Cour Pénale Internationale



International Criminal Court

Original: English No.: ICC-01/04-02/06

Date: 1 April 2015

## TRIAL CHAMBER VI

Before:

Judge Robert Fremr, Presiding Judge

Judge Kuniko Ozaki Judge Chang-ho Chung

## SITUATION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO IN THE CASE OF THE PROSECUTOR v. BOSCO NTAGANDA

**Public** 

Order scheduling a status conference on 21 April 2015 and setting the agenda

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

The Office of the Prosecutor

Counsel for Bosco Ntaganda

Ms Fatou Bensouda

Mr Stéphane Bourgon

Mr James Stewart

Mr Luc Boutin

Ms Nicole Samson

Legal Representatives of Victims

**Legal Representatives of Applicants** 

Ms Sarah Pellet

Mr Dmytro Suprun

**Unrepresented Victims Unrepresented Applicants for** 

Participation/Reparation

The Office of Public Counsel for

Victims

Ms Paolina Massidda

The Office of Public Counsel for the

Defence

States' Representatives

Amicus Curiae

**REGISTRY** 

Registrar

**Counsel Support Section** 

Mr Herman von Hebel

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Mr Nigel Verrill

**Detention Section** 

**Victims Participation and Reparations** 

Section

**Others** 

**Trial Chamber VI** ('Chamber') of the International Criminal Court ('Court'), in the case of *The Prosecutor v. Bosco Ntaganda*, having regard to Article 64(3) of the Rome Statute, Rule 132(2) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence and Regulation 54 of the Regulations of the Court, issues the following 'Order scheduling a status conference on 21 April 2015 and setting the agenda'.

- 1. On 17 February 2015, the Chamber held a status conference during which it announced that the next status conference would be held in April in order to ensure that trial preparation proceeds smoothly.<sup>1</sup>
- 2. The Chamber hereby schedules the next status conference for 21 April 2015.

  To facilitate the preparation of the parties and participants, the Chamber sets the following agenda:
  - a) Progress made regarding the preparation for trial, including whether disclosure has been completed;
  - b) Observations on the conduct of proceedings;<sup>2</sup>
  - c) Observations on modalities of victims' participation at trial;<sup>3</sup>
  - d) Progress on holding the opening statements in the Democratic Republic of Congo; and
  - e) Any other item.
- 3. Should the parties, the Legal Representatives of Victims or the Registry wish to raise any particular issues under agenda item e), they are requested to inform the Chamber and, if appropriate, the other party and participants thereof by Thursday 16 April 2015 at 16.00, by way of e-mail to 'Trial Chamber VI Communications'.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Transcript of Hearing dated 17 February 2015, ICC-01/04-02/06-T-18-CONF-ENG ET, page 41, line 24 to page 42, line 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Order requesting submissions on the conduct of proceedings pursuant to Rule 140 of the Rules and on modalities of victims' participation at trial, 12 March 2015 (notified on 13 March 2015), ICC-01/04-02/06-507.

<sup>3</sup> See Order requesting submissions on the conduct of proceedings pursuant to Rule 140 of the Rules and on

See Order requesting submissions on the conduct of proceedings pursuant to Rule 140 of the Rules and or modalities of victims' participation at trial, 12 March 2015 (notified on 13 March 2015), ICC-01/04-02/06-507.

## FOR THE FOREGOING REASONS, THE CHAMBER HEREBY

SCHEDULES a status conference for 21 April 2015 at 09:30; and

SETS the agenda for the status conference, as provided in paragraph 2 above.

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

Judge Robert Fremr, Presiding Judge

Judge Kuniko Ozaki

Judge Chang-ho Chung

Dated 1 April 2015

At The Hague, The Netherlands