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Judge Péter Kovács
Judge Raul C. Pangalangan

SITUATION IN UGANDA

IN THE CASE OF

THE PROSECUTOR v. DOMINIC ONGWEN

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**Prosecution's Consolidated Response to the Defence and LRV Requests to
Postpone the Delivery of the Judgment**

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1. On 25 November 2020, the Defence filed a request to reschedule the delivery of the article 74 judgment in this case from 12 January 2021¹ to 29 January 2021.²
2. On 27 November 2020, the Common Legal Representative for Victims filed a response supporting the Defence request, though emphasising that the judgment should be delivered as soon as practicable and no later than 29 January 2021.³
3. On 27 November 2020, the Legal Representatives of the Victims filed a request that delivery of the judgment be postponed until 4 February 2021.⁴
4. In light of the circumstances raised in the requests and in the CLRV response, the support of the victims for a postponement, and the institutional interest of the Court in ensuring that the judgment is disseminated widely, promptly, and accurately to the victims and affected communities, the Prosecution supports the requests for a short postponement of the delivery of the judgment, until at least 29 January 2021 and no later than 4 February 2021.



James Stewart, Deputy Prosecutor

Dated this 27th day of November 2020
At The Hague, The Netherlands

¹ See ICC-02/04-01/15-1754.

² The Defence request was filed confidentially, together with a public redacted version. See ICC-02/04-01/15-1755-Red. Pursuant to regulation 23*bis* of the Regulations of the Court, this response is filed publicly because it addresses only information contained in the public redacted version.

³ ICC-02/04-01/15-1756.

⁴ ICC-02/04-01/15-1757.