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**International
Criminal
Court**

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APPEALS CHAMBER

Before: Judge Sanji Monageng, President Appeals Division
Judge Sang-Hyun Song
Judge Akua Kuenyehia
Judge Erkki Kourula
Judge Anita Ušacka

SITUATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF CÔTE D'IVOIRE

**IN THE CASE OF
THE PROSECUTOR *v.* CHARLES BLÉ GOUDÉ**

**Public
With one public annex**

**Transmission of a submission from Mr. Mayombo Kassongo received on
24 June 2014**

Source: Registry

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

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Legal Representatives of the Applicants

Unrepresented Victims

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(Participation/Reparation)**

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Mr Herman Von Hebel

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Counsel Support Section

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Detention Section

**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Ms Fiona McKay

Other

The Registrar of the International Criminal Court (the “Court”);

NOTING the “*Transmission of a submission from Mr. Mayombo Kassongo received on 15 May 2014*” submitted by the Registry on 16 May 2014 transmitting an application for participation in the proceedings in the present case, made on behalf of five victim applicants (“Mr. Kassongo’s Request”);¹

NOTING the “*Decision on victims’ participation in the pre-trial proceedings and related issues*” issued by Pre-Trial Chamber I on 11 June 2014 in which the Chamber rejected Mr. Kassongo’s Request;²

NOTING that on 24 June 2014 at 02.53 hours, the Registry received from Mr. Mayombo Kassongo a document entitled “*Demande d’autorisation aux fins d’appel contre la décision de la Chambre du 11 juin 2014, du refus de participation au stade préliminaire*” made on behalf of five victim applicants;³

NOTING rule 13 (1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, regulation 24 *bis* (1) of the Regulations of the Court and regulation 21 (2) of the Regulations of the Registry;

CONSIDERING that Mr. Mayombo Kassongo is representing victim applicants a/20188/12, a/20189/12, a/20190/12, a/20191/12 and a/20192/12;

CONSIDERING that the applications of these five victim applicants were previously assessed by the Registry as falling outside the scope of case *The Prosecutor against Mr Laurent Gbagbo* and were thus not transmitted to Pre-Trial Chamber I in that case;

¹ ICC-02/11-02/11-74 and ICC-02/11-02/11-74-Anx1.

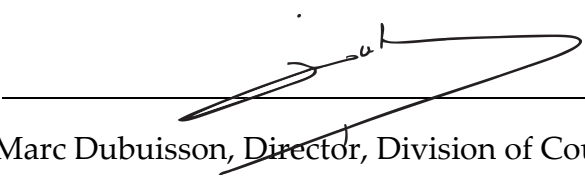
² ICC-02/11-02/11-83, page 21.

³ Annex 1 attached hereto.

CONSIDERING that Mr. Mayombo Kassongo is neither a party nor a participant in the present case;

CONSIDERING the role of the Registry as the Court's channel of communication under rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence;

RESPECTFULLY TRANSMITS to the Appeals Chamber the above-mentioned document;



Marc Dubuisson, Director, Division of Court Services
per delegation of
Herman Von Hebel, Registrar

Dated this 26 June 2014

At The Hague, The Netherlands