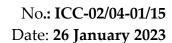
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I. Introduction

1. The Registry submits an updated version of the E-court protocol for consideration by the Appeals Chamber (the "Chamber").

II. Procedural History

2. On 27 February 2015, the Single Judge of Pre-Trial Chamber II issued the "Decision Setting the Regime for Evidence Disclosure and Other Related Matters"¹, attaching the Ecourt protocol as its annex I.²

3. By way of email dated 27 September 2022, the Chief of the Court Management Section (the "CMS") informed the parties and participants to the present case of three additional technical possibilities supported by the recently implemented evidence management tool (JEM).³

4. These amendments concern:

- The ERN numbering;

- The format of documents; and

- The format of audio/video material .

5. On 28 September 2022, the Chief of CMS informed the Chamber of the communication sent to the Parties and participants.⁴

III. Applicable law

¹ Pre-Trial Chamber II, "Decision Setting the Regime for Evidence Disclosure and Other Related Matters", 27 February 2015, ICC-02/04-01/15-203.

² Pre-Trial Chamber II, "Annex I to the Decision Setting the Regime for Evidence Disclosure and Other Related Matters", 27 February 2015, ICC-02/04-01/15-203-AnxI.

³ E-mail sent by the Chief of CMS to the Parties and Particpants on 27 September 2022, at 17:00.

⁴ E-mail sent by the Chief of CMS to the Trial Chamber I on 28 September 2022, at 12:53.

6. For the purpose of the present submission, the Registry has considered *inter alia* RoC 26(4) of the Regulations of the Court and Regulation 10 (1), (4) and (5) of the Regulations of the Registry.

IV. Submission

7. Recalling that it is for the Chamber to adopt the E-court protocol, the Registry hereby submits a proposed amended version of the current E-court protocol (Annex I), for consideration by the Chamber.

8. The Registry further appends in Annex II a detailed overview of the amendments.

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Marc Dubuisson, Director, Division of Judicial Services on behalf of Peter Lewis, Registrar

Dated this 26 January 2023

At The Hague, The Netherlands