrest Omar Hassan Ahmad Al-Bashir immediately

and to surrender him to the Court; b) order[ed] the Registrar to send a Note Verbale

to the Federal Republic of Ethiopia: (i) reminding the Ethiopian authorities of the

request for the arrest and surrender of Omar Hassan Ahmad Al-Bashir transmitted to

said authorities following the 10 October 2013 Decision enquiring about the visit of

Omar Hassan Ahmad Al-Bashir; and (ii) reminding the Federal Republic of Ethiopia

of SC Resolution 1593(2005) and inviting said State once more to cooperate with the

Court in his arrest and surrender to the Court; c) order[ed] the Registrar to notify the

present decision, to the competent authorities of the Federal Republic of Ethiopia" 3;

CONSIDERING that the Chamber ordered "the Registrar to prepare a report to be

filed with the Chamber in due course concerning said visit" 4;

¹ ICC-02/05-01/09-217

²ICC-02/05-01/09-218

³ ICC-02/05-01/09-218, p. 6

⁴ ICC-02/05-01/09-218, p. 6

INFORMS the Chamber as follows:

- 1. On 8 December 2014, a note verbale as well as the Decision of the Chamber were delivered to the Permanent Representation of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia to the United Nations (United States of America) as well as sent by email to the Embassy of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia in Brussels (Belgium).
- 2. To the date of this filing, the Registry has not received any reply to its requests from the Ethiopian authorities.
- 3. From the media reports it follows that Omar Al Bashir attended the 20th anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution in the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia on 8 December 2014.
- 4. The present report is filed public in line with the classification of the Decision.

 Annex 1 is submitted as confidential as it refers to the names of staff of the

 Court and of the Permanent Representation of the Federal Democratic

 Republic of Ethiopia in New York.

TRANSMITS in annexes:

- The note verbale sent on 8 December 2014 to the Permanent Representation of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia to the United Nations, the e-mail and the memorandum of notification (Annex 1 – Confidential);
- News reports regarding the visit of Omar Al Bashir to the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia on 8 December 2014 (Annex 2 Public);

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

Marc Dubuisson, Director, Division of Court Services on behalf of Herman von Hebel, Registrar

Dated this 14 January 2015

At The Hague, The Netherlands