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Date: **21 March 2018**

**PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I**

**Before:** Judge Marc Perrin de Brichambaut  
Judge Péter Kovács  
Judge Reine Adélaïde Sophie Alapini-Gansou

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**Decision on the Election of the Presiding Judge**

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

**Office of the Prosecutor**

Ms Fatou Bensouda

Mr James Stewart

**Counsel for the Defence**

**Legal Representatives of Victims**

**Legal Representatives of Applicants**

**Unrepresented Victims**

**Unrepresented Applicants for  
Participation/Reparations**

**States' Representatives**

**Office of Public Counsel for the  
Defence**

Mr Xavier-Jean Keïta

**Office of Public Counsel for Victims**

Ms Paolina Massidda

**REGISTRY**

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**Registrar**

Mr Herman von Hebel

**Counsel Support Section**

Mr Esteban Peralta Losilla

**Victims and Witnesses Section**

Mr Nigel Verrill

**Detention Section**

Mr Paddy Craig

**Victims Participation and Reparations  
Section**

Mr Philipp Ambach

**Other**

**PRE-TRIAL CHAMBER I** (“Chamber”) of the International Criminal Court (“Court”), acting pursuant to regulation 13(2) of the Regulations of the Court, renders this Decision on the Election of the Presiding Judge.

1. On 16 March 2018, the Presidency of the Court constituted this Chamber and assigned to it the situations in the Democratic Republic of the Congo; Libya; the Republic of Mali; Georgia; the Gabonese Republic; and on the Registered Vessels of Comoros, Greece and Cambodia.<sup>1</sup>

2. On 19 March 2018, the Judges of Pre-Trial Chamber I met to elect the Presiding Judge of the Chamber.

**THE CHAMBER HEREBY DECIDES** that Judge Péter Kovács is the Presiding Judge of Pre-Trial Chamber I.

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

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**Judge Péter Kovács**  
**Presiding Judge**

[signed]

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**Judge Marc Perrin de Brichambaut**

[signed]

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**Judge Reine Adélaïde Sophie**  
**Alapini-Gansou**

Dated this 21 March 2018

At The Hague, Netherlands

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<sup>1</sup> ICC-Pres-01/18.