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**International
Criminal
Court**

Original: **English**

No.: ICC-02/11-01/15
Date: **24 November 2021**

ARTICLE 85 CHAMBER

Before: Judge Reine Alapini-Gansou, Presiding Judge
Judge Joanna Korner
Judge Sergio Gerardo Ugalde Gordínez

**SITUATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF CÔTE D'IVOIRE
IN THE CASE OF
*THE PROSECUTOR v. LAURENT GBAGBO and CHARLES BLÉ GOUDÉ***

Public

Scheduling order for a hearing on the compensation request

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

The Office of the Prosecutor

Mr Karim A.A. Khan

Mr James Stewart

Counsel for Mr Charles Blé Goudé

Mr Geert-Jan Alexander Knoops

Mr Claver N'dry

Legal Representatives of Victims

Legal Representatives of Applicants

Unrepresented Victims

**Unrepresented Applicants for
Participation/Reparation**

**The Office of Public Counsel for
Victims**

**The Office of Public Counsel for the
Defence**

States' Representatives

Amicus Curiae

REGISTRY

Registrar

Mr Peter Lewis

Counsel Support Section

Victims and Witnesses Unit

Detention Section

**Victims Participation and Reparations
Section**

Others

1. On 15 November 2021, the Office of the Prosecutor ('Prosecution') responded¹ to Mr Blé Goudé's request for compensation pursuant to Article 85 of the Rome Statute ('Request').²
2. Following to Rule 174(2) of the Rules of Procedure and Evidence, '[a] hearing shall be held if [...] the person seeking compensation so requests.' Mr Blé Goudé has requested for such a hearing to be held.³ As it was not opportune to hold a hearing prior to having received the written submissions, the Chamber previously indicated that it would revisit the matter once the written submissions would be filed.⁴
3. Counsel for Mr Blé Goudé has not requested leave to reply (in writing) to the Prosecution's response, so the Chamber has now received all written submissions and can proceed to schedule the requested hearing. The Registry has provided the Chamber with information in the present proceedings. It is therefore invited to be present at the hearing should there be any questions from the Chamber, Counsel for Mr Blé Goudé, or the Prosecution, on the information provided.
4. The hearing is scheduled for **13 December 2021**, at **15h00**. Counsel for Mr Blé Goudé and the Prosecution will each be given 45 minutes to address each other's submissions and for any final observations.
5. Mr Blé Goudé is not obliged to be present, but he is welcome to attend the hearing. Should he wish to attend in person, in the courtroom or through video-

¹ Prosecution response to Charles Blé Goudé's Request for Compensation pursuant to Article 85(3) of the Statute, ICC-02/11-01/15-1424-Conf-Exp. A public redacted version was filed on 17 November 2021: ICC-02/11-01/15-1424-Red.

² Mr Blé Goudé's Request for Compensation pursuant to Article 85(3) of the Rome Statute, ICC-02/11-01/15-1411-Conf-Exp. A public redacted version was filed the same day: ICC-02/11-01/15-1411-Red.

³ ICC-02/11-01/15-1411-Red, para. 58.

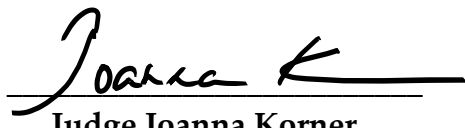
⁴ Order setting a deadline for a response, ICC-02/11-01/15-1418, para. 4.

link, his counsel must communicate this to the Registry by 1 December 2021, in order for the necessary arrangements to be made.

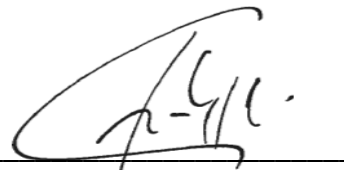
Done in both English and French, the English version being authoritative.



Judge Reine Alapini-Gansou
Presiding Judge



Judge Joanna Korner



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24 November 2021

At The Hague, The Netherlands