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Before: Judge Luz del Carmen Ibáñez Carranza, Presiding
Judge Chile Eboe-Osuji
Judge Howard Morrison
Judge Piotr Hofmański
Judge Solomy Balungi Bossa

SITUATION IN UGANDA

IN THE CASE OF *THE PROSECUTOR v. DOMINIC ONGWEN*

Public

Victims' request for reclassification of filing ICC-02/04-01/15-1776-Conf

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I. INTRODUCTION

1. Further to the order in the Appeals Chamber Decision on Mr Ongwen's request for time extension for the notice of appeal and on translation,¹ the Legal Representatives for Victims ("LRVs") submit this request for reclassification of the "Victims' response to 'Defence request for a suspension of its notice of its intent to appeal Trial Chamber IX's Trial Judgment'".²

II. PROCEDURAL HISTORY

2. On 16 February 2021, the LRVs submitted the "Victims' response to 'Defence request for a suspension of its notice of its intent to appeal Trial Chamber IX's Trial Judgment'".³ The document was filed confidentially pursuant to regulation 23bis(2) of the Regulation of the Court since it was in response to a confidential filing.
3. On 24 February 2021, the Appeals Chamber, in its Decision on Mr Ongwen's request for time extension for the notice of appeal and on translation, ordered the LRVs and the CLRV to file, as soon as possible, public redacted versions of their responses.⁴

III. SUBMISSIONS

4. The LRVs hereby request the reclassification of filing ICC-02/04-01/15-1776-Conf to public since there is no confidential information contained in the document.

Respectfully submitted,

¹ Decision on Mr Ongwen's request for time extension for the notice of appeal and on translation, ICC-02/04-01/15-1781, 24 February 2021.

² Victims' response to "Defence request for a suspension of its notice of its intent to appeal Trial Chamber IX's Trial Judgment", ICC-02/04-01/15-1776-Conf, 16 February 2021.

³ Ibid.

⁴ Decision on Mr Ongwen's request for time extension for the notice of appeal and on translation, ICC-02/04-01/15-1781, 24 February 2021, para 15.



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Dated this 26th day of February 2021

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